Programming Project: Quiz CPSC 1020 - Spring 2022



Introduction

Write a program that allows a player to answer quiz questions. The game allows adding questions and answers to a database in a simple text file. The program asks the questions in the database in random order. The player types an answer and hits enter. If the answer is correct, the player is told so and the player earns 1 point. If the answer is incorrect, the player is told so and the players loses 1 point. Once all questions have been asked, the program displays how many questions have been asked, the number of correct answers, the number of wrong answers, and the player's final score.

The example database given to you is called database.txt and has four questions with their answers. Your program needs to work independently of the number of question/answer pairs in the database.

Implementation and Requirements

Develop your program following these steps:

1) Build Quiz class

Each question with its corresponding answer is represented as an object of type Quiz. Write a Quiz class based on the following UML class diagram:

| Quiz |
|---------------------------------------|
| - question: string |
| - answer: string |
| - score: int, static |
| + Quiz() |
| + Quiz(q: string, a: string) |
| + getQuestion(): string |
| + getAnswer(): string |
| + getScore(): int, static |
| + updateScore(val: int): void, static |

Additional specifications:

- Use in-class initialization to initialize question and answer to "" (an empty string).
- Use the constructor Quiz (q: string, a: string) with member list initialization to allow creating an instance of Quiz with strings for guestion and answer passed as arguments.
- score is a static variable.
- getScore is a static member function that returns the value of score.

- updateScore is a static member function that changes the value of score by the value of the number passed as val, which can be a positive or negative integer. Use this function in your main program as follows:
 - If a player gives a correct answer, score is increased by 1 (i.e., updateScore(1))
 - If a player gives an incorrect answer, score is decreased by 1 (i.e., updateScore (-1)). However, a player's score cannot be less than zero, which must be implemented in the updateScore function.
- The Quiz class should be declared and implemented in files Quiz.h and Quiz.cpp, respectively.
- Do NOT use "using namespace std;" in your .h or .cpp file.

2) Parse the text file and create Quiz objects

- 1. The database where you save your questions and answers is the text file database.txt given to you. You can assume that it is formatted correctly with questions starting with "Q:" and answers starting with "A:".
- 2. In your main program, write code to read in the content from database.txt.
- 3. Store every question-answer pair as a Quiz object.
- 4. Store all Quiz objects in a single vector named quizVector.

Requirements:

• The name of the input file, database.txt, should be provided as a command line argument. That is, it must be possible to run your final program as follows:

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./main.out [database name]
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where [database name] is the name of the input file, e.g. file database.txt provided to you.

 The file database.txt contains 4 question-answer pairs. Do NOT hard code this number in your program. Instead, your program must accept input files with any number of questionanswer pairs.

3) Ask questions and collect player input

In your main program, randomly select a question-answer pair. Show the question to the player, collect their input, and display the results as follows:

• If the player has given the correct answer, print

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Correct!
Current score: [score]
```

where [score] is the player's current score that has been updated by 1 point for correctly answering the question.

If the player has given a wrong answer, print

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Wrong! Correct answer: [correct answer]
Current score: [score]
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where [correct answer] is the correct answer from the database and [score] is the player's current score that has been updated by -1 point for not correctly answering the question.

Requirements:

- Questions must be randomly selected. To select a random question-answer pair, use the random_shuffle function from the algorithm library to randomly shuffle the objects in quizVector. You can read more about this function here:
 https://www.cplusplus.com/reference/algorithm/random_shuffle/
- Add the following line to your program before you call random_shuffle: srand(unsigned(time(0)));

Read the srand manual to understand the purpose of this line: https://www.cplusplus.com/reference/cstdlib/srand/. Here is a short explanation:

- srand is a function from the <cstdlib> library that is used to initialize the random number generator;
- time is a function from the <ctime> library that is used to return the current time on a computer;
- by passing time to srand, we initialize the random number generator to the current runtime value, which for our purpose is distinctive enough to randomize the order returned by random_shuffle.

4) Print results

At the end of the guiz, your program must print the results as follows:

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Number of questions: [#questions]
Number correct answers: [#correct]
Number wrong answers: [#wrong]
Final score: [score]
```

which must be handled by a function printResult(int questions, int correct, int wrong)
Requirements:

- printResult must use a stringstream to build and return a string.
- The number of questions, correct answers, and wrong answers are passed as arguments to the functions.
- Make printResult a friend of class Quiz so that the function can access the static variable score.
- The function should be declared and implemented in files printResult.h and printResult.cpp, respectively.
- Do NOT use "using namespace std;" in your .h or .cpp file.

Sample Run

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./main.out database.txt
True or false (T/F)? Constructors have the return type void.
Type in your answer: F
Correct!
Current score: 1
What is a member function called that is not a member of a class, but has access
to the private members of the class?
Type in your answer: friend
Correct!
Current score: 2
What do you declare a member variable if all objects of a class should share that
variable?
Type in your answer: const
Wrong! Correct answer: static
Current score: 1
What keyword is used to access the built-in pointer that is automatically passed
as a hidden argument to all non-static member functions?
Type in your answer: this
Correct!
Current score: 2
Number of questions: 4
Number correct answers: 3
Number wrong answers: 1
Final score: 2
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Submission Instructions

- Submit your design document with pseudocode via Canvas.
- Submit the following 6 files via Gradescope:
 - main.cpp
 - Quiz.h
 - Quiz.cpp
 - printResult.h
 - printResult.cpp
 - Makefile
- Make sure your program compiles and runs on the SoC Linux machines; the autograder automatically assigns 0 points to programs that do not compile.
- Code style (proper indentation, consistency, readability, use of comments, etc.) will be considered when grading your submission.