

Node.js

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Practice 1 - Node.js

Title : CLI Employee Management System Using Node.js and Arrays

Objective : Learn how to build an interactive command-line interface (CLI) application using Node.js that manages data in memory with arrays. This task strengthens your understanding of basic Node.js, user input handling, and array operations.

Task Description

Create a simple Node.js CLI application that manages a list of employees stored in an array. The app should allow the user to perform actions like adding a new employee (with name and ID), listing all employees, and removing an employee by ID. Use built-in Node.js modules like `readline` to capture user input interactively in the terminal. All data should be stored and updated directly in an array during the session, without using any external databases or files.

Code :

```
const readline=require("readline")
const rl=readline.createInterface({
  input:process.stdin,
  output:process.stdout
});

const employees=[
  {
    id:"1",
    name:"Alice",
    Age:34
  },
  {
    id:"2",
    name:"inBorder",
    Age:30
  },
  {
    id:"3",
    name:"land",
    Age:34
  }
];

function showMenu(){
```

```

console.log("\n=== Employee Manager ===");
console.log("1. Add Employee");
console.log("2. List Employees");
console.log("3. Remove Employee");
console.log("4. Exit\n");

rl.question("Enter your choice:",(choice)=>{
  switch (choice.trim()){
    case "1":
      addEmployee();
      break;
    case "2":
      listEmployees();
      break;
    case "3":
      removeEmployee();
      break;
    case "4":
      console.log("Exiting...");
      rl.close();
      break;
    default:
      console.log("Invalid choice! Try again.");
      showMenu();
  }
});
}

function addEmployee() {
  rl.question("Enter Employee ID: ", (id) => {
    rl.question("Enter Employee Name: ", (name) => {
      if (employees.find(emp => emp.id === id.trim())) {
        console.log("Employee with this ID already exists!");
      } else {
        employees.push({ id: id.trim(), name: name.trim() });
        console.log("Employee added successfully!");
      }
    });
    showMenu();
  });
});

function listEmployees() {
  console.log("\n--- Employee List ---");
  if (employees.length === 0) {
    console.log("No employees found.");
  } else {
    employees.forEach(emp => {
      console.log(`ID: ${emp.id}, Name: ${emp.name}`);
    });
  }
  showMenu();
}

```

```
function removeEmployee() {  
  rl.question("Enter Employee ID to remove: ", (id) => {  
    const index = employees.findIndex(emp => emp.id === id.trim());  
    if (index === -1) {  
      console.log("Employee not found!");  
    } else {  
      employees.splice(index, 1);  
      console.log("Employee removed successfully!");  
    }  
    showMenu();  
  });  
}
```

```
// Start the CLI  
showMenu();
```

Expected Output

```
Employee Management System  
1. Add Employee  
2. List Employees  
3. Remove Employee  
4. Exit  
  
Enter your choice: 2  
  
Employee List:  
1. Name: Alice, ID: E101  
2. Name: Bob, ID: E102  
3. Name: Charlie, ID: E103
```

Employee Management System

1. Add Employee
2. List Employees
3. Remove Employee
4. Exit

Enter your choice: 1

Enter employee name: Daniel

Enter employee ID: E104

Employee Daniel (ID: E104) added successfully.

Employee Management System

1. Add Employee
2. List Employees
3. Remove Employee
4. Exit

Enter your choice: 3

Enter employee ID to remove: E102

Employee Bob (ID: E102) removed successfully.