CS 1550

Lab 1 – xv6 Introduction

Setup and exercise

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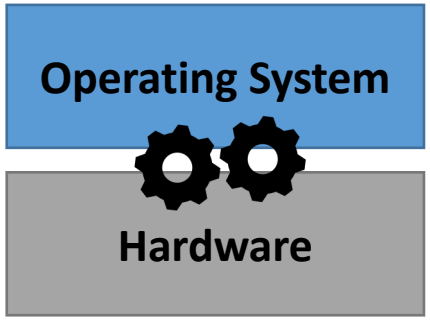

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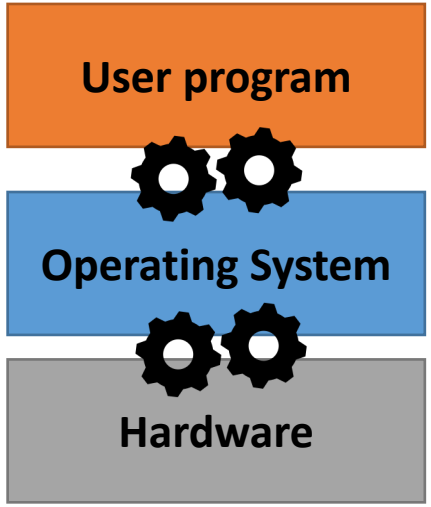

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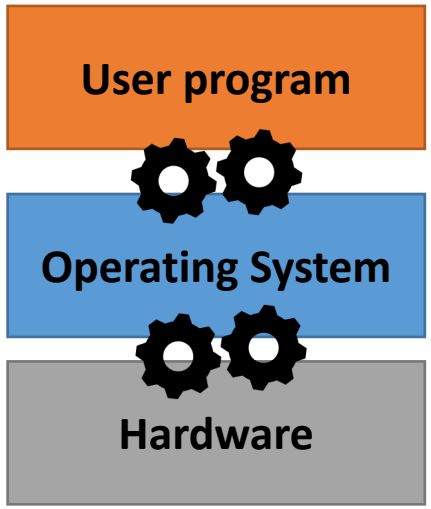

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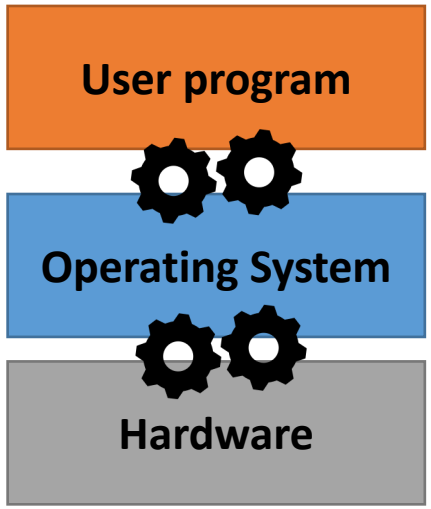

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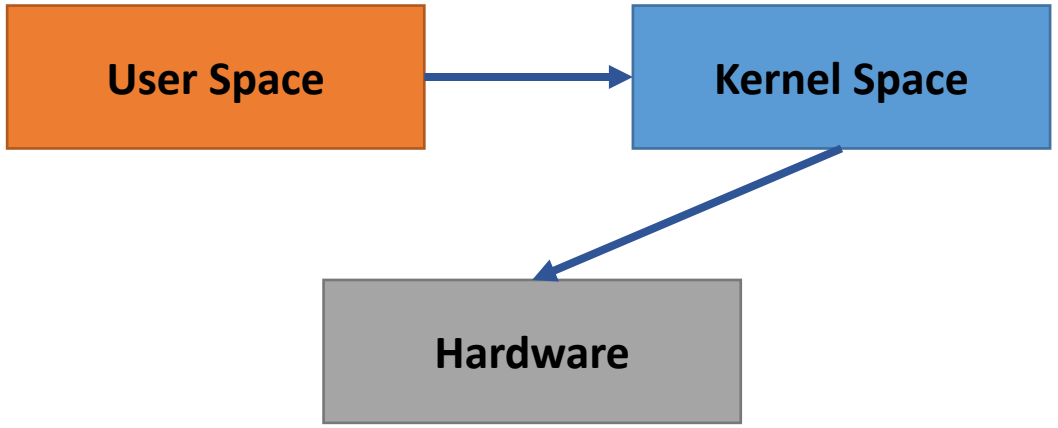
- User space
  - **Less privileged memory space** where user processes execute
- Kernel space
  - **Privileged memory space** where the OS main process resides
  - **No User application should be able to change**



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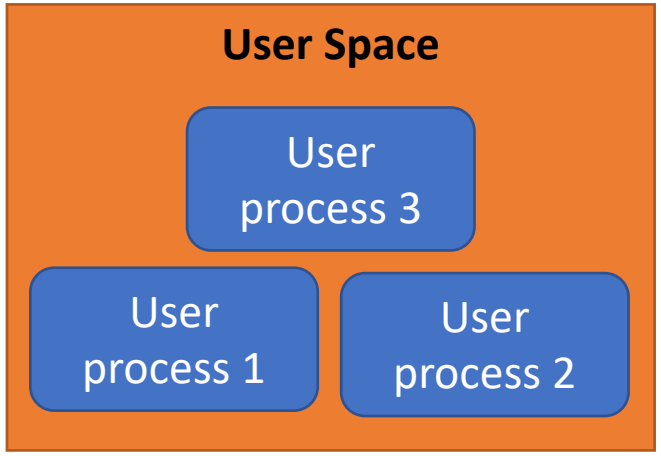

