**Basic Terminal Commands**

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| **COMMANDS** | **DESCRIPTION** |
| pwd | Print current directory (path) |
| ls | List files in current directory |
| ls -l | List files with details |
| cd <directory> | Change directory |
| cd .. | Go up one directory |
| cd ~ | Go to home directory |
| touch <file> | Create a new file |
| mkdir <dir> | Create a new directory |
| rm <file> | Remove a file |
| rm -r <dir> | Remove a directory and contents |
| cp <src> <dest> | Copy a file or directory |
| mv <src> <dest> | Move or rename a file/directory |
| cat <file> | Show file contents |
| less <file> | View file contents page-by-page |
| nano <file> | Edit file in terminal (easy editor) |
| head <file> | Show first 10 lines |
| tail <file> | Show last 10 lines |
| find . -name "<file>" | Search for file in current directory tree |
| grep "<text>" <file> | Search for text in a file |
| chmod +x <file> | Make a file executable |
| whoami | Show current user |
| clear | Clear the terminal screen |
| history | Show command history |
| exit | Close the terminal session |
| curl <url> | Fetch data from a URL |