Polymorphism: Concept Challenge



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Concept Challenge

- Pause Try to solve the problem yourself
- Discuss with other learners (if you can)
- Watch the UCSD learners video
- Confirm your understanding with our explanation



```
public class Person
                                                    Person p;
                                                    p = new Student("Sally");
 private String name;
                                                    p.status(1);
  public Person(String name) { this.name = name; }
  public boolean isAsleep(int hr) { return 22 < hr || 7 > hr; }
  public String toString() { return name; }
  public void status( int hr )
    if ( this.isAsleep( hr ) )
      System.out.println("Now offline: " + this);
    else
      System.out.println("Now online: " + this);
    public class Student extends Person
      public Student(String name) {
        super(name);
      public boolean isAsleep( int hr ) // override
      { return 2 < hr && 8 > hr; }
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Start IVQ

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What will this code print?

- A. "Now online: Sally"
- "Now offline: Sally"
- C. Runtime error
- D. Compile time error

End IVQ / Start Discussion

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