## Delete the first node from the linked list

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#include <stdio.h>
#include <stdlib.h>
/* Structure of a node */
struct node {
  int data;
             // Data
  struct node *next; // Address
}*head;
void createList(int n);
void deleteFirstNode();
void displayList();
int main()
{
 int n, choice;
  /*
  * Create a singly linked list of n nodes
  */
  printf("Enter the total number of nodes: ");
  scanf("%d", &n);
  createList(n);
  printf("\nData in the list \n");
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displayList();
  printf("\nPress 1 to delete first node: ");
  scanf("%d", &choice);
 /* Delete first node from list */
 if(choice == 1)
    deleteFirstNode();
  printf("\nData in the list \n");
  displayList();
  return 0;
}
/*
* Create a list of n nodes
*/
void createList(int n)
{
 struct node *newNode, *temp;
  int data, i;
 head = (struct node *)malloc(sizeof(struct node));
  /*
  * If unable to allocate memory for head node
  */
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if(head == NULL)
  printf("Unable to allocate memory.");
}
else
{
  /*
  * In data of node from the user
  */
  printf("Enter the data of node 1: ");
  scanf("%d", &data);
  head->data = data; // Link the data field with data
  head->next = NULL; // Link the address field to NULL
  temp = head;
  /*
  * Create n nodes and adds to linked list
  */
 for(i=2; i<=n; i++)
 {
   newNode = (struct node *)malloc(sizeof(struct node));
   /* If memory is not allocated for newNode */
   if(newNode == NULL)
   {
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printf("Unable to allocate memory.");
       break;
     }
     else
     {
       printf("Enter the data of node %d: ", i);
       scanf("%d", &data);
       newNode->data = data; // Link the data field of newNode with data
       newNode->next = NULL; // Link the address field of newNode with NULL
       temp->next = newNode; // Link previous node i.e. temp to the newNode
       temp = temp->next;
     }
   }
   printf("SINGLY LINKED LIST CREATED SUCCESSFULLY\n");
 }
}
/*
* Deletes the first node of the linked list
*/
//Complete the deleteFirstNode function below
void deleteFirstNode()
{
 struct node *toDelete;
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/* Clears the memory occupied by first node*/
   free(toDelete);
   printf("SUCCESSFULLY\ DELETED\ FIRST\ NODE\ FROM\ LIST\ ");
 }
}
/*
* Displays the entire list
*/
void displayList()
{
 struct node *temp;
  /*
  * If the list is empty i.e. head = NULL
  */
  if(head == NULL)
 {
    printf("List is empty.");
 }
  else
 {
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temp = head;
while(temp != NULL)
{
    printf("Data = %d\n", temp->data); // Print data of current node
    temp = temp->next; // Move to next node
}
}
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