

Lab Requirement 3 - Process Management

Requirement

Write a C program that does the following!

Parent Process

1. **Reads** a value n from the user.
2. **Forks** n children.
3. **Waits** to receive exit codes from the n children and **prints** them.
4. **Terminates**

Important Note that points 2 and 3 are non-overlapping! That is, the parent should fork n children THEN wait for n exit codes. It should NOT just fork one child and wait for its exit code and repeat that n times.

Each Child Process

1. **Prints** the following message for the user,
I am the child number X and my pid is P and my parent pid is PP
where X is its order of creation among the n children, P is its pid and PP is its parent pid.
2. **Creates** 1 grandchild.
3. **Waits** to receive exit code from its own grandchild and **prints** them.
4. **Sends** X (its order of creation) as its exit code to its parent.

Each Grandchild Process

1. **Prints** the following message for the user,
I am the grandchild with pid P and my parent pid is PP
where P is its pid and PP is its parent pid
2. **Sends** X (its parent's order of creation) as its exit code to its own direct parent.