



# Elementary Programming

`get_next_line`

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## Administrative details

- Name of the turn-in repository: `CPE_year_getnextline`  
Example for the school year 2015-2016 : `CPE_2015_getnextline`



Be careful: the norm will be checked for every single file  
you turn in



## Subject

- The goal of this project is to write a function that returns a line read from a file descriptor.
- You must define a macro called `READ_SIZE` in your `get_next_line.h` file as it is defined below (including the `#ifndef` protection).
  - This macro indicates the number of characters to read at each call of `read()`.
  - The value 14 used below is given here just as an example. You can use the value you want as long as it's a strictly positive number.
  - The value of this macro will be changed (by another strictly positive value) during the evaluation to make sure that you are using it correctly.

```
1      # ifndef READ_SIZE
2      #  define READ_SIZE (14)
3      # endif /* !READ_SIZE */
4
```

- You must use one (or several) static variable(s) to save the characters that were read but not sent back to the calling function.
- You shall turn in two files `get_next_line.c` and `get_next_line.h` that must be located at the root of your repository.
- Your repository shall not contain any `Makefile` nor `main` function.
- The macro `READ_SIZE`, as well as the `get_next_line` function prototype, must be located in a file named `get_next_line.h`
- `get_next_line` shall return its result without the `\n`. If there is nothing more to read on the file descriptor, or if an error occurred while reading, the function returns `NULL`.
- The function shall be prototyped as follows:

```
1      char    *get_next_line(const int fd);
2
```

- Turn in:  
`get_next_line.h` and `get_next_line.c`
- Example of how to use the `get_next_line` function:

```
1      /*
2      ** main.c for get_next_line_main_test in
3      **
4      ** Made by tek assistant
5      ** Login   <astek@epitech.net>
6      **
7      ** Started on Mon Nov  5 14:59:09 2001 tek assistant
8      ** Last update Mon Nov  5 14:59:09 2001 tek assistant
9      */
10
11     #include "my.h"
12     #include "get_next_line.h"
13
14     int    main()
```



```
15     {
16         char *s;
17
18         while ((s = get_next_line(0)))
19             {
20                 my_putstr(s);
21                 my_putchar('\n');
22                 free(s);
23             }
24         return (0);
25     }
26
```



## Authorized functions

- read
- malloc
- free