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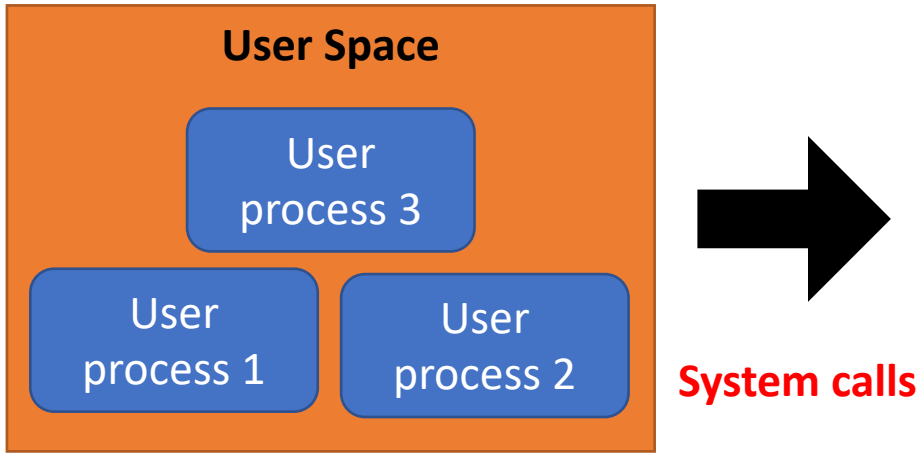

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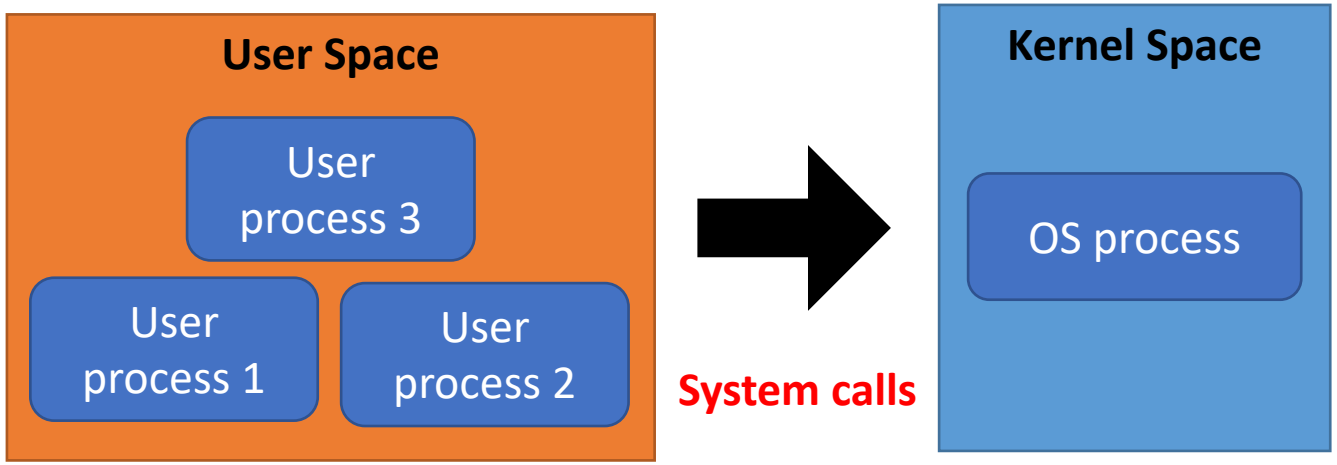

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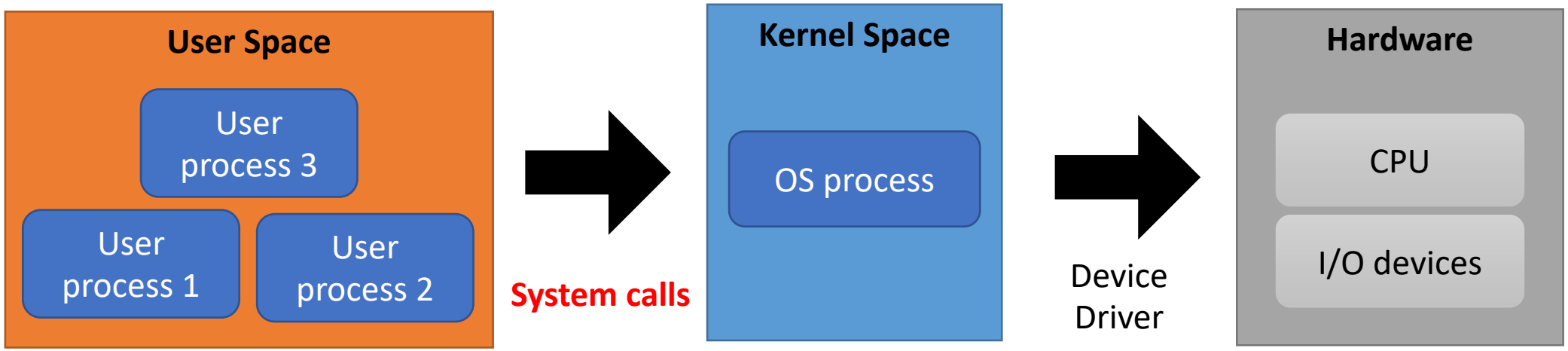

System Call
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- Simple Unix-like teaching **operating system** from MIT
  - Provides basic services to running programs

CS 1550 – Unix is everywhere

- Most operating systems are based on Linux

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- Simple Unix-like teaching operating system from MIT
  - Has a **subset of traditional** system calls
    - **fork**() Create process
    - **exit**() Terminate current process
    - **wait**() Wait for a child process
    - **kill**(pid) Terminate process pid
    - **getpid**() Return current process's id sleep(n)
    - **Sleep** for n time units exec(filename, *argv)
    - **Load** a file and execute it sbrk(n)
    - ….

