The Linux Folder Map

Where things live

Folder	What is inside
`/`	the root: the top of everything
`/home`	personal files, one folder per user (~ means yours)
`/etc`	system settings files
`/usr`	programs and shared files
`/bin`	essential commands
`/var`	logs and data that changes
`/tmp`	temporary files
`/dev`	devices, such as disks
`/media`	where USB drives appear
`/boot`	files used to start the computer

Tip: Your own files are in /home. Leave the other folders alone until you know what they do.

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