

Case Study: Building a Simple Nursery Landing Page in React

Objective

The goal of this case study is to teach beginners how to **structure a React application using components** and style them with CSS.

We will build a **Nursery Landing Page** that has:

- **Header Component** → Displays the nursery name.
- **First Component (Main Content)** → Shows a welcome message, a dropdown for selecting location, and a list of flowers.
- **Footer Component** → Displays copyright.

Project Structure

Your React project will be organized like this:

```
my-nursery-app/  
├── src/  
│   ├── App.js  
│   ├── components/  
│   │   ├── Header.js  
│   │   ├── First.js  
│   │   └── Footer.js  
│   ├── App.css  
│   ├── Header.css  
│   ├── First.css  
│   ├── Footer.css  
│   └── index.js
```

This **separation of components and CSS files** makes the project clean and beginner-friendly.

◆ Step 1: Header Component

- This component is responsible for showing the **title of the nursery application**.
- The heading will be displayed at the top in a **bold, centered style**.
- CSS should include:

- A **dark green background** to give a natural feel.
- **White-colored text** for contrast.
- Padding for spacing.
- Center alignment so the heading looks neat.

◆ Step 2: First Component (Main Content)

This is the most important part where we display the **Nursery Page details**.

It should contain:

1. **Message** → “Creating the Nursery Page” in a bold and colorful heading.
2. **Paragraph** → A welcome message to the nursery landing page.
3. **Dropdown (Location Selection)** → A list of cities such as *Chennai, Bangalore, Mumbai, Delhi*.
 - The dropdown should be styled with padding, margin, and rounded corners.
4. **List of Flowers** → Flowers like *Rose, Lily, Tulip, Sunflower, Jasmine*.
 - The list should use **circle or square bullets**.
 - Each item should be styled in **dark green color** to match the nursery theme.

CSS Implementation Details:

- Give the main container a **light green background** to create a nursery feel.
- Add a **border with rounded corners** for a soft look.
- Center-align all the content for readability.
- Use **different font colors**:
 - Heading → Dark green
 - Paragraph → Grey or black
 - List items → Dark green or bold for emphasis.
- Add spacing (margin and padding) so the content doesn't look cramped.

◆ Step 3: Footer Component

- The footer should display © **2025 My Nursery App | All Rights Reserved**.
- CSS styling for the footer:
 - Use a **dark background** (similar to the header for consistency).
 - Keep the text color **white**.
 - Add padding and center alignment.
 - Place it at the **bottom of the page**.

◆ Step 4: App Component (Combining Everything)

- The `App.js` file should **import and render Header, First, and Footer** in order.
- The layout will look like this:
 - **Header at the top**
 - **First Component (main content) in the middle**
 - **Footer at the bottom**



Final Output

1. Header Section

- A dark green bar with white heading text → “My Nursery Application”.

2. Main Content (First Component)

- A light green background box with:
 - Heading: “Creating the Nursery Page”
 - A short welcome message
 - A dropdown to select a location
 - A flower list (Rose, Lily, Tulip, Sunflower, Jasmine)

3. Footer Section

- A dark bar at the bottom with © 2025 My Nursery App.