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- Compile and Run xv6 in a cs pitt server
  - Since it is an OS how can we run it?

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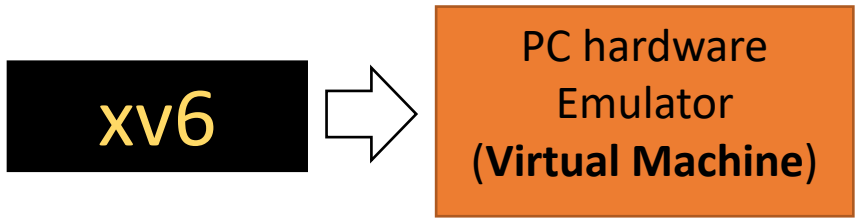

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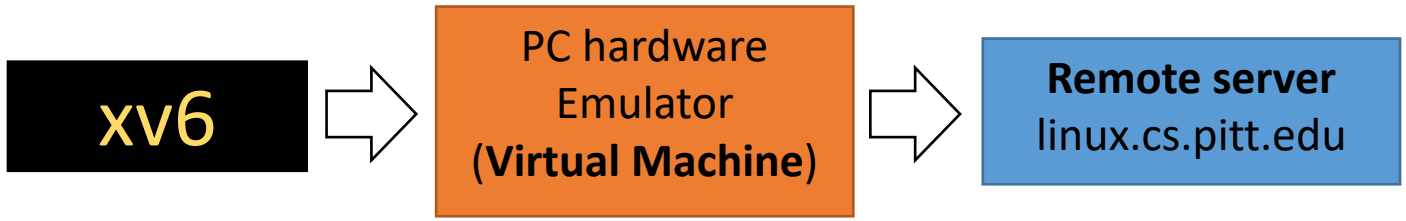

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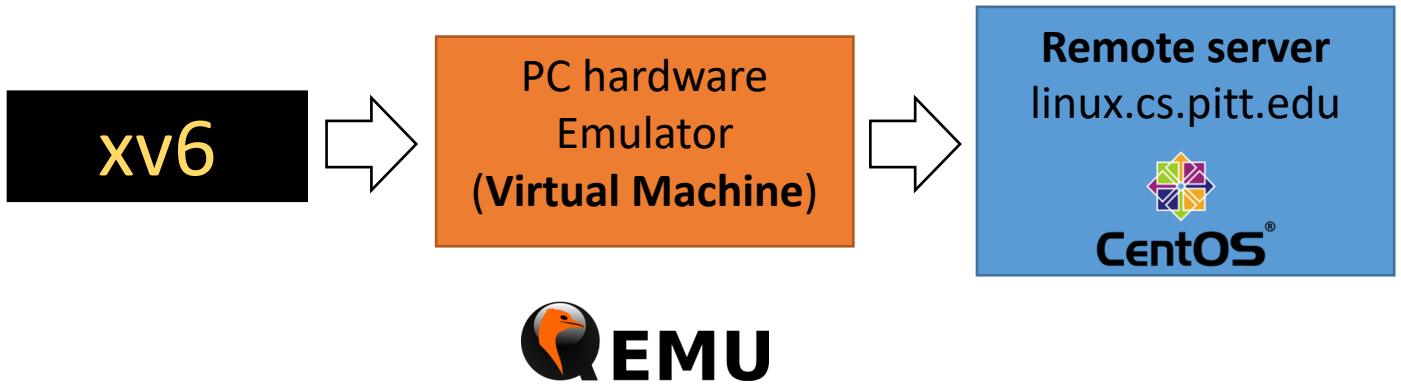

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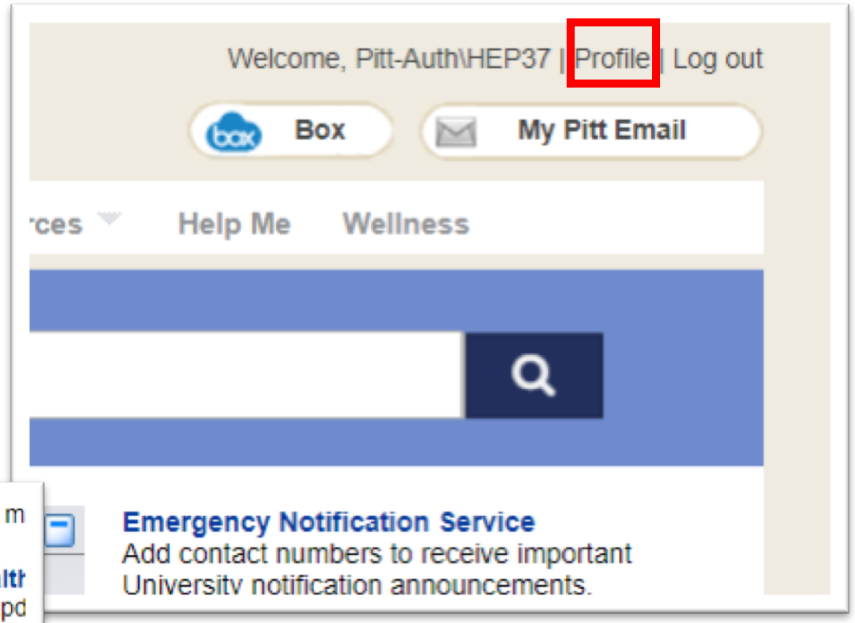

