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Week 2

Interactive Design

Div and Span Tags

“Class” Attribute

Intro to CSS

Download the AR589 starter!

github.com/AR589/starter

A Bit More HTML

HTML Elements: div & span

Non-semantic elements.

<div> is a block element. is an inline element.

```
<div>
  <h1>Dog Care and Maintenance</h1>
  <p>
    The <span>ultimate</span>
    guide to cuddling doggos.
  </p>
</div>
```

The HTML Class Attribute

Any HTML element can have the class attribute.

```
<div class="header">
  <h1>Dog Care and Maintenance</h1>
  <p>
    The <span class="highlight">ultimate
    </span> guide to cuddling doggos.
  </p>
</div>
```

Adding Style

What is CSS?

- “Cascading Style Sheets”
- CSS is the language used to describe the style and layout of web pages.
- Your CSS files contain rules for the browser to follow.
- Files end in “.css”
- CSS files are “linked” in the head of your HTML document.

The link element

Use the link tag in the head of your HTML document to pull in your CSS

```
<html>
  <head>
    <link rel="stylesheet" href="style.css" />
  </head>
  <body>...</body>
</html>
```


Remember our Example HTML

```
<div class="header">  
  <h1>Dog Care and Maintenance</h1>  
  <p>  
    The <span class="highlight">ultimate  
    </span> guide to cuddling doggos.  
  </p>  
</div>
```

CSS Declaration Syntax

A declaration targets an HTML element and includes a code block of rules.

Rules are key value pairs that end with a semicolon.

Comments are a different from HTML.

```
/* CSS Comment */  
h1 {  
    color: red;  
    font-size: 20px;  
    text-transform: uppercase;  
}
```

The CSS Class Selector

Preceding a word with a period “.” tells the browser to look for HTML elements with a class of that name.

```
.header {  
    background: black;  
    color: white;  
    padding: 50px;  
}  
.highlight {  
    background: yellow;  
    color: black;  
}
```

What can you do with CSS?

- Typography
- Layout
- Backgrounds
- Positioning
- Animation

CSS Units of Measure

```
div {  
    height: 250px;    /* Pixels */  
    width: 100%;      /* Percentage */  
    height: 50vh;     /* Viewport Height */  
    width: 50vw;       /* Viewport Width */  
    font-size: 2rem;   /* Root Em */  
}
```

CSS Color

```
div {  
    color: blue;           /* CSS Keyword */  
    color: #0b24fb;        /* Hex Value */  
    color: rgba(11, 36, 251, 1); /* RGBa */  
    color: hsla(234, 97%, 51%, 1); /* HSLa */  
}
```

The Display Property

```
.myElement {  
  display: none;  
  display: block;  
  display: inline;  
  display: inline-block;  
  display: flex;  
  display: grid;  
}
```

Layout with CSS

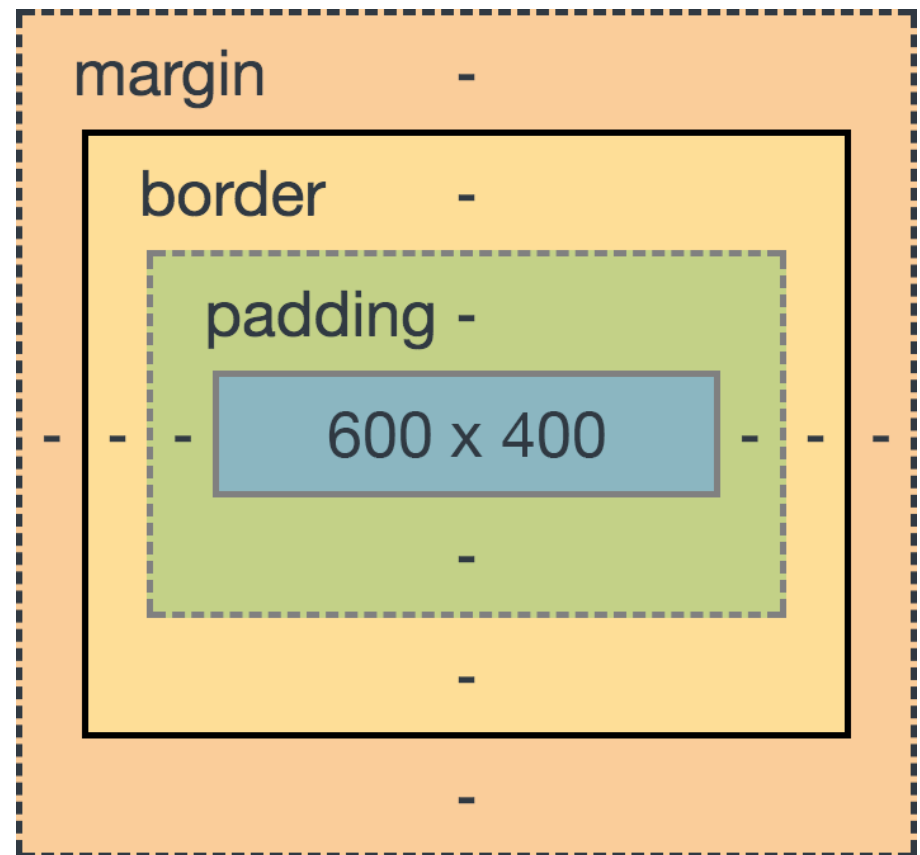
The CSS Box Model

css-tricks.com/the-css-box-model

Every element on the screen is rendered as a box.

The **Box Model** is how browsers figure out the size of each element.

The way it measures space is a little weird by default.



CSS Grid

css-tricks.com/snippets/css/complete-guide-grid

```
.myElement {  
  display: grid;  
  grid-template-columns: 1fr 2fr;  
  grid-gap: 20px;  
}
```

Understanding ~~Developer~~ Designer Tools

Open up Firefox

Homework

Read

developer.mozilla.org/en-US/docs/Learn/CSS

Watch

cssgrid.io

Challenge 2

Improve your Recipe

Add divs and classes to your HTML and use CSS to create a grid layout, preferably with Grid.

Tip: use the resources on ar589.github.io