



Web Developer Roadmap [Advanced]

12 Week Plan Overview

Things You Will Learn In This 12 Weeks

- Advanced HTML and CSS
- JavaScript deep dive
- ReactJS Fundamentals
- TypeScript
- Advanced Web Development Concepts
- Algorithms and Data Structures Fundamentals
- Git power user
- Interview Prep

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12 Week Plan Details

Week 1

- HTML
 - Refresh the tags
 - HTML, Body, Head, Nav
 - Div, P, Section, Span
 - Anchor, Images
 - Lists, Tables
 - What is DOM
 - How does DOM work
 - What is DOM hierarchy
- CSS
 - Box-model
 - Selectors - Id, Class, Element-tag
 - Properties - Color, Background-color, Border
 - Properties - Margin, Padding
 - Decoupling CSS and HTML
 - What and Why CDN
- JavaScript
 - Primitive data types - Numbers, Boolean, String, etc
 - Complex data types - Array, Objects
 - Variables - var, let, const
 - What is the difference between them
 - When to use which type of declaration
- Exercises
 - Write a function that takes in an array of mixed data types and returns the array in reverse order
 - Implement a clickable image that will take you to your favorite website

Week 2

- HTML
 - Input and Button tags
 - Input types - `text`, `password`, `email`, `etc.`
 - `Submit` type input
 - `Form` element
 - Attributes of form
 - Submit/Post form
 - Attributes vs Properties
 - When to use Attributes vs Properties
 - Builtin and Custom attributes
 - Web storage, local storage, session storage
 - Difference between each storage type
 - Use cases for each storage type
- CSS
 - Parents, siblings, and other selectors
 - Play around with each type of selectors
 - Grab sibling selector
 - Grab sibling in only odd or even position
 - Can you select a parent from a child element
 - Pseudo-classes
 - And pseudo-elements
 - What and why do we use them?
 - CSS Gradients
 - Create beautiful backgrounds using gradients
 - Create beautiful buttons, hero components using gradients
- JavaScript
 - `Truthy and Falsy` values
 - List of such values
 - How to check if a variable is truthy or falsy
 - Conditionals - `if`, `else`, `switch`, `ternary`
 - How to write nested ternary
 - Event listeners
 - Create event listeners
 - Remove event listeners
 - Event handling
 - Event bubbling, delegation, propagation
 - What is event bubbling
 - What is event capturing
 - Different between target and currentTarget property
- Chrome Developer Tools
 - Debugging your function using console logs
 - What is JSON
 - `JSON.Stringify`

- Change JavaScript Object to JSON
 - Change JSON to JavaScript Object
- Exercises
 - Create a registration form that will take username, password, email, telephone number
 - Hide an element on a click event anywhere outside of the element?
 - How to stop events bubbling in pure JavaScript?

Week 3

- HTML
 - Accessibility
 - Unordered Lists
 - Ordered Lists
 - **Form** element
 - Form validation
 - Show/hide errors depending on error states
 - Radio buttons
 - Checkboxes
 - When to use Radio buttons vs When to use Checkboxes
 - What are cookies
 - How does e-commerce sites use cookies
 - How do ads companies use cookies
- CSS
 - Changing CSS with pure JavaScript
 - **Add, remove, and toggle classes** with JavaScript
- JavaScript
 - Loops
 - **for, while**
 - When to use which?
 - Are there any performance differences between them?
 - Arrays and collections
 - When to use arrays?
 - How to traverse arrays?
 - Scoping and Hoisting
 - The **"new"** keyword
 - How to create new objects in JavaScript
 - The **"this"** keyword
 - How is **this** different in JavaScript
 - Examples of how **this** is different depending on the context

- Bind, call, apply
- Chrome Developer Tools
 - Console tab - log, dir, group, table
 - Debugging using console statements
 - Tip and tricks of using dev tools
- Exercises
 - Create a TODO application using list elements and event listeners - pure HTML and JavaScript
 - Add todo item
 - Remove todo item
 - Perform form validation
 - Show/hide message toast-bar depending on the error state
 - Use Checkboxes to mark complete/todo task
 - Use a Radio button to set the priority of the task

