# Intro to CSS Reference Sheet

#### **CSS Rule**

```
selector {
  property: value;
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  property: value; ← Pair is called a "declaration"
}
```

## Linking your HTML page to your CSS file

Insert the following text into your html <head> tag. Be sure to change the filename.

```
<link href="yourfile.css" rel="stylesheet">
```

#### **Selectors**

Element or type selectors select all of a type of element (such as img, p, or strong).

Class selectors select all the elements with matching class attributes (.class).

ID selectors select the one element with a matching ID attribute (#id).

## **Psuedo-classes Syntax**

```
selector:pseudo-class {
  property: value;
}
```

## **CSS Property Reference**

```
color: blue; ← Changes (text) color. Can be color name (grey), hex (#424242)
                 or RGB value (rgb (42, 42, 42))
width: 30px; ← Size can be pixels (px), percent (%), or ems (em)
height: 80%;
font-style: italic;
font-weight: bold;
font-size: 20pt;
font-family: "Helvetica Neue", Arial, sans-serif;
font: italic bold 10px sans-serif;
background-color: #551A8B;
text-align: center;
border: 1px solid black;
a:link
a:visited
                     Selectors used for styling different link states.
a:hover, a:focus
a:active
text-decoration: none;
/* CSS Comments! */
```

### **Google Fonts**

- 1. Head to http://www.google.com/fonts
- 2. Select a font ("Add to collection").
- 3. Add the html link to your <head> element.
- 4. Call the font with the CSS property font-family:
   body { font-family: "Merriweather", serif; }

## Reminders

- White space is only for humans!
- Use all lowercase for tags, classes, ids, and file names .
- Save your css files as '.css'.
- Nest your elements with indented space.

