

# Basic Linux Commands

# What You Will Learn

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Some basic commands that are used often

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- `pwd` - Displays the present working directory.
- `cat` - Concatenates and displays files.
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- `man` - Displays the online manual.
- `exit` - Exits the shell or your current session.
- `clear` - Clears the screen.

# ls Options

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-l      long listing format

# man Keyboard Commands

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space - display the next page

q - quit

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# Next Steps

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- Practice using the commands
- Experiment
- Look at the man pages for `ls`
  - `man ls`