

Class 13







#### Overview

Usability/Technical Testing Prep (20 min)

Style Guides/Pattern Libraries (20 min)

Usability/Accessibility/Technical Testing (1 hour 15 minutes)

Pattern Library Assignment (5 min)

Break (5 min)

How Does This Apply to a CMS? (20 min)



## Usability / Technical Testing



## Style Guides / Pattern Libraries

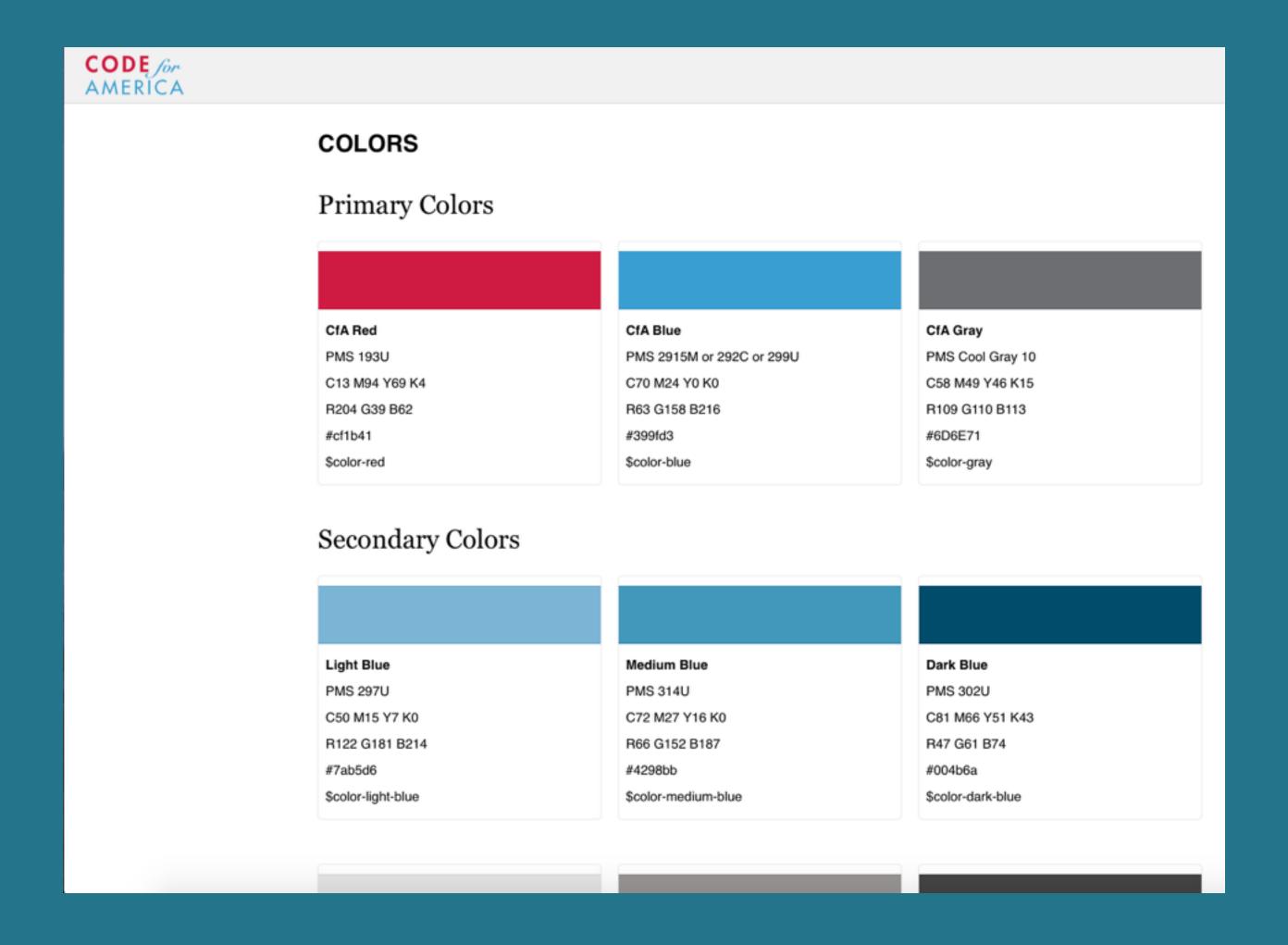


## What Is A Pattern Library?



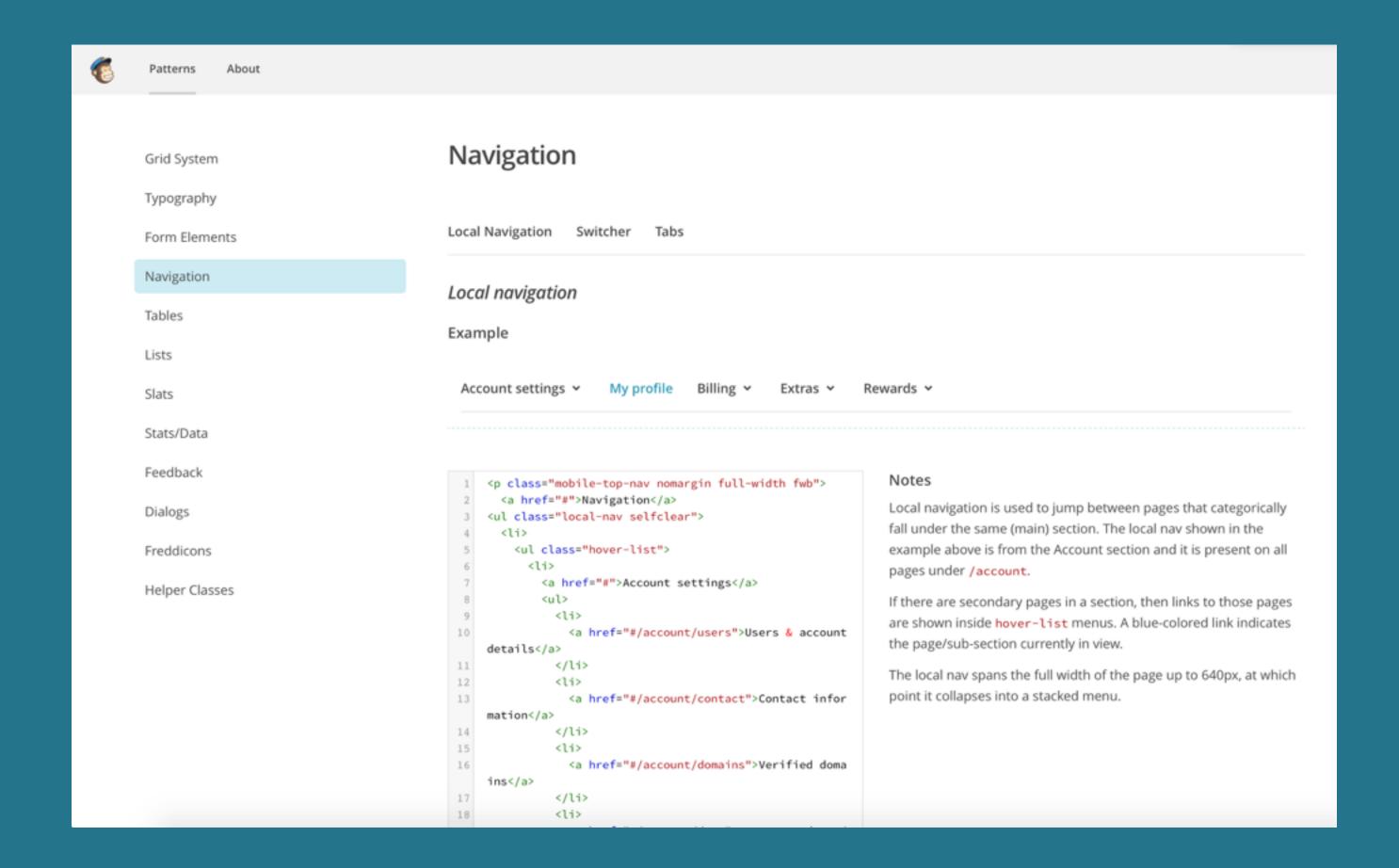
### What's a Style Guide?





