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Thread: [Console Window in Code Blocks on Linux Keeps Closing](#)

Kovaska - December 4, 2017, 2:19 pm

Everything was working fine when I was on Windows. I'm using codeblocks on linux now and the console window opens for less than a second. I'm using a basic hello world program just as an example. I added `std::cin.get();` and it still isn't working. I even looked at the settings and it says it is supposed to stay open when the program runs.

Code `#include <iostream>`

```
int main()
{
    std::cout << "Hello world!" << std::endl;

    std::cin.get();

    return 0;

}
```

Mouse? - December 4, 2017, 2:29 pm

`return 0;` exits the main function.

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is never ran.

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(Dec 4, 2017 03:29 PM)Mouse? Wrote: [\[CITE\]](#) `return 0;` exits the main function.

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is never ran.

That was a sloppy mistake on my part in writing this post. This is what I actually meant.

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{
    std::cout << "Hello world!" << std::endl;

    std::cin.get();

    return 0;

}
```

Hoodie+ - *December 5, 2017, 1:24 pm*

It shouldn't be closing by default.

Make sure subsystem or project is set to console and not empty or GUI.