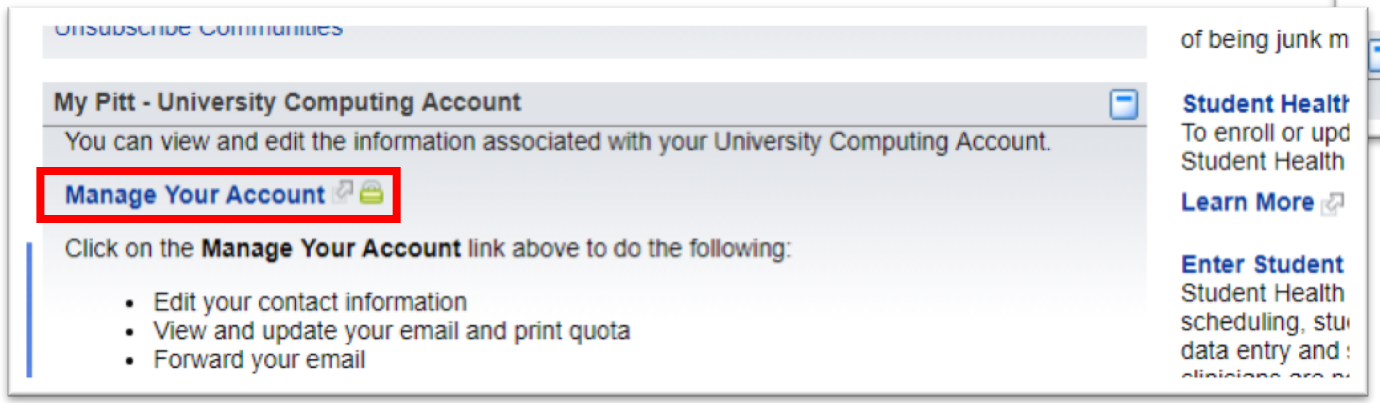

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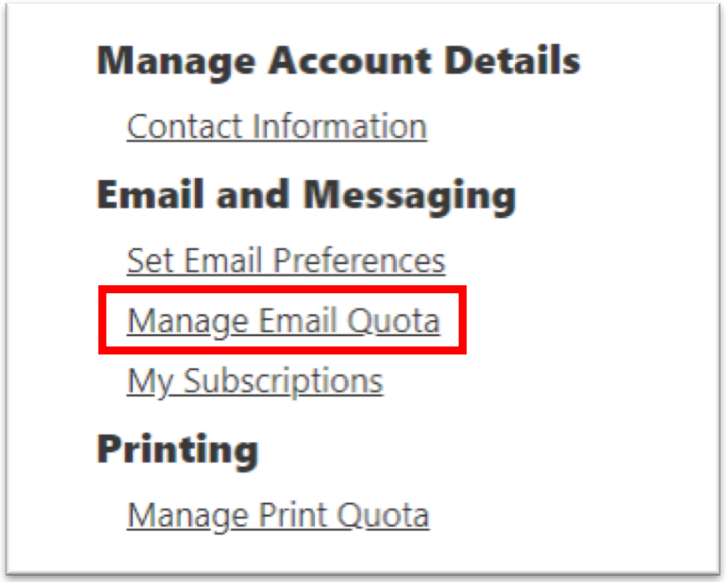

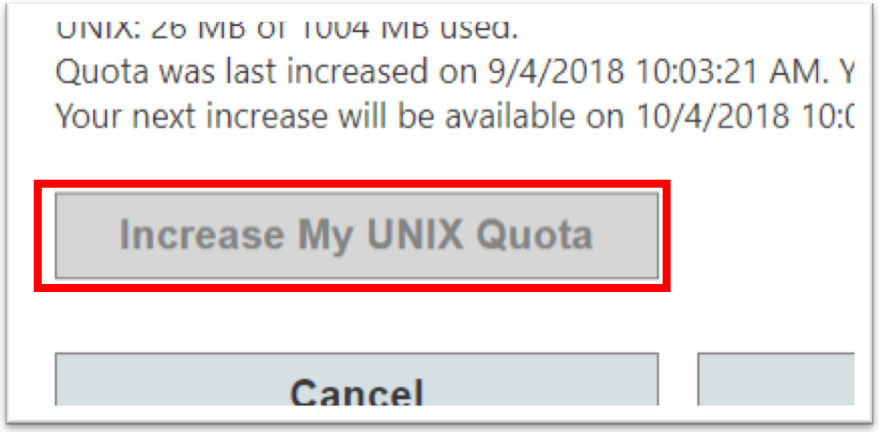

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- Log in to linux.cs.pitt.edu
  - **ssh** user_name**@linux.cs.pitt.edu**

- Use Terminal(MacOS/Ubuntu)
- Use Putty/Powershell (Windows)

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- Download the xv6 source code from github
  - **git clone git://github.com/mit-pdos/xv6-public.git**