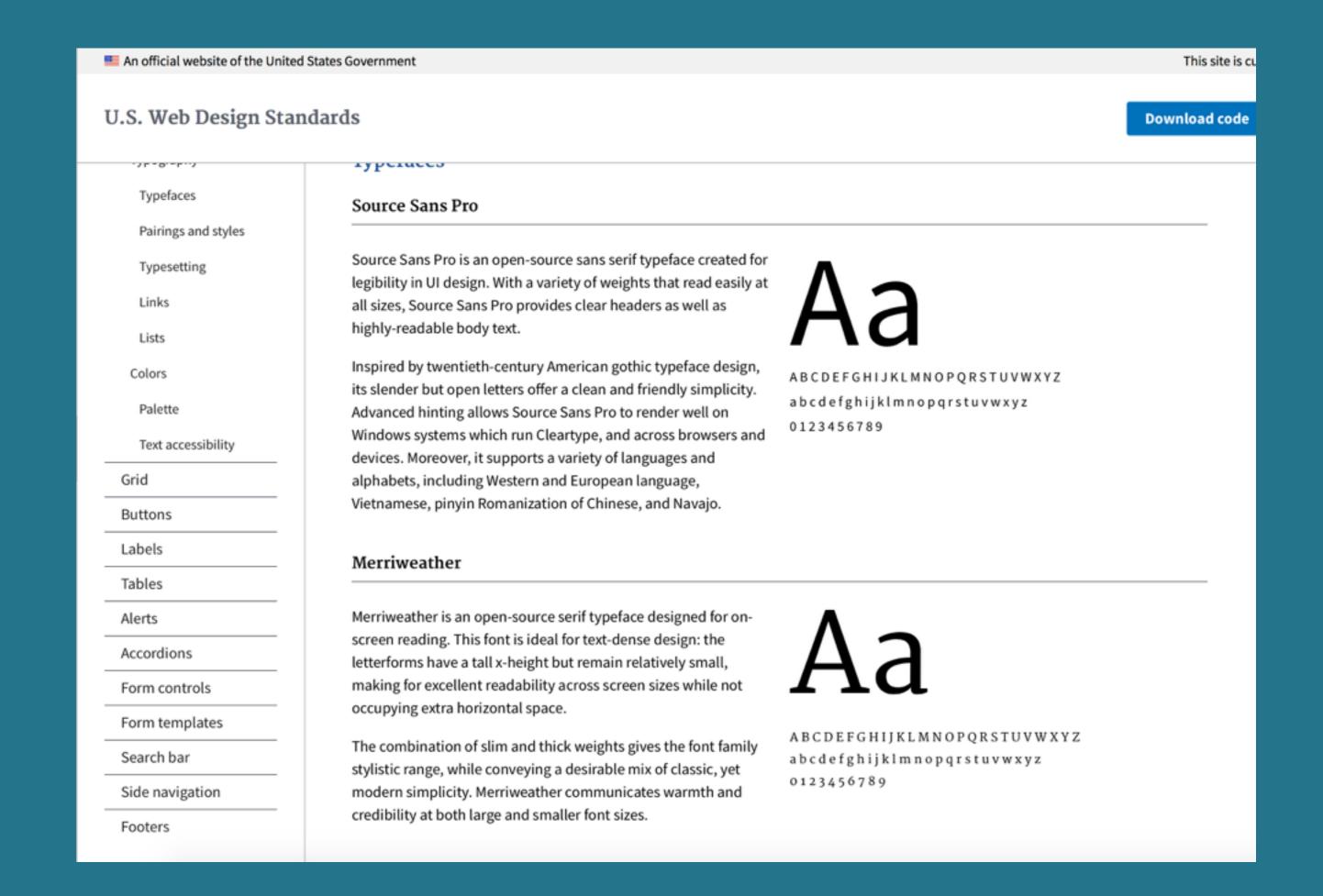
http://style.codeforamerica.org





#### http://ux.mailchimp.com/patterns/





https://playbook.cio.gov/designstandards/visual-style/



# May Also Show Template Variations



### Build for Reuse.



### Must Maintain.



### HTML/CSS Pattern Library Assignment

http://rwdkent.com/class/assignments/styleguide/



### How Does This Apply to Content Management Systems?



### 3 Options for Publishing Website

	Raw HTML	Static Site Generator	Content Management System
Pros	Simplest to do Fast Performance	Fast Performance  Dynamically Created Templates	Very easy to edit (once set up)  Many templates from which to choose
Cons	Must write all templates manually Must know HTML to edit	Must use command line to setup  Must know HTML/CSS to set up	Generally slower performance Require database backend (if custom) A lot of overhead



#### Movable Type

Drupal

Joomla!

