Ruby - Feature #5552

Array#ljust, Array#rjust

11/03/2011 03:27 AM - sawa (Tsuyoshi Sawada)

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Description

I propose the following methods Array#ljust(length [, pad]), Array#rjust(length [, pad]), whose behaviour is analogous to String#ljust(length [, padstr]), String#rjust(length [, padstr]).

```
[:a, :b, :c].ljust(2) #=> [:a, :b, :c]
[:a, :b, :c].ljust(5) #=> [:a, :b, :c, nil, nil]
[:a, :b, :c].ljust(5, :x) #=> [:a, :b, :c, :x, :x]
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History

#1 - 11/03/2011 06:02 PM - sawa (Tsuyoshi Sawada)

And also Array#center analogous to String#center as well.

#2 - 11/03/2011 07:36 PM - matz (Yukihiro Matsumoto)

- Status changed from Open to Feedback

#3 - 11/06/2011 05:02 PM - trans (Thomas Sawyer)

If you know pad length is greater than the array length then:

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[:a,:b,:c].insert(5, nil)
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Not sure about "rjust" though. I suppose there is always:

a.unshift(nil) until a.size == 5

Though that seems fairly inefficient.

#4 - 10/27/2012 11:55 PM - yhara (Yutaka HARA)

- Status changed from Feedback to Rejected

Hi,

I'm closing this ticket because of no feedback. Please reopen if you still need these methods.

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