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- Got into the cloned xv6 source code folder
  - **cd xv6-public**

- Compile and run the code with
  - **make qemu-nox**

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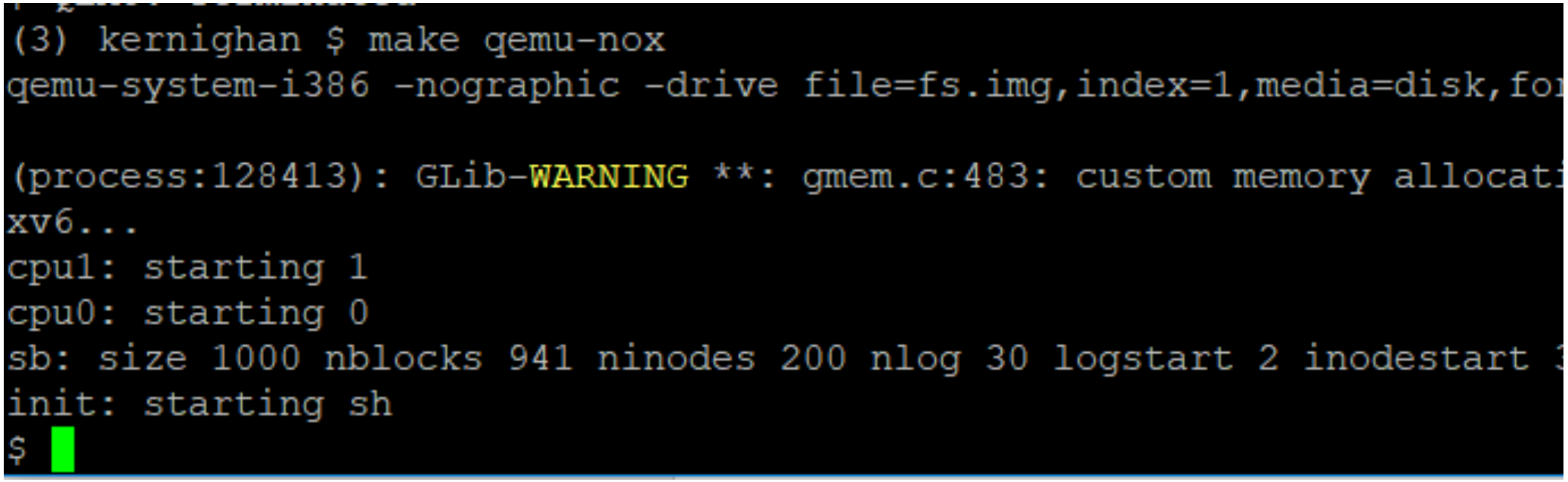
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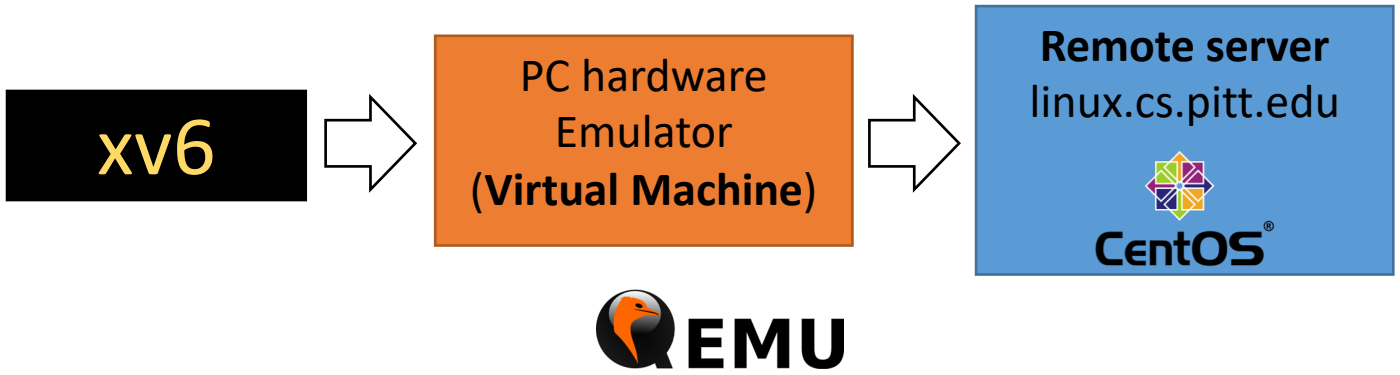

