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In above thread class run method is executed

To execute our class run method

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24         //t1.run();
25         /*
26          Whenever we are calling run() NO new thread is created. We are calling
27          run() just like a normal method call & as we are performing
28          method overriding ClassA run() will be executed.
29          */
30
31         Thread t2=new Thread();
32         //t2.start();
33         /*
34          Whenever we are calling start() a new thread is created and that
35          new thread is responsible for running the run() which is present
36          in Thread Class
37          */
38
39         //t2.run();
40         /*
41          Whenever we are calling run() NO new thread is created. We are calling
42          run() just like a normal method call.(Thread Class run() will be executed)
43          */
44     }

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1 package com.pack1;
2
3 public class ClassB
4 {
5     public static void main(String[]
6     {
7         System.out.println();
8     }
9 }

```

Exception in thread "main" java.lang.Error: Unresolved compilation problem: Syntax error, insert ";" to complete BlockStatements
at Training/com.pack1.ClassB.main(ClassB.java:7)

Main method is a thread

Creating Thread by implementing Runnable interface

public class ClassA implements Runnable

```

{
    public void run()
    {
        for(int i=0;i<5;i++)
            System.out.println("Run method");
    }
    public static void main(String[] args)
    {
        ClassA a=new ClassA();
        Thread t1=new Thread(a);
        Thread t2=new Thread();
        System.out.println("Java is awesome");
    }
}

```

t1.start();
t1.run();
t2.start();
t2.run();

t1.start()

New Thread will be generated which is responsible for the execution of **ClassA** run() method.

t1.run()

No new Thread will be generated but **ClassA** run() method will be called just like a normal method call.

t2.start()

A new Thread will be generated which is responsible for the implementation of **Thread class** run()method

t2.run()

No new Thread will be generated but **Thread class** run() method will be called just like a normal method call.

Creating Thread by extending Thread class

```
public class ClassA extends Thread
{
    public void run()
    {
        for(int i=0;i<5;i++)
            System.out.println("Run method");
    }
    public static void main(String[] args)
    {
        ClassA a=new ClassA();
        a.start();
        System.out.println("Java is awesome");
    }
}
```

Life Cycle of a Thread

New	Thread is created but not yet started.
Runnable	A thread in the Runnable state is executing in the Java virtual machine but it may be waiting for other resources from the operating system such as processor
Blocked	A thread in the blocked state is waiting to enter a synchronized block/method or reenter a synchronized block/method.
Waiting	A thread will be in waiting state for a unspecified period of time, due to calling one of the methods like wait() , join() etc
Timed_waiting	A thread will be in waiting state for another thread for a specified waiting time is in this state
Terminated	The thread has completed execution

A thread can be in only one state at a given point in time. **Thread.getState()**

Getting and setting name of a Thread:

- Every Thread in java has some name it may be provided explicitly by the programmer or automatically generated by JVM.
- Thread class defines the following methods to get and set name of a Thread.

✓ public final String getName()

✓ public final void setName(String name)

Understanding Thread Priorities

- In the Java programming language, every thread has a priority.
- We can increase or decrease the priority of any thread by using `setPriority(int newPriority)` method.
- We can get the priority of the thread by using `getPriority()` method
- Priority can either be given by JVM (5) while creating the thread or it can be given by programmer explicitly.
- Accepted value of priority for a thread is in range of 1 to 10.
- Thread priorities are highly system-dependent we should always keep in mind that underlying platform should provide support for scheduling based on thread priority.
- There are 3 static variables defined in Thread class for priority.

`public static int MIN_PRIORITY --->1`

`public static int NORM_PRIORITY --->5`

`public static int MAX_PRIORITY --->10`

Thread.currentThread(); is going to provide the instance(object) of the current executing Thread

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10        for(int i=1;i<=5;i++)
11        {
12            System.out.println(name+" : "+i);
13        }
14        System.out.println(name+" completed run() execution");
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16    public static void main(String[] args)
17    {
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20        Thread t1=new Thread(aobj);
21        Thread t2=new Thread(aobj);
22
23        t1.setName("First-Thread");
24        t2.setName("Second-Thread");
25
26        t1.start();
27        //t2.start();
28    }
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26        //t1.start();
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Second-Thread has entered run()
Second-Thread : 1
Second-Thread : 2
Second-Thread : 3
Second-Thread : 4
Second-Thread : 5
Second-Thread completed run() execution

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8         String name=Thread.currentThread().getName();
9         System.out.println(name+" has entered run()");
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No change in the code but why are we getting different types of answers (we cannot guess the output in threads)

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3 public class ClassA extends Thread
4 {
5     @Override
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7     {
8         String name=Thread.currentThread().getName();
9         int priority=Thread.currentThread().getPriority();
10
11         System.out.println(name+" has entered run()");
12         for(int i=1;i<=5;i++)
13         {
14             System.out.println(name+"("+priority+")"+" : "+i);
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25         t1.setName("First-Thread");
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27
28         t1.setPriority(1);        //t1.setPriority(MIN_PRIORITY);
29         t2.setPriority(10);       //t2.setPriority(MAX_PRIORITY);
30
31         t1.start();
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33     }
34 }
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44  Thread Priorities:    [1 to 10]
45  -----
46
47      ==> Minimum Priority : 1
48      ==> Normal / Default Priority : 5
49      ==> Maximum Priority : 10
50
51  */

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