Week 4

- CSS
 - Introduction - What and Why Flexbox
 - Flexbox properties
 - `flex-direction`
 - `flex-wrap`
 - `just-content`
 - `align-items`
- Web Development
 - HTTP fundamentals
 - What is HTTP
 - How does internet work?
 - How does browser work?
 - What happens behind the scenes when you visit any site?
 - Search about this on ngninja.com
 - What is DNS
 - How is IP address resolved
 - Difference between IP and Mac address
- JavaScript
 - What are Callback functions
 - Objects and Prototypes
 - What are prototypes?
 - What is prototype chaining?

- Prototypal Inheritance
 - How is this different than Class-based Inheritance?
- Fun with array methods
 - `map, reduce, filter`
- More Fun with array methods
 - `find, concat, reverse`
- Bind, call, apply
 - Difference between them
 - When to use which method
- Function as first-class citizens
 - What do first-class citizens mean?
- Git
 - What and why Git
 - Install Git locally
 - Merging `remote` branch X into your `local` branch Y
 - Deleting a local branch
 - Create a Git repo
 - What are branches
 - Committing, pushing, and pulling changes
 - What are the commands for these operations?
 - What flags do they take
- Exercises
 - Create a navigation bar using Flexbox
 - Create a Git repo with two branches. Commit changes to one of the branches. Merge those commits to the other branch.

Week 5

- CSS
 - `"Initial", "Inherit" and "Unset"` Properties
 - Normalizing and Validating your CSS
 - Why to do it
 - How to do it
 - Difference between `em, rem, px, %`
 - When to use which
 - Media queries
 - Target mobile, tab, and desktop resolutions
 - Writing responsive CSS for all the major platforms
- JavaScript

- Closures
- Composition
- Intervals and Timers
- Async programming
 - Promises, Observables, **async-await**
- Recursion
 - Why to use recursion?
 - Design patterns of recursion
 - Tree data-structure
 - DFS and BFS algorithm using recursion
- ReactJS
 - What is React
 - Why React
 - React vs Vue vs Angular
 - What are SPAs
 - Single Page Applications
 - Why SPAs are better than traditional web apps
- Exercises
 - Create a blog
 - Page for list of all the posts
 - Page for the post
 - Make it responsive for mobile, tablet, and desktop
 - Make the images responsive too
 - Make the navigation bar responsive
 - Show **hamburger** icon with a dropdown for mobile platforms

Week 6

- JavaScript
 - Immutable Data Structures
 - JavaScript as Functional Programming language
 - Currying
- ReactJS
 - Installing ReactJS
 - What is JSX
 - What is a React component
 - Why do you need components
 - Creating your first React App
 - using **create-react-app** utility

- Git
 - Cherry-picking a particular commit
 - Rebasing your branch with the other branch
 - Creating pull requests
 - Squashing multiple commits into one single commit
- Chrome Developer Tools
 - Networks tab - All, XHR, JS
 - Networks tab - Inspect XHR query request
 - Networks tab - Inspect XHR query response
- Exercises
 - Create a react application
 - Create a React component that displays details of a TODO task
 - task name, description, due dates, priority
 - Demonstrate cherry-picking a particular commit
 - Commit changes to branch X
 - Goto branch Y and cherry pick the last commit from branch X and push it to the branch Y

Week 7

- HTML
 - Adding multimedia on webpages
 - Adding videos
 - Adding sounds
 - `<object>` Element
 - Embedding YouTube Videos
- CSS
 - 2D and 3D transformations
 - Animations
 - Keyframes
- JavaScript
 - JavaScript Classes
 - What are classes
 - How is JavaScript class different than other language class like Java
 - Arrow functions
 - Block scope
 - How to achieve block scope for variables
- ReactJS
 - Function Components

