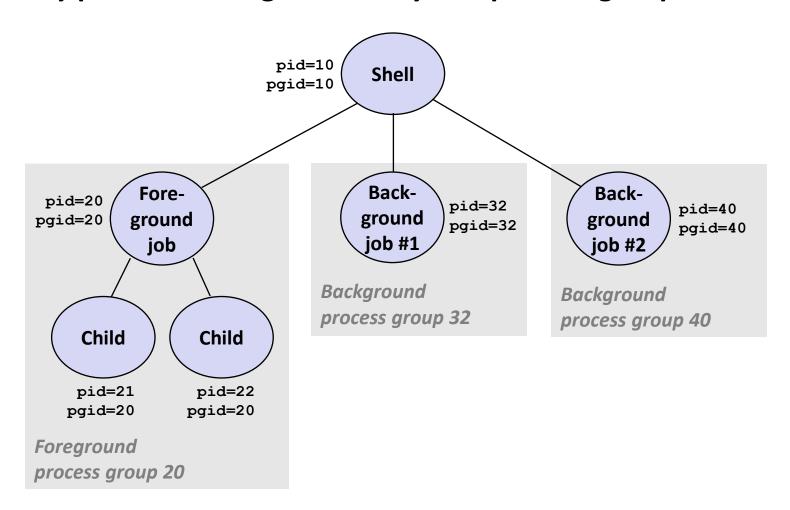
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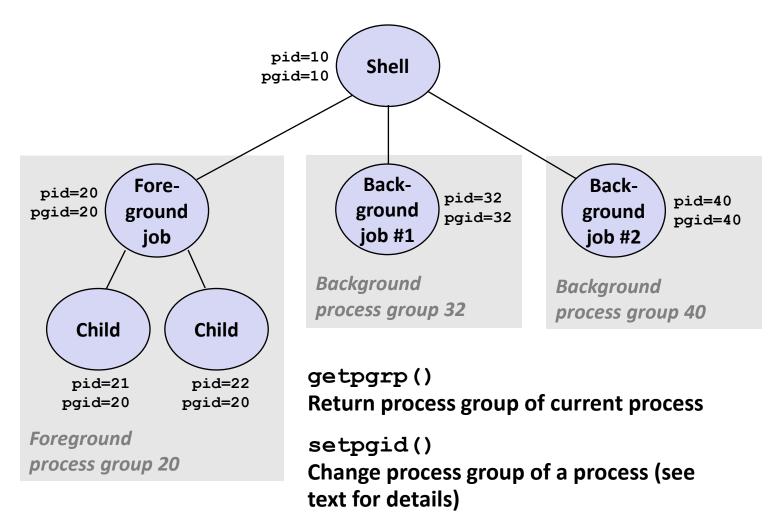
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                  TIME CMD
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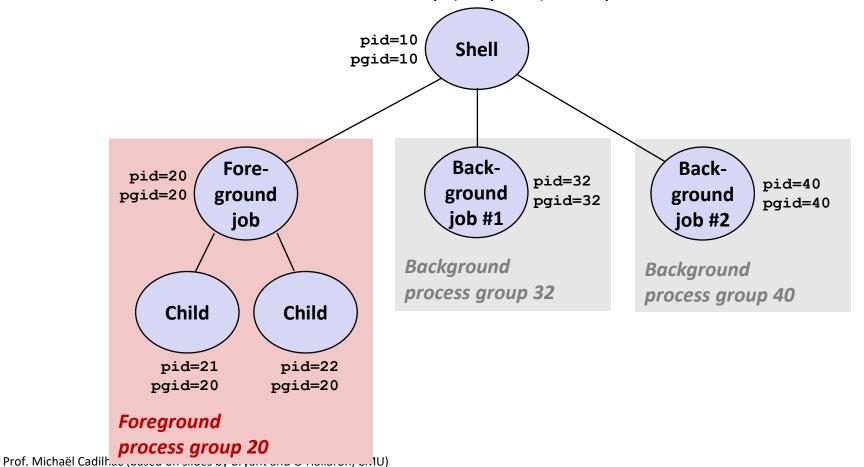
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 Send SIGKILL to every process
 in process group 24817

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Sending Signals from the Keyboard

- Typing ctrl-c (ctrl-z) causes the kernel to send a SIGINT (SIGTSTP) to every job in the foreground process group.
 - SIGINT default action is to terminate each process
 - SIGTSTP default action is to stop (suspend) each process



Example of ctrl-c and ctrl-z

```
linux> ./forks 17
Child: pid=28108 pgrp=28107
Parent: pid=28107 pgrp=28107
<types ctrl-z>
Suspended
linux> ps w
 PID TTY
              STAT
                     TIME COMMAND
27699 pts/8
           Ss
                     0:00 -tcsh
28107 pts/8
                     0:01 ./forks 17
28108 pts/8
                     0:01 ./forks 17
28109 pts/8
                     0:00 ps w
            R+
linux> fq
./forks 17
<types ctrl-c>
linux> ps w
 PID TTY
              STAT
                     TIME COMMAND
27699 pts/8 Ss
                     0:00 -tcsh
28110 pts/8
                     0:00 ps w
           R+
```

STAT (process state) Legend:

First letter:

S: sleeping
T: stopped

R: running

Second letter:

s: session leader

+: foreground proc group

See "man ps" for more details

Sending Signals with kill Function

```
void fork12()
    pid_t pid[N];
    int i;
    int child_status;
    for (i = 0; i < N; i++)
        if ((pid[i] = fork()) == 0) {
            /* Child: Infinite Loop */
            while(1)
    for (i = 0; i < N; i++) {
        printf("Killing process %d\n", pid[i]);
        kill(pid[i], SIGINT);
    for (i = 0; i < N; i++) {
        pid_t wpid = wait(&child_status);
        if (WIFEXITED(child status))
            printf("Child %d terminated with exit status %d\n",
                   wpid, WEXITSTATUS(child_status));
        else
            printf("Child %d terminated abnormally\n", wpid);
                                                               forks.c
```