DIGITAL INTERFACES-GENERAL REFLECTION

Since I had already had a course in coding last year, I was looking to move to Javascript in this course almost immediately. However I realized my lack of practice had left me almost completely new to html and css, and there was no way I could move forward at that point. So in the midst of all this confusion, I decided not to work with the advanced group of students out of fear of utter and complete failure. I played it safe and remained with the newcomers.

And so the first two weeks of the course were considerably slow for me, more of a revisit than a new learning. The days sort of dragged on as I tried to figure things out on my own, while still staying at the same pace as the class (a bit too slow for me). Most of the tasks seemingly easy didn’t take me too long to achieve. I tried different elements such as hover before they were introduced in class, and just explored w3schools a little more.

Week 3 finally was a nice change since we started with JS. And though what we did was extremely basic, and we could’ve covered a bit more in that class I was happy to be finally learning something brand new. I left class that day so happy! I had tried to just go through the JS page of w3schools earlier and couldn’t get past even the first thing on that page, as it seemed so complicated. This class really helped clear out the first few, starting doubts about JS and it’s syntax. It felt like a very in-depth understanding of how JS functions and how to use it. The next day going back to css, was disappointing at first but as we began working I discovered this whole new part of css that I had never used seen before. Learning all these animations (with their limitations) was great and I can’t wait to use it!