- Class components
 - Difference between different component types
- How to reuse components inside other components
- **states and props**
 - What and why state variables
 - What and why prop variables
- Exercises
 - Embed your favorite YouTube video on a webpage
 - Create a bouncing ball that bounces from floor to ceiling forever

Week 8

- HTML
 - Implementing drag and drop using HTML5
- CSS
 - What is Shadow DOM?
 - Why is Shadow DOM important?
- JavaScript
 - The Lexical **this**
 - What is it?
 - How is it different from the regular **this** in JavaScript
 - Spread operator
 - What is it?
 - What are its usecases?
 - Rest operator
 - What is it?
 - What are its usecases?
 - What is destructuring
- ReactJS
 - How to do two-way binding in React
 - Adding styles to your react component
 - External styles
 - Inline styles
 - Object notation styles
- Git
 - Writing good commit messages
 - Format/Standard to follow
 - Why writing good commit messages is important?
 - Commitizen

- Branching strategies
 - Different options available
 - Pros and cons of branching strategies
 - How to manage dev, QA, and production branches
- Exercises
 - Write a function to clone a JavaScript object using ES6+ features
 - Implement drag and drop feature to upload a file by dropping it on a web page
 - Create a React component that displays a list of TODO tasks

Week 9

- HTML
 - HTML5 Web Workers
 - What is a Web Worker?
 - Implementing web worker
 - Does given browser support web worker?
- JavaScript
 - Map + Set + WeakMap + WeakSet
 - What are those?
 - What are the differences between them?
 - When to use which data structure?
 - What is a call stack
 - What is a task queue
 - What is an event loop in JavaScript
- ReactJS
 - Rendering content conditionally
 - Rendering **async** data in your React component
 - Get the data
 - Display it on your React app
 - Suspense react component
 - What does it do?
 - How to use it?
 - Show a loader when you are retrieving the data
- Exercises
 - Given an array which contains duplicate elements write a function which returns an array of unique elements
 - Fetch a data in your React application and use **Suspense** feature to gracefully show the empty state loaders and the data once fetched

Week 10

- ReactJS
 - React hooks
 - What are hooks
 - Why do you need hooks
 - What problem does it solve?
 - Different React hooks - commonly used ones
 - `useState` hook
 - `useEffect` hook
 - `useRef` with React hooks
 - What is Context API
 - How to use it?
 - `useContext` hook
- JavaScript
 - What is Execution Context
 - How does JavaScript code and functions get executed?
 - How does `setTimeout` and `setTimeInterval` work under the hood?
 - All about memory leak
 - What causes memory leaks in JavaScript
 - How to avoid them?
 - How to debug memory leaks?
 - How-to Garbage Collection
 - What is Garbage Collection
 - How does Chrome handle Garbage collection
 - The JavaScript Engine
 - React about the Chrome's V8 JavaScript Engine
- Mini project
 - Build a Tic-tac-toe game with ReactJS
 - Create a border for the tic-tac-toe game
 - Add click-handler that will render X on odd click numbers
 - Add click-handler that will render O on even click numbers
 - At the end reveal the winner in GREEN color -> Even Or Odd

Week 11

- JavaScript
 - Debugging in JS
 - All the tricks to debug JS code
 - How to attach debugger in VSCode
 - What is debounce
 - How to implement it?
 - What are its use cases?
 - What is throttle?
 - How to implement it?
 - What are its usecases?
 - JavaScript good practices
 - JavaScript bad practices
- ReactJS
 - Adding Typescript to your application
 - Why Typescript?
 - What problems does Typescript solve?
- Real-world project 1
 - Random Challenge App For Bored People
 - A button that will randomly suggest from a database of activities, brain-teasers, or simple games
 - Win virtual coins after the user completes the challenge

Week 12

- Real-world project 2
 - Build a clone of Instagram app
 - Use ReactJS framework
 - Use the Instagram public API to fetch the data from
 - Implement the timeline view
 - Implement the profile view
 - Bonus: Solve any one major pain-point that you struggle with when using the Instagram application