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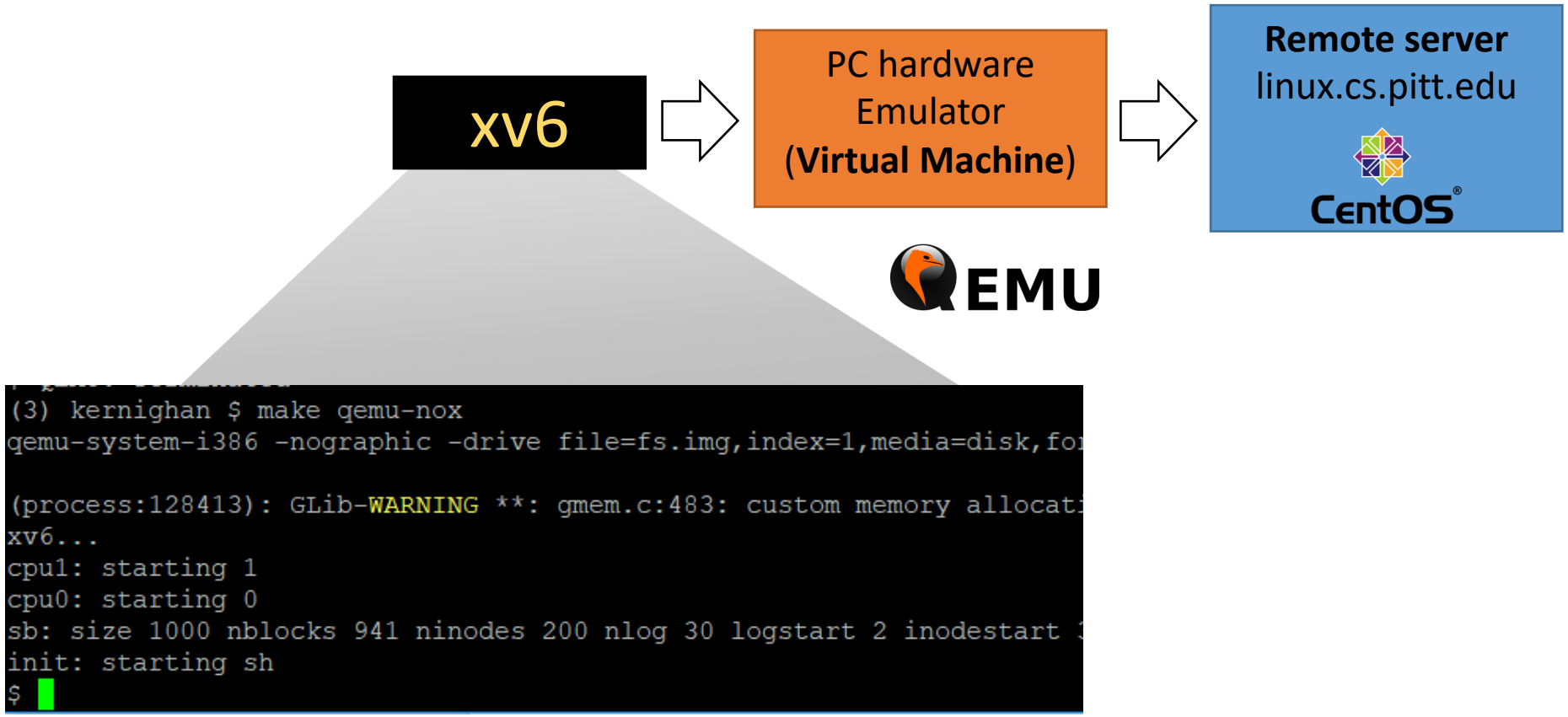

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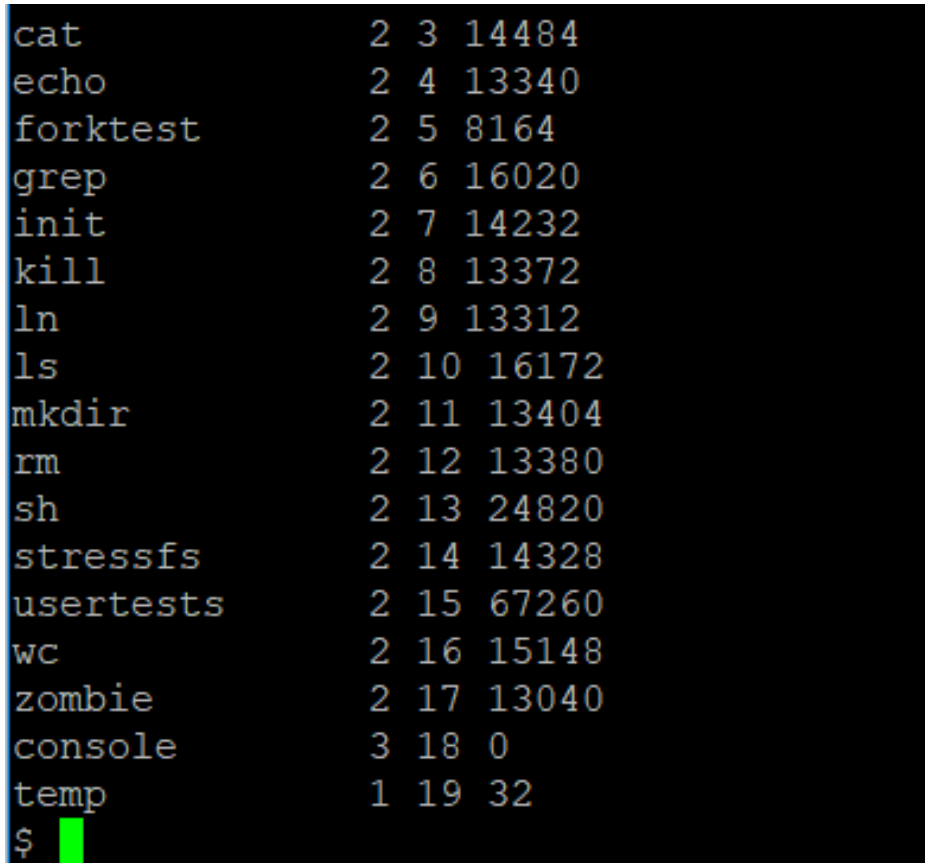
- Once in xv6 you can call **ls**



