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LIQUID CRYSTAL DISPLAY

LIBRARY:- `#include<LiquidCrystal.h>`

FUNCTIONS:- Here are list of all functions defined to used liquid crystal display with Arduino.

- 1. LiquidCrystal():-** This function is used to defined the pins connection of LCD to Arduino. A object will be used to access all the functions of this library.
syntax:- `LiquidCrystal objectName(rsPin, enablePin, D0, D1, D2, D3, D4, D5, D6, D7, D8);`
eg:- `LiquidCrystal lcd(2, 3, 4, 5, 6, 7, 8, 9, 10, 11);`
- 2. LiquidCrystal():-** This function is same as above function but used half data pins D0-D3.
syntax:- `LiquidCrystal objectName(rsPin, enablePin, D0, D1, D2, D3);`
eg:- `LiquidCrystal lcd(2, 3, 7, 8, 9, 10);`
- 3. begin():-** This function is used to initialize the LCD.
syntax:- `objectName.begin(column, row);`
eg:- for 16x2 LCD => `lcd.begin(16, 2);`
for 16x4 LCD => `lcd.begin(16, 4);`
- 4. clear():-** This function clears the entire display and set the cursor to (0,0) position.
syntax:- `objectName.clear();`
eg:- `lcd.clear();`
- 5. home():-** This function set the cursor to (0,0) position without clearing the display.
syntax:- `objectName.home();`
eg:- `lcd.home();`
- 6. noDisplay():-** This function turns off the display very quickly.
syntax:- `objectName.noDisplay();`
eg:- `lcd.noDisplay();`

- 7. display():** - This function turn ON the display very quickly.
syntax:- *objectName*.display();
eg:- lcd.display();
- 8. noBlink() / blink() :-** This function turn Off / turn ON the blinking of cursor.
syntax:- *objectName*.noBlink();
 objectName.blink();
eg:- lcd.noBlink();
 lcd.blink();
- 9. noCursor() / cursor() :-** This function turn OFF /turn ON the cursor display underline.
syntax:- *objectName*.noCursor();
 objectName.cursor();
eg:- lcd.noCursor();
 lcd.cursor();
- 10. setCursor():** - This function is used to place the cursor at suitable position(x,y).
syntax:- *objectName*.setCursor(*column, row*);
eg:- lcd.setCursor(8,1);
Note:- home position is (0,0) so 16x2 means (0-15, 0-1).
- 11. write():** - This function is used to write the characters on lcd display.
syntax:- *objectName*.write("16 bit or less");
eg:- lcd.write("Hello World !");
- 12. leftToRight():** - This will flow the characters from left to right.
syntax:- *objectName*.leftToRight();
eg:- lcd.leftToRight();
- 13. rightToLeft():** - This will flow the characters from right to left.
syntax:- *objectName*.rightToLeft();
eg:- lcd.rightToLeft();

These are various function which are used to interface LCD with Arduino. These are all functions which are present in library.