# **SetPlayerName**

This function changes the specified player's name. Note that any change made to a players name with this function is not saved in their settings so the name change only lasts till they disconnect.

## **Syntax**

bool setPlayerName ( player thePlayer, string newName )

**OOP Syntax** Help! I don't understand this!

**Method**: player:setName(...)

Variable: .name

Counterpart: getPlayerName

## **Required Arguments**

• **thePlayer:** the player that will have its name set.

• **newName:** the new name to set for the player.

### **Returns**

Returns true if the player name was changed succesfully, false if invalid arguments are specified.

#### Limits

• Only ASCII characters between 33 and 126 are allowed (basic latin, no spaces):

!"#\$%&'()\*+,-./0123456789:;<=>?@ABCDEFGHIJKLMNOPQRSTUVWXYZ[\]^\_`abcdefghijklmnopqrstuvwxyz{|}~

- Minimal player name length is 1 character.
- Maximum player name length is 22 characters.
- Player names are case-insensitive. It is not possible to have two clients with same name but different character case.