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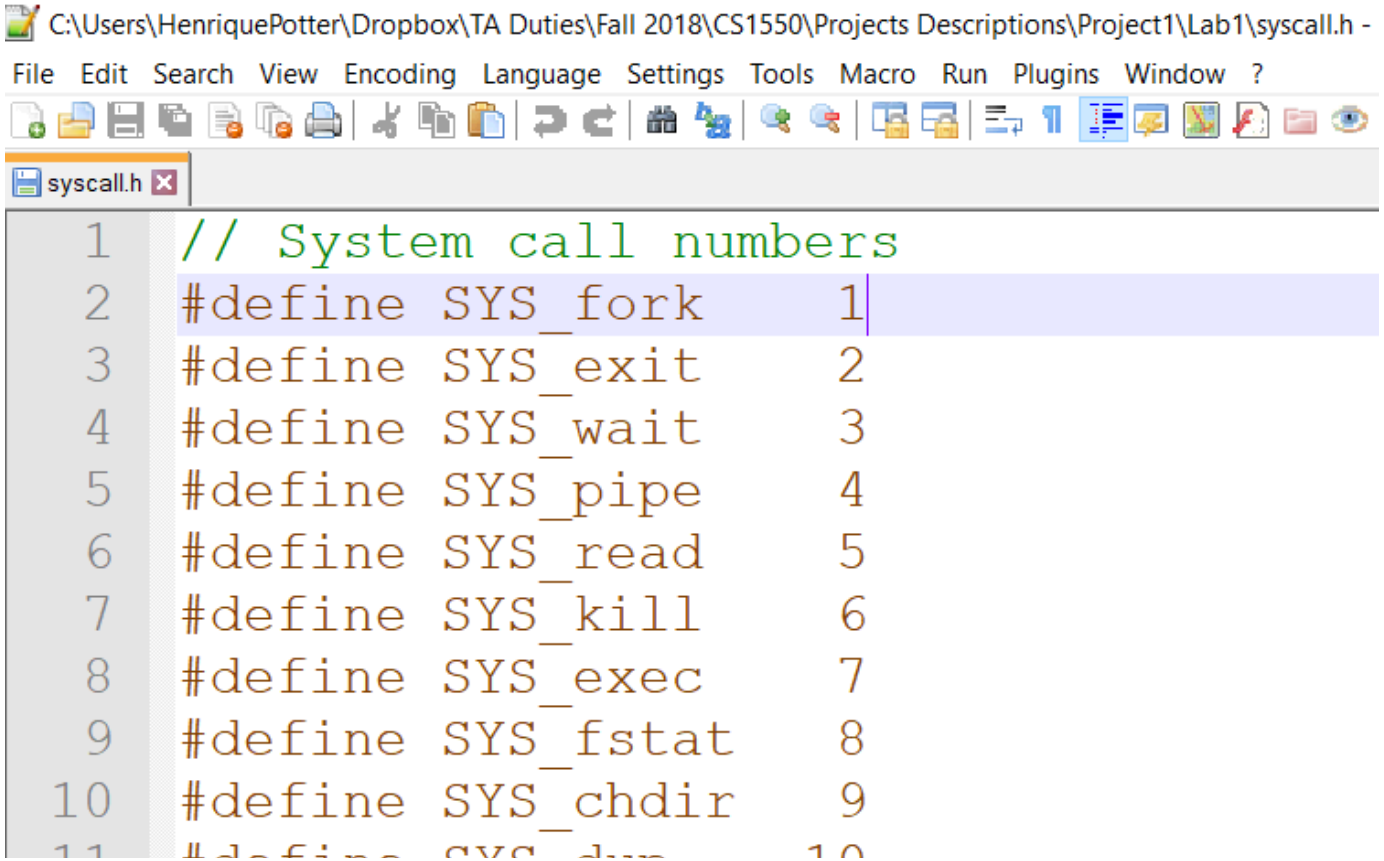

