

HTML Cheatsheet



Syntax to write an HTML element

Opening Tag

Every element has an opening tag with the name of the element at its start.

<name attr="value">
....children

Closing Tag

A closing tag has the name of the element with a forward slash "/" before it.

</name>

Attribute and its value (optional)

Attributes are like options of an element. Attributes have value.

Children (optional)

Between the opening and closing tags are the children of the element. This can be more elements or just plain text.

<name attr="value"/>

Self-Closing Tag

Some elements that do not have children do not need a closing tag. In this case a forward-slash "/" is added to the element's opening tag to denote a self-closing tag.

Some examples of self-closing elements are:

img, br, hr, meta, input

2 Basic markup of every HTML page

```
<!DOCTYPE html>
<html lang="en">
<head>
....<title>
.....page title here
....</title>
....</head>
....<body>
     page content
     goes here
//...</body>
```

Code Formatting

For good code formatting, remember to indent the children by 2 or 4 spaces.

3 Commonly used HTML elements

```
<h1> ... <h6>
>
<i> <strong>
<a>>
<div>
<span>
lists:
Special formatting
<blook<br/>quote> 
multimedia:
<img /> <video>
<audio>
separators:
<hr /> <br />
```



CSS Cheatsheet

Syntax to write CSS

Selectors

The element(s) on which the style should be applied

Property and its value

This is the actual style to be applied to the element(s)

selectors {property: value;

(3) Selectors and their syntax

Combinators

Basic Selectors elementname .classname

#idname [attr=value] selectorA + selectorB Adjacent sibling selectorA ~ selectorB General sibling parent > child Direct child

parent descendent Descendent

Pseudo Selectors :active :hover

> :visited :focus

3 places to write CSS

(A) Inline styles

```
<element style="property: value;">
```

(B) In the <style> element

```
<head>
....<style>
..... selectors { property: value; }
....</style>
</head>
```

(C) In a dedicated file (style.css) & refer that file via the <link> element

```
<head>
....k rel="stylesheet"
......... href="style.css" />
</head>
```

Common CSS properties (by group)

TEXT:

color font font-family font-size font-weight letter-spacing line-height

text-align text-decoration

text-indent text-transform vertical-align

LIST:

list-style list-style-image list-style-position list-style-type

BACKGROUND:

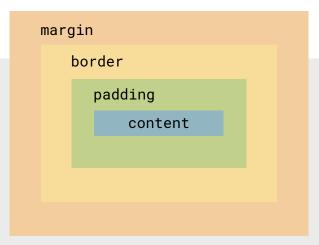
background background-attachment background-color background-image background-position background-repeat

DISPLAY:

display float clear overflow visibility

OTHER:

cursor



BOX: border

border-color border-style border-width height margin padding width box-sizing

POSITION:

position top bottom left right z-index

