

Python Delete File

Delete a File

To delete a file, you must import the OS module, and run its `os.remove()` function:

Example

Remove the file "demofile.txt":

```
import os

os.remove("demofile.txt")
```

Check if File exist:

To avoid getting an error, you might want to check if the file exists before you try to delete it:

Example

Check if file exists, *then* delete it:

```
import os

if os.path.exists("demofile.txt"):

    os.remove("demofile.txt")

else:

    print("The file does not exist")
```

Delete Folder

To delete an entire folder, use the `os.rmdir()` method:

Example

Remove the folder "myfolder":

```
import os
```

```
os.rmdir("myfolder")
```

Note: You can only remove *empty* folders.