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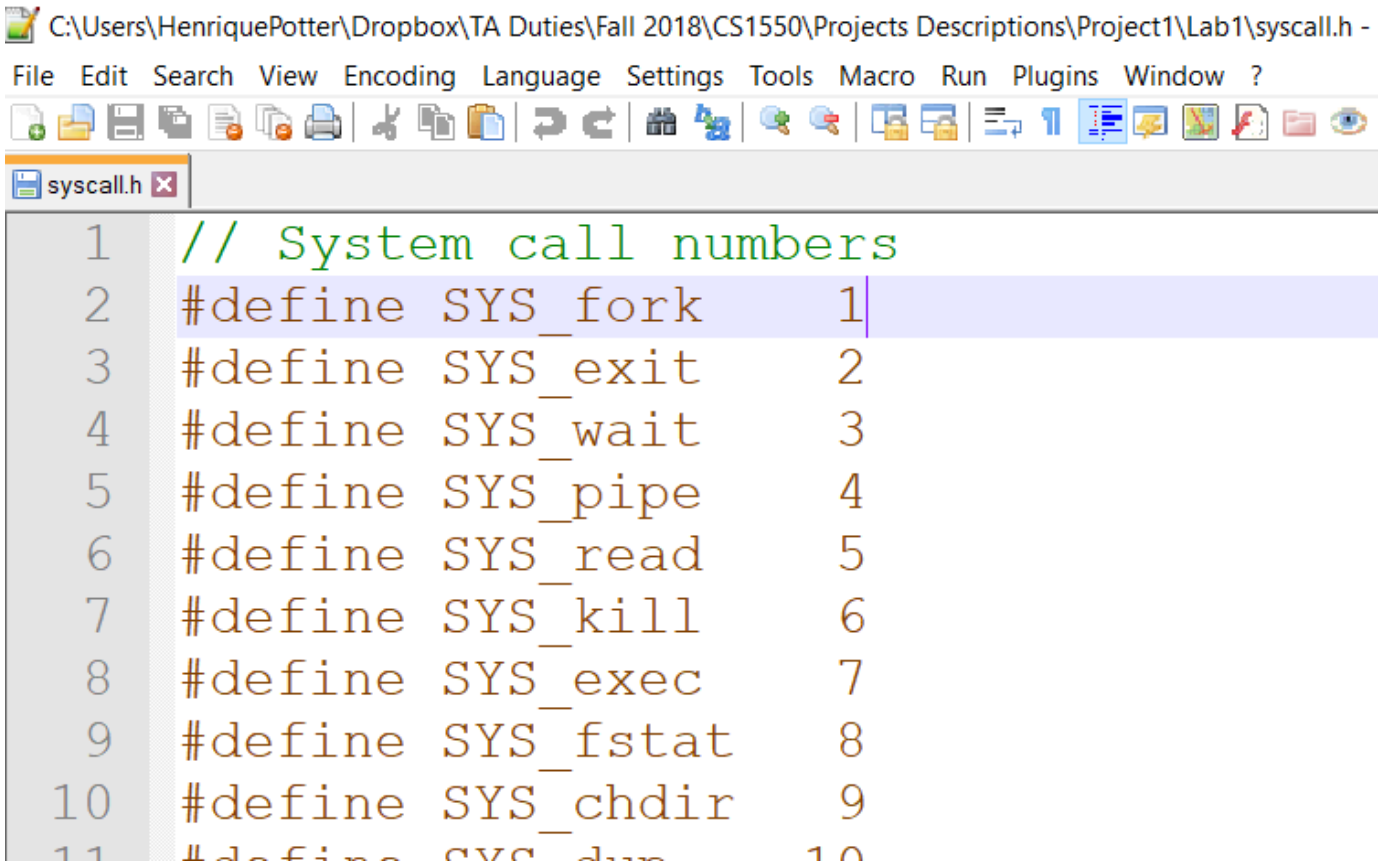

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- Next we need to map the new call in the array pointer of system calls
  - **syscall.c**

- Add
  - extern int sys_getday(void);
  - [SYS_getday] sys_getday,

```
85  extern int sys_chdir(void);
86  extern int sys_close(void);
87  extern int sys_dup(void);
88  extern int sys_exec(void);
89  extern int sys_exit(void);
90  extern int sys_fork(void);
91  extern int sys_fstat(void);
92  extern int sys_getpid(void);
93  extern int sys_kill(void);
94  extern int sys_link(void);
95  extern int sys_mkdir(void);
96  extern int sys_mknod(void);
97  extern int sys_open(void);
98  extern int sys_pipe(void);
99  extern int sys_read(void);
100 extern int sys_sbrk(void);
101 extern int sys_sleep(void);
102 extern int sys_unlink(void);
103 extern int sys_wait(void);
104 extern int sys_write(void);
105 extern int sys_uptime(void);
106
107 static int (*syscalls[])(void) = {
108   [SYS_fork]    sys_fork,
109   [SYS_exit]    sys_exit,
110   [SYS_wait]    sys_wait,
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4  #include "date.h"
5  #include "param.h"
6  #include "memlayout.h"
7  #include "mmu.h"
8  #include "proc.h"
9
10 int
11 sys_fork(void)
12 {
13   return fork();
14 }
15
16 int
17 sys_exit(void)
18 {
19   exit();
20   return 0;  // not reached
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- Afterwards we define the interface for user programs to call
  - Open usys.S

- Add
  - SYSCALL(getday)

```
1  #include "syscall.h"
2  #include "traps.h"
3
4  #define SYSCALL(name) \
5    .globl name; \
6    name: \
7      movl $SYS_ ## name, %eax; \
8      int $T_SYSCALL; \
9      ret
10
11 SYSCALL(fork)
12 SYSCALL(exit)
13 SYSCALL(wait)
14 SYSCALL(pipe)
15 SYSCALL(read)
16 SYSCALL(write)
17 SYSCALL(close)
18 SYSCALL(kill)
19 SYSCALL(exec)
20 SYSCALL(open)
21 SYSCALL(mknod)
22 SYSCALL(unlink)
```

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- Finally we open
  - user.h
- Add
  - int getday(void);

```
1  struct stat;
2  struct rtcdate;
3
4  // system calls
5  int fork(void);
6  int exit(void) __attribute__((noreturn));
7  int wait(void);
8  int pipe(int*);
9  int write(int, void*, int);
10 int read(int, void*, int);
11 int close(int);
12 int kill(int);
13 int exec(char*, char**);
14 int open(char*, int);
15 int mknod(char*, short, short);
16 int unlink(char*);
17 int fstat(int fd, struct stat*);
18 int link(char*, char*);
19 int mkdir(char*);
20 int chdir(char*);
21 int dup(int);
22 int getpid(void);
23 char* sbrk(int);
24 int sleep(int);
```

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- Example user program
  - todays_date.c

```
#include "types.h"
#include "stat.h"
#include "user.h"

int main(void) {
        printf(1, "Today is %d\n", getday());
        exit();
}
```

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- Adding an user program
  - Open Makefile
- Add
  - _todays_date\