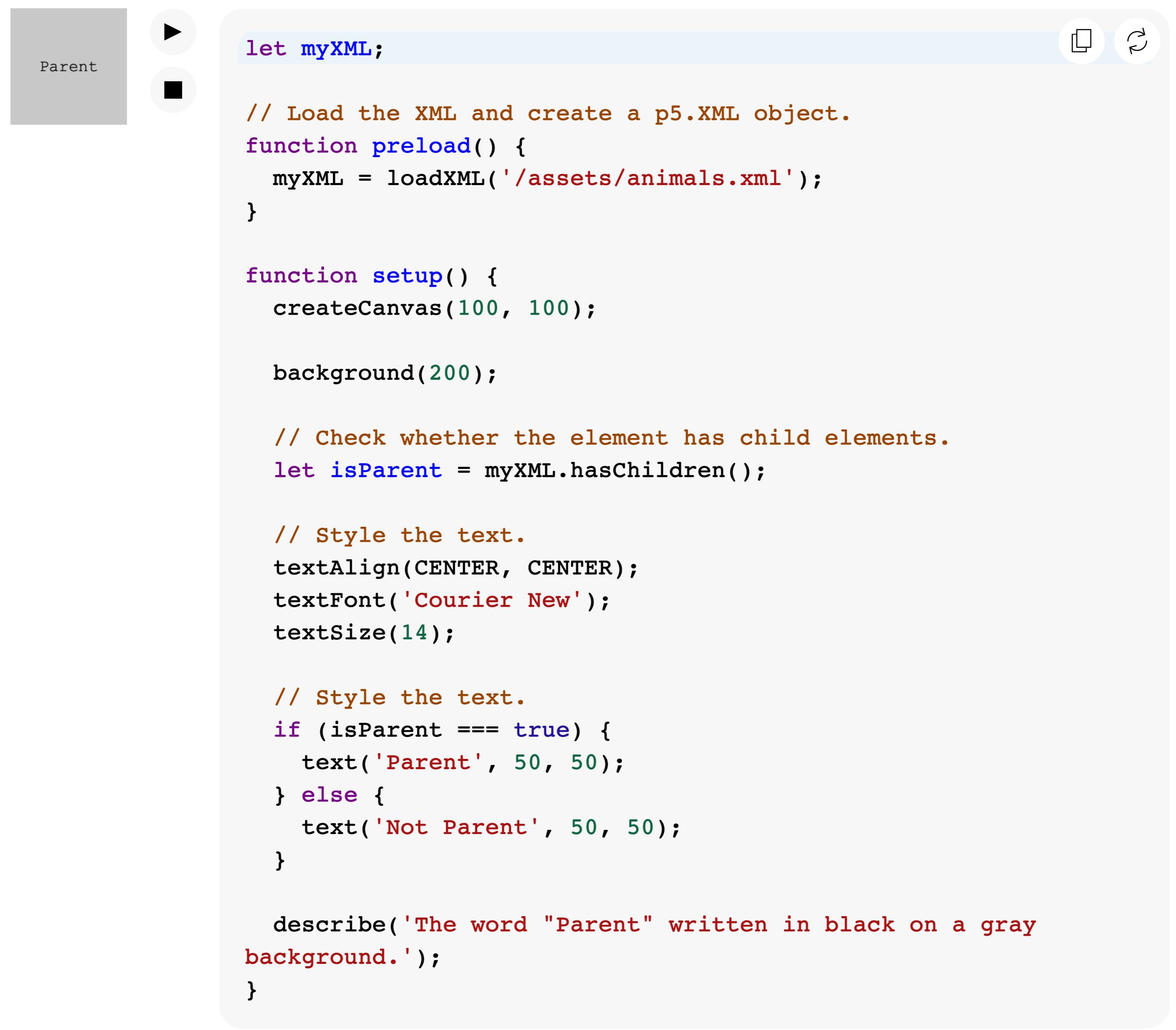


hasChildren()

Returns `true` if the element has child elements and `false` if not.

Examples



```

let myXML;

// Load the XML and create a p5.XML object.
function preload() {
    myXML = loadXML('/assets/animals.xml');
}

function setup() {
    createCanvas(100, 100);

    background(200);

    // Check whether the element has child elements.
    let isParent = myXML.hasChildren();

    // Style the text.
    textAlign(CENTER, CENTER);
    textFont('Courier New');
    textSize(14);

    // Style the text.
    if (isParent === true) {
        text('Parent', 50, 50);
    } else {
        text('Not Parent', 50, 50);
    }

    describe('The word "Parent" written in black on a gray background.');
}

```

Returns

Boolean: whether the element has children.

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Related References

addChild

Adds a new child element and returns a reference to it.

getAttributeCount

Returns the number of attributes the element has.

getChild

Returns the first matching child element as a new p5.XML object.

getChildren

Returns an array with the element's child elements as new p5.XML objects.

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