Hands-on Exercise: Getting Started With CSS
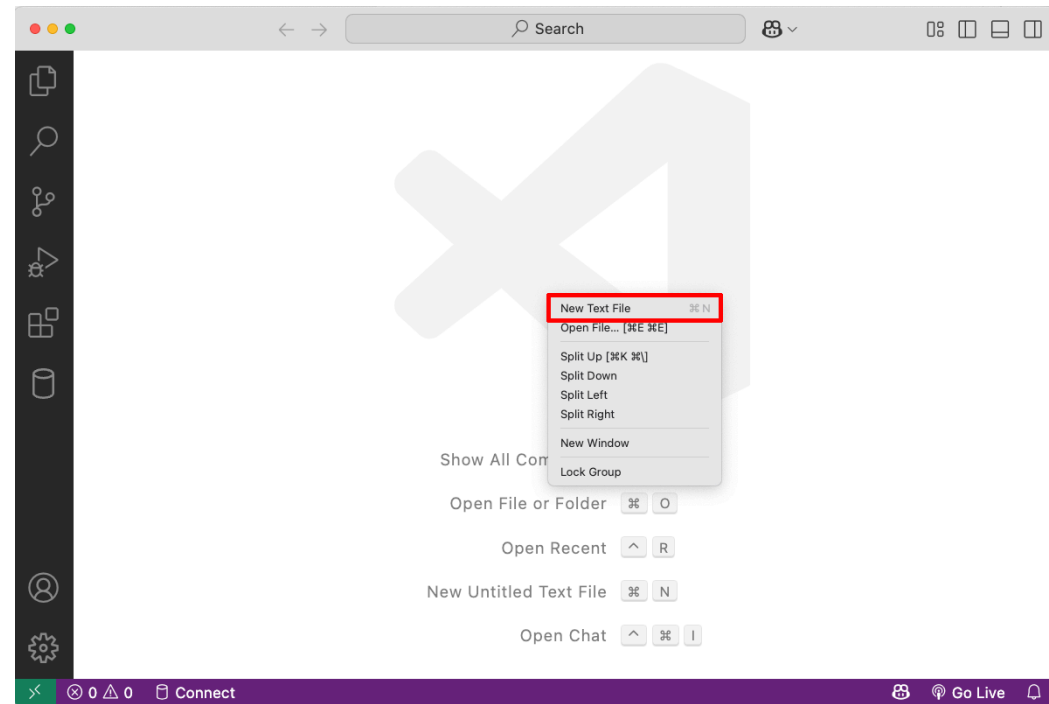
Task 1: Installing Visual Studio Code (VSCode)
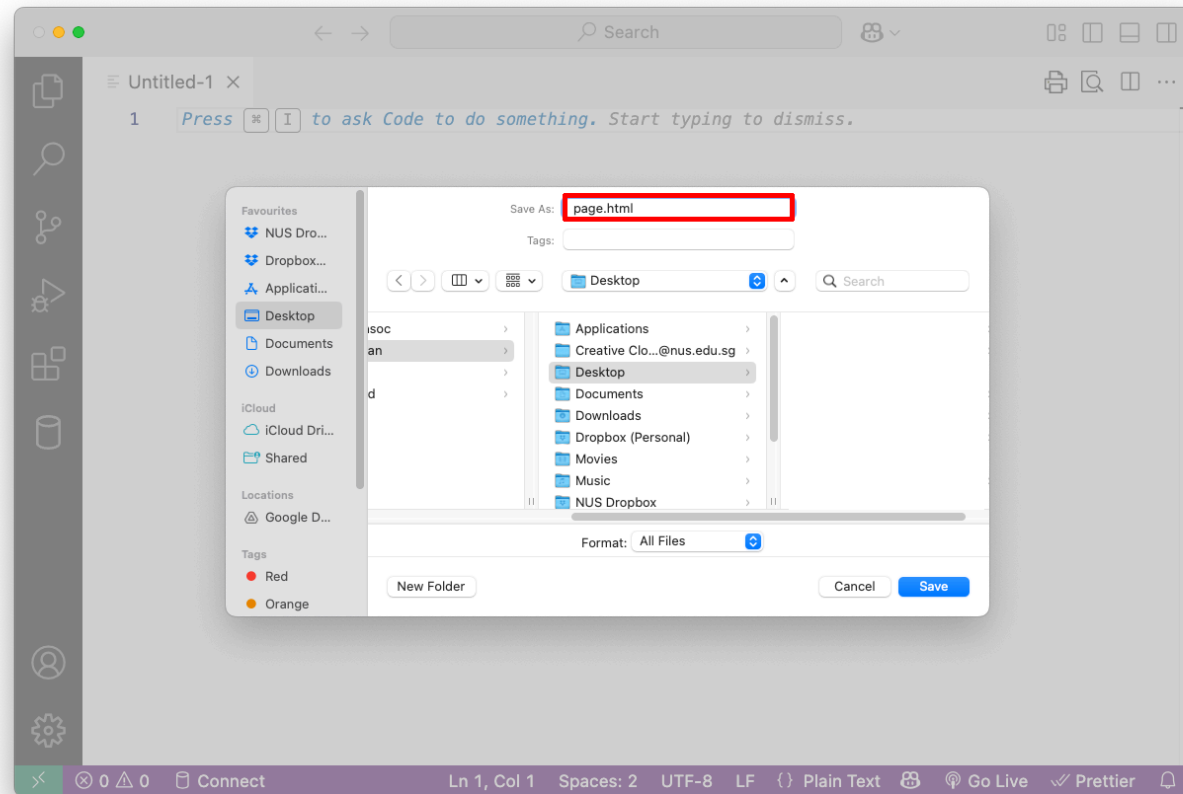

