



## INF3014F: CSS Styling for Home Goods Store Website

### Tutorial 3

Due Date: Friday 10<sup>th</sup> March 2023 @ 23:55 PM.

Total = 30 marks

#### Instructions

In this tutorial, you will use CSS to add style and visual appeal to the Home Goods Store website that you previously created using HTML. Your aim is to create a cohesive and visually pleasing website that appeals to the target audience and meets the website goals.

#### Tasks:

1. Review the existing Home Goods Store website that you created using HTML.
2. Identify areas of the website that could benefit from additional styling using CSS. This might include the navigation menu, product listings, or footer.
3. Create a CSS file and link it to your existing HTML file.
4. Use CSS to style the various elements of the website. This might include changing font styles and colors, adding background images or colors, or adjusting the website's layout.
5. Experiment with different CSS properties and techniques to achieve the desired look and feel for the website.

#### Deliverables:

1. A CSS file containing all of the CSS code you used to style the Home Goods Store website.
2. A revised Home Goods Store website version that incorporates your new CSS styling.

3. A brief write-up explaining your design choices and how they contribute to the website goals and target audience (400 words).

On Windows OS, use Notepad (or Notepad++) to code the web pages and TextEdit for those with MacOS, and use any browser to view and test your web pages. To start, create a new text document on your desktop and rename it to **home.html**. **You can also use other IDEs like Visual Studio, Sublime or VS Code. However, do follow the instructions below when submitting.**

Submit this Tutorial under *Assignments (Tutorial 3)* on Vula.

### **Finished!**

Grading Rubric (Evaluation Criteria):

1. Creativity and originality in design choices.
2. Use of CSS to enhance the website's visual appeal and user-friendliness.
3. Consistency in design throughout the website.
4. Adherence to website goals and target audience
5. Code quality and organization.
6. Clear and concise writing that meets all requirements

**PLEASE NOTE THAT YOU ARE REQUIRED TO USE YOUR OWN DESIGN HENCE THERE ARE NO DESIGN TEMPLATES. MAKE SURE TO BE CREATIVE.**

- Add consistent comments in your code. It helps clarify the purpose and functionality of the code for both yourself and the tutors who will review the code.
- Make sure all HTML files and images should be within one main folder.
- Save your files (i.e., images, etc.) with the correct file extensions, and zip your folder before submission!
- **Zip all files into one folder and submit them on Vula.**

Plagiarism Declaration


### **Disclaimer: AI code generation and completion**

We acknowledge the existence of numerous AI code generation and completion tools that are currently available. However, we strongly advise against using these tools due to their

potential negative impact on the learning experience. These tools tend to diminish the opportunity for individuals to develop their coding skills and problem-solving abilities. Therefore, it is highly recommended to avoid relying on AI code generation and completion tools, especially for those who are just starting to learn how to code. It is crucial to take the time to understand coding concepts and principles and practice writing code from scratch to develop one's coding skills fully.

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A mark of 0 will be given for any submission, including copying from other resources without referencing it.

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#### Additional Resources:

- Mozilla Developer Network (MDN) - [CSS](#): MDN is an excellent resource for learning CSS. Their CSS documentation covers everything from basic syntax to advanced topics like layout, typography, and animations. They also provide interactive code examples and exercises to help students practice what they learn.
- W3Schools - [CSS](#): W3Schools is another popular resource for learning CSS. They offer comprehensive tutorials and references for CSS, as well as interactive code editors that allow students to experiment with code in real-time.
- [CSS Tricks](#): CSS Tricks is a popular website that offers articles, tutorials, and resources on CSS. They cover a wide range of topics, from beginner-level CSS to advanced topics like responsive design and CSS frameworks.

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