CSE-344 ASSIGNMENT-I

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Algorithm Design:

When the program is executed, initially, a main process runs in an infinite loop, continuously receiving input from the user. Without verifying the correctness of the input, this process creates a child process using the fork operation and sends the input to the CommandManager function. This input, after being parsed into segments using the helper method StringParser, is then forwarded to the relevant functions within the CommandManager.

In summary, upon program execution, the main process continuously receives input, passes it to the CommandManager function, which further parses and dispatches it to corresponding functions for execution.

File Lock System:

In the program, more than one processes can work on a same file. Without a protection it would not be safe because of race condition. To avoid race condition, I used filelock. So that when a writer process opened the file, the readers will wait it to finish (unluck). Among readers, no need for file lock. In same file, while reader-reader okay, reader-writer, writer - writer wil have possible race condition. With file lock no problem.

Log System:

A log function will be run just before start of the functions and also after end of the function and will be added to LOG file.

Also there is another log function which is LogErr. This function will puts errors to LOG file.

Function Implementations:

Log: Logs information about a process or function call to a file, including details such as process ID, function name, and start/end time.

LogErr: Logs error messages along with relevant information to a file.

CommandManager: Manages commands received by a child process, executes corresponding actions based on the command type, and logs errors if the command is invalid.

GtuStudentGrades: Opens a file for writing student grades, logs any errors encountered during file opening.

LowerCase: Converts a given string to lowercase characters.

StringParser: Parses a string into tokens based on spaces and quotes, returning an array of parsed strings.

AddStudentGrade: Adds a new student's name and grade to a file, locking the file during write operations and logging errors if encountered.

SearchStudent: Searches for a student's grade by name in a file, locking the file during read operations and logging errors if encountered.

ShowAll: Displays all student entries stored in a file.

List: Displays a specific number of entries from a file, starting from a specified index.

Usage: Displays usage information for the available commands.

SortAll: (Not implemented) intended to sort student entries in a file based on specified criteria.

free1d: Frees memory allocated for a one-dimensional array.

free2d: Frees memory allocated for a two-dimensional array.

print: Prints a string to standard output.

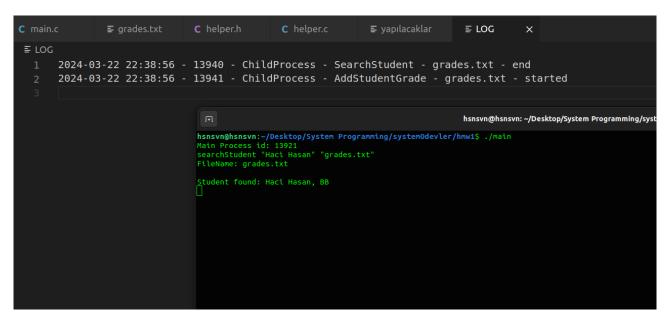
print2d: Prints a two-dimensional array of strings to standard output.

printStruct: Prints entries stored in a structure array to standard output

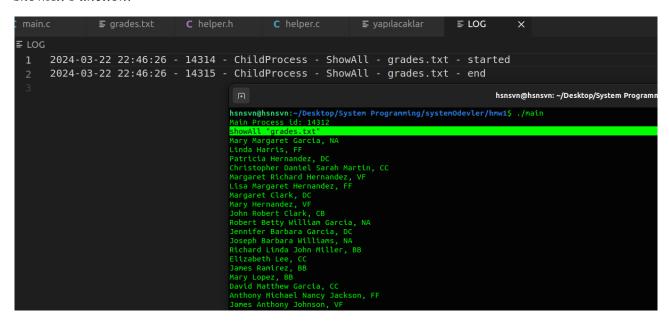
Example Runs:

addStudentGrade Function:

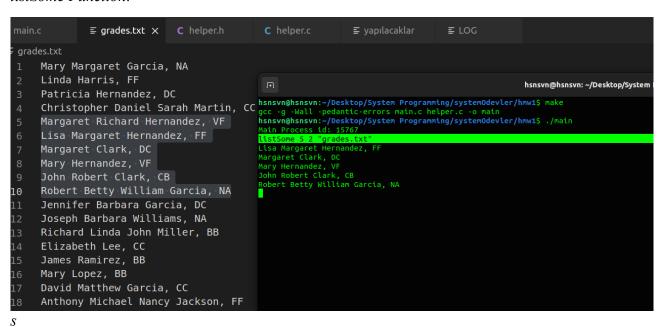
searchStudent Function:



showAll Function:



listSome Function:



gtuStudentGrades Function:

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Main Process id: 16122

essin |gtuStudentGrades "grades2.txt" zombie olmaz
File İs Opend:grades2.txt
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Usage Function:

listGrades Function:



Log Function:

Notes:

Please stick to usage rules. There are some protections but it is hard to implement all possible error.