

# **CODING 101**Web Development Essentials

HTML, CSS, Javascript



### **Today's Agenda**

- Pseudo-classes & Elements
- CSS Box Model
- Media Queries
- FlexBox

### What are Pseudo-classes?

A **Pseudo-class** is a keyword added to a selector that specifies a special state of the selected element(s). For example, :hover can be used to change a button's background color when the user's pointer hovers over it.

```
Button:hover{
  background-color: #e3e3e3;
  font-weight: bold;
}
```



### Some popular pseudo-classes

SELECTOR	DESCRIPTION
:hover	Selects elements on mouse over
:focus	Selects the input element that has focus
:first-child	Selects every elements that is the first child of its parent
:last-child	Selects every elements that is the last child of its parent
:nth-child(n)	Selects every element that is the n child of its parent

### What are pseudo elements?

A **pseudo-element** is a keyword added to a selector that lets you style a specific part of the selected element(s). For example, **::first-line** can be used to change the font of the first line of a paragraph.

```
p::first-line {
    color: #ff0000;
}

p::first-letter {
    font-size: 2rem;
}
```



### All pseudo elements

SELECTOR	DESCRIPTION
::after	Insert something after the content an element
::before	Insert something before the content an element
::first-letter	Selects the first letter of each  element
::first-line	Selects the first line of each  element
::marker	Selects the markers of list items
::selection	Selects the portion of an element that is selected by a user

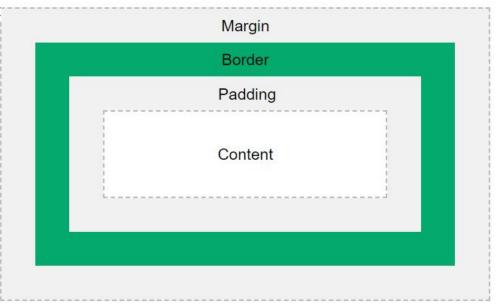
### **CSS Box Model**

When laying out a document, the browser's rendering engine represents each element as a rectangular box according to the standard **CSS basic box model**. CSS determines the size, position, and properties (color, background, border size, etc.) of these boxes.



## The CSS box model is essentially a box that wraps around every HTML element. It consists of: margins, borders, padding, and the actual content.

- Content: The content of the box, where text and images appear
- Padding: Clears an area around the content. The padding is transparent
- Border: A border that goes around the padding and content
- Margin: Clears an area outside the border.
   The margin is transparent



### **Media Queries**

Media queries are useful when you want to modify your site or app depending on a device's general type (such as print vs. screen) or specific characteristics and parameters (such as screen resolution or browser viewport width).

```
@media screen and (max-width: 460px){
   body{
     background-color: #e3e3e3;
   }
}
```



### **CSS FlexBox Module**

The Flexible Box Layout Module, makes it easier to design flexible responsive layout structure without using float or positioning.

To start using the Flexbox model, you need to first define:

- Flex Container
- Flex Items

#### **Flex Container**

The flex container becomes flexible by setting the **display** property to **flex**:

Property	Description
align-content	Modifies the behavior of the flex-wrap property. It is similar to alignitems, but instead of aligning flex items, it aligns flex lines
align-items	Vertically aligns the flex items when the items do not use all available space on the cross-axis
<u>display</u>	Specifies the type of box used for an HTML element
flex-direction	Specifies the direction of the flexible items inside a flex container
flex-flow	A shorthand property for flex-direction and flex-wrap
<u>flex-wrap</u>	Specifies whether the flex items should wrap or not, if there is not enough room for them on one flex line
justify-content	Horizontally aligns the flex items when the items do not use all available space on the main-axis

### Flex Items

The direct child elements of a flex container automatically becomes

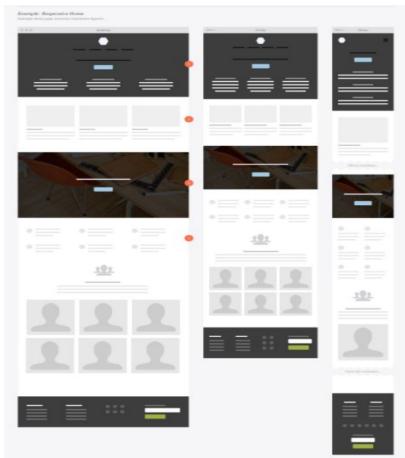
flexible (flex) items.

Property	Description
align-self	Specifies the alignment for a flex item (overrides the flex container's align-items property)
flex	A shorthand property for the flex-grow, flex-shrink, and the flex-basis properties
flex-basis	Specifies the initial length of a flex item
flex-grow	Specifies how much a flex item will grow relative to the rest of the flex items inside the same container
<u>flex-shrink</u>	Specifies how much a flex item will shrink relative to the rest of the flex items inside the same container
<u>order</u>	Specifies the order of the flex items inside the same container



### **Challenge 03**

- Please use this wireframe to create a responsive home-page.
- Feel free to use any icons and images.
- Source here:
   https://dribbble.com/shots/1947750-Respon sive-Website-Wireframe-Kit/attachments/33 7158?mode=media





### Thank you!

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