**Common commands:**

* cat: Copies a file to the standard output
* cd: Changes the current directory
* chmod: Changes file permissions
* chown: Changes file ownerships
* cp: Copies files
* dd: Copies blocks of data
* df: Reports disk space usage by device and available space
* diff: Compares two text files
* du: Reports disk space usage by directory
* file: Displays the type of data in a file
* find: Finds files based on specified criteria
* grep: Searches for text in a file
* ln: Links a filename to an alias name
* ls: Displays the contents of a directory
* mkdir: Creates a directory
* more: Displays a text file, one page at a time
* mount: Mounts a file system
* mv: Renames or moves a file
* pwd: Displays the current directory
* rm: Deletes files
* rmdir: Deletes directories
* sort: Sorts lines in a text file
* split: Splits a file into smaller parts
* umount: Unmounts a file system
* wc: Counts the words and lines in a file