

Create a contacts manager.

One should be able to view all contacts, add a contact, delete a contact and save all changes made to the data to a file.

You will need to create two classes: Contact and ContactList.

The Contact class should have the following properties:

- `contact_id`, an integer
- `first_name`, a string
- `last_name`, a string
- `phone_number`, a string

`contact_id` should be a read-only property. Therefore, use the `@property` decorator to make it return a private variable, `_contact_id`. There should be no setter.

The Contact class should also contain a `display_data` method, which prints out all the data (ID, First name, Last name, Phone number) in an orderly format.

The ContactList class should contain a private variable, `_filename`, which holds the name of the file all data will be saved to. Set it to “contacts.txt” in the constructor.

There should be two other properties:

- `contacts`, which would hold an array of Contact objects
- `current_id`, which would be the id of the next contact to be added. It should start from 1 and increment once a new contact is added.

`current_id` should be a read-only property. Use the `@property` decorator to make it return a private variable, `_current_id`. There should be no setter.

The constructor of the ContactList class is given below. Note that you would have to import `os.path` at the start of the code.

`os.path.exists()` was used to check if the file already exists.

Entries in `contact.txt` are saved as

```
id,first_name,last_name,number
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with each entry on a new line.

`arr = string.split(char)` converts the string to an array by breaking it up with 'char'. The result is saved in `arr`.

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def __init__(self):
    self._filename = "contacts.txt"
    self.contacts = []
    self._current_id = 1

    if os.path.exists(self._filename):
        f = open(self._filename, "r")
        for line in f:
            ln = line.strip("\n")
            arr = ln.split(",")
            new_contact = Contact(int(arr[0]), arr[1], arr[2], arr[3])
            self.contacts.append(new_contact)
        f.close()
    self._current_id = self.contacts[-1].contact_id + 1
```

Afterwards, still inside `ContactList`, implement the `add_contact()`, `remove_contact(contact_id)`, `print_list()` and `save_changes()` methods which adds a new contact, removes a contact with an ID, prints the contact list and saves all changes respectively.

Hint:

The main body of the program is given below:

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my_phonebook = ContactList()
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while True:
    print("Enter 1 to view phonebook")
    print("Enter 2 to add a new contact")
    print("Enter 3 to delete a contact")
    print("Enter 4 to save all changes")
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print("Enter anything else to quit")
response = input("Your input: ")

if response == "1":
    my_phonebook.print_list()

elif response == "2":
    first_name = input("First name: ")
    last_name = input("Last name: ")
    phone_number = input("Phone number: ")
    new_contact = my_phonebook.add_contact(first_name, last_name,
phone_number)
    print("ID = " + str(new_contact.contact_id))
    print("First name = " + new_contact.first_name)
    print("Last name = " + new_contact.last_name)
    print("Phone number = " + new_contact.phone_number + "\n")

elif response == "3":
    contact_id = int(input("Enter contact ID to delete: "))
    my_phonebook.remove_contact(contact_id)

elif response == "4":
    my_phonebook.save_changes()

else:
    print("\nGoodbye!")
    break
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