### Open-Source

WordPress

Magento



#### SharePoint

ExpressionEngine

Craft

### Proprietary

Cascade

Perch





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#### The Family Dog

BY Zackary Canepari, Drea Cooper Jun. 17, 2015

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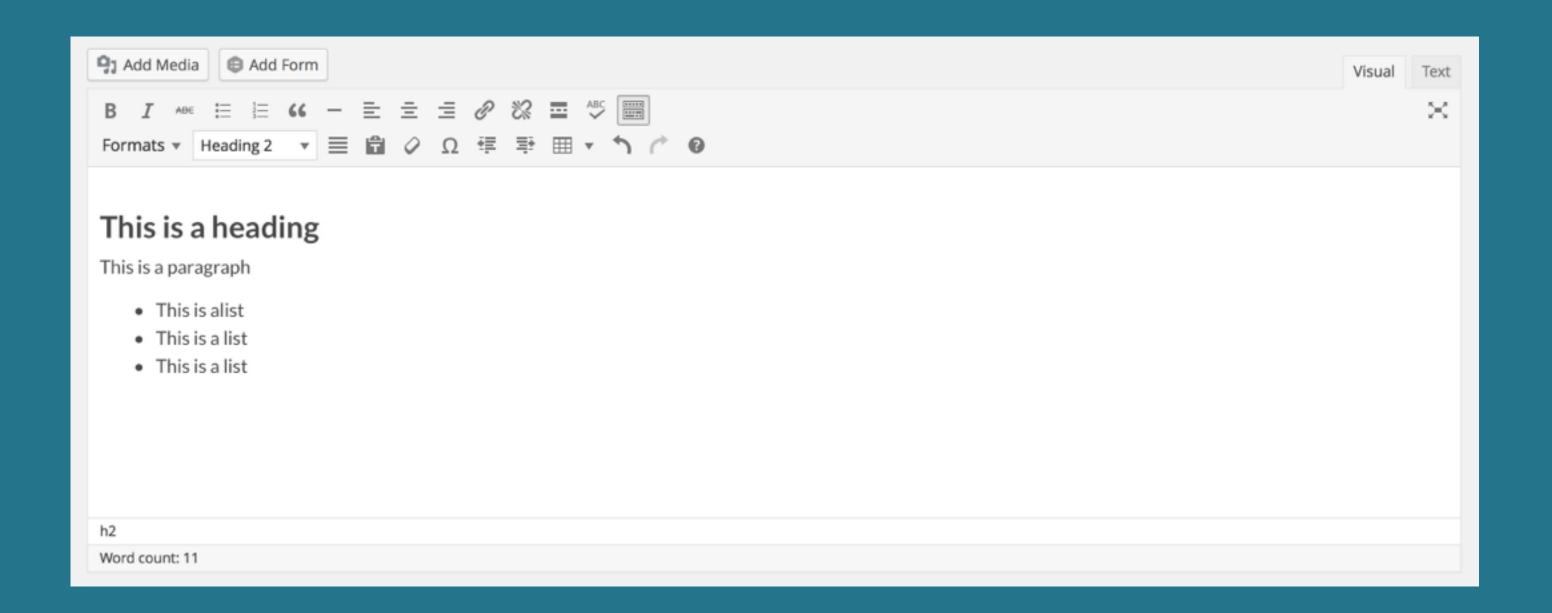
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### How Do You Get Your Content Into HTML/CSS?



### WYSIWYG Editor





### WordPress: Theme

PHP (HTML) Files

CSS Files



## Drupal: Theme

PHP (HTML) Files

CSS Files



## Craft: Template

PHP (HTML/Twig) Files

CSS Files



## Squarespace / WordPress.com, etc.

Closed Source HTML / CSS





#### **DESIGN**

Logo & Title

Template

Style Editor

Checkout Page Style Editor

Lock Screen

Announcement Bar

Mobile Information Bar

Squarespace Badge

Custom CSS

Advanced



#### CUSTOM CSS

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### Questions for Ethan Marcotte





