

/// C program to demonstrate use of fork() and pipe()

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#include <stdio.h>
#include <stdlib.h>
#include <string.h>
#include <sys/types.h>
#include <sys/wait.h>
#include <unistd.h>

int main()
{
    // We use two pipes
    // First pipe to send input string from parent
    // Second pipe to send concatenated string from child

    int fd1[2]; // Used to store two ends of first pipe
    int fd2[2]; // Used to store two ends of second pipe

    char fixed_str[] = " assignment3";
    char input_str[100];
    pid_t p;

    if (pipe(fd1) == -1) {
        fprintf(stderr, "Pipe Failed");
        return 1;
    }
    if (pipe(fd2) == -1) {
        fprintf(stderr, "Pipe Failed");
        return 1;
    }

    scanf("%s", input_str);
    p = fork();

    if (p < 0) {
        fprintf(stderr, "fork Failed");
        return 1;
    }

    // Parent process
    else if (p > 0) {
        char concat_str[100];

        close(fd1[0]); // Close reading end of first pipe

        // Write input string and close writing end of first
        // pipe.
        write(fd1[1], input_str, strlen(input_str) + 1);
        close(fd1[1]);

        // Wait for child to send a string
        wait(NULL);

        close(fd2[1]); // Close writing end of second pipe

        // Read string from child, print it and close
        // reading end.
        read(fd2[0], concat_str, 100);
        printf("Concatenated string %s\n", concat_str);
        close(fd2[0]);
    }
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// child process
else {
    close(fd1[1]); // Close writing end of first pipe

    // Read a string using first pipe
    char concat_str[100];
    read(fd1[0], concat_str, 100);

    // Concatenate a fixed string with it
    int k = strlen(concat_str);
    int i;
    for (i = 0; i < strlen(fixed_str); i++)
        concat_str[k++] = fixed_str[i];

    concat_str[k] = '\0'; // string ends with '\0'

    // Close both reading ends
    close(fd1[0]);
    close(fd2[0]);

    // Write concatenated string and close writing end
    write(fd2[1], concat_str, strlen(concat_str) + 1);
    close(fd2[1]);

    exit(0);
}
}

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Output
/tmp/JFA10GUQ7s.o
Operating_System
Concatenated string Operating_System assignment3

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//Two-way Communication Using Pipes

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#include<stdio.h>
#include<unistd.h>
int main() {
    int pipefds1[2], pipefds2[2];
    int returnstatus1, returnstatus2;
    int pid;
    char pipe1writemessage[20] = "Hi";
    char pipe2writemessage[20] = "Hello";
    char readmessage[20];
    returnstatus1 = pipe(pipefds1);
    if (returnstatus1 == -1) {
        printf("Unable to create pipe 1 \n");
        return 1;
    }
    returnstatus2 = pipe(pipefds2);
    if (returnstatus2 == -1) {
        printf("Unable to create pipe 2 \n");
        return 1;
    }
}

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}
pid = fork();
if (pid != 0) // Parent process
{
close(pipefds1[0]); // Close the unwanted pipe1 read side
close(pipefds2[1]); // Close the unwanted pipe2 write side
printf("In Parent: Writing to pipe 1 – Message is%s\n", pipe1writemessage);
write(pipefds1[1], pipe1writemessage,sizeof(pipe1writemessage));
read(pipefds2[0], readmessage,sizeof(readmessage));

printf("In Parent: Reading from pipe 2 – Message is %s\n", readmessage);
} else { //child process
close(pipefds1[1]); // Close the unwanted pipe1 write side
close(pipefds2[0]); // Close the unwanted pipe2 read side
read(pipefds1[0], readmessage,sizeof(readmessage));
printf("In Child: Reading from pipe 1 – Message is %s\n", readmessage);
printf("In Child: Writing to pipe 2 – Message is %s\n", pipe2writemessage);
write(pipefds2[1], pipe2writemessage,sizeof(pipe2writemessage));
}
return 0;
}

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Output

/tmp/N77p0s1QE6.o

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In Parent: Writing to pipe 1 – Message isHi
In Child: Reading from pipe 1 – Message is Hi
In Child: Writing to pipe 2 – Message is Hello
In Parent: Reading from pipe 2 – Message is Hello

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