Subject: Re: Weird Parent->Child->Child screens help
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You don't need to modify std.list1.inc to call your helper function instead of getData(). You can use a special class which inherits from 'std.table.class.inc' even though it does not do any database access. Take a look at http://www.tonymarston.net/php-mysql/infrastructure-faq.html #faq57 which describes the use of a virtual table - a class which has no corresponding database table. This describes a task which is available in the Classroom prototype, so you have some working code to examine which you can use to build your own task.

The getData() will by default try to access the database, but after receiving data from the parent class you can turn off the database read and do something else instead. You can even construct the string which is then passed down to the next table class.