

pwd	prints the current working directory
cd	allows one to change directory
ls	lists the contents of a directory
alias	create a shortcut to another command or name to execute a long string.
mkdir	create a directory
cp	copy a file or directory
rm	removes or deletes a file or directory
mv	moves or renames a file or directory
cd	change to home directory
cd ..	go up to parent directory
cd subdir	change to subdirectory subdir
ls	list content of current directory
ls -l	list content with details
ls -a	list content including hidden files
rm fileName	removes file fileName
rm -r dirName	removes directory recursively
rmdir dirName	removes empty dirName
mkdir dirName	makes directory called dirName
chmod 750 file1	change permission of file1 by specifying a three digit octal # where digits are owner, group, world each octal digit in binary are: read (4) ,write (2) ,execute (1)
cat file1	display file1 to screen
less file1	display file1 with pagination