https://code.visualstudio.com/
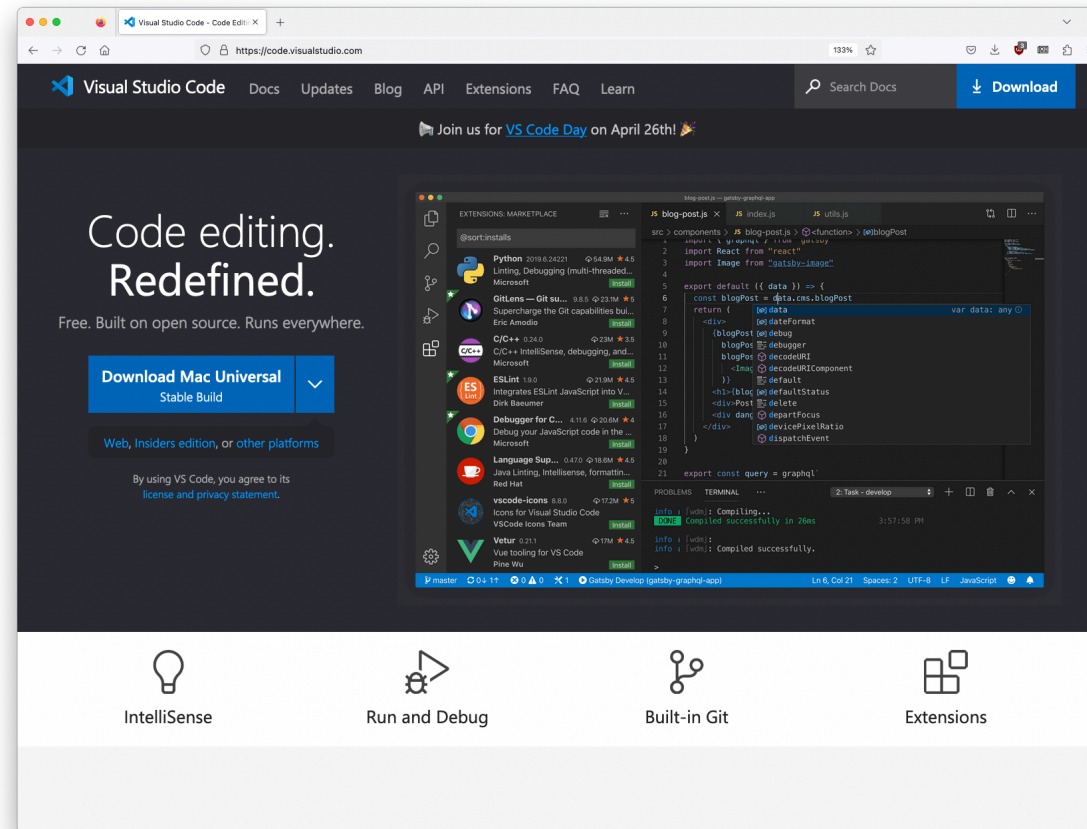
Task 2: Getting A Basic HTML Skeleton

1. Open VSCode
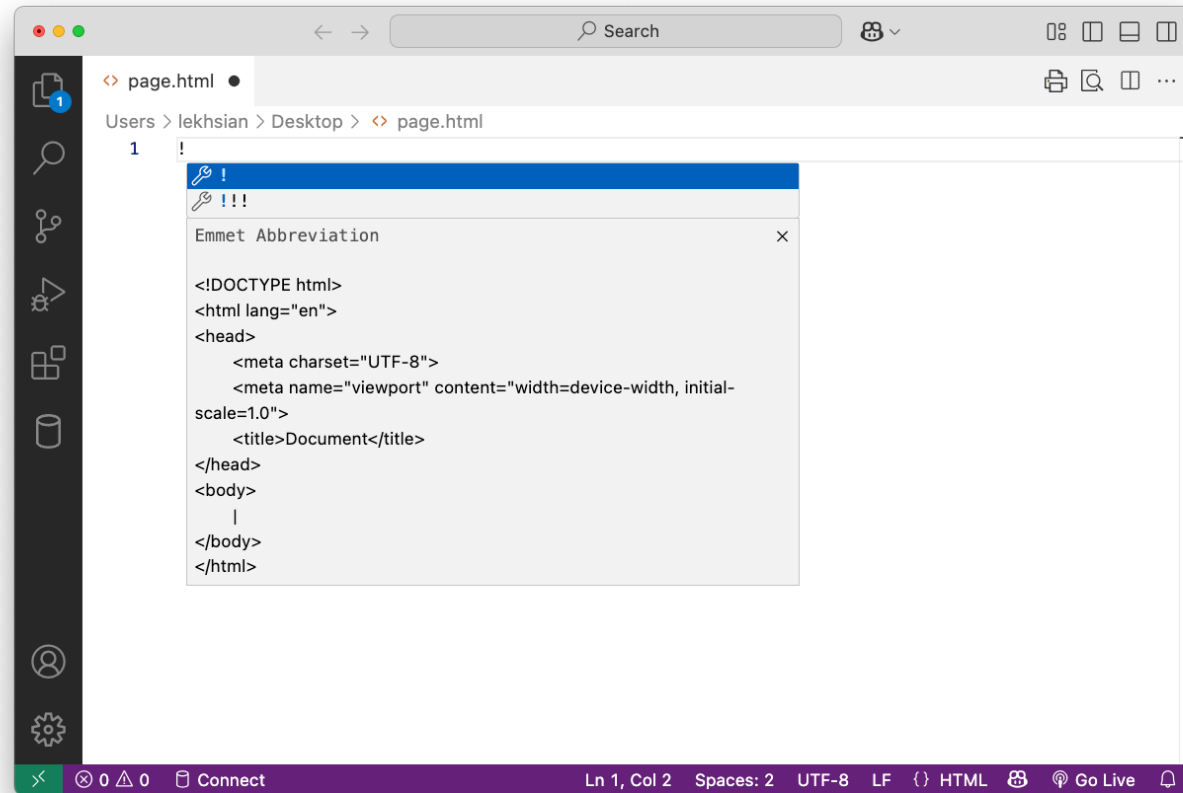
2. Right click and select New Text File

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3. First save the file to a location (e.g. Desktop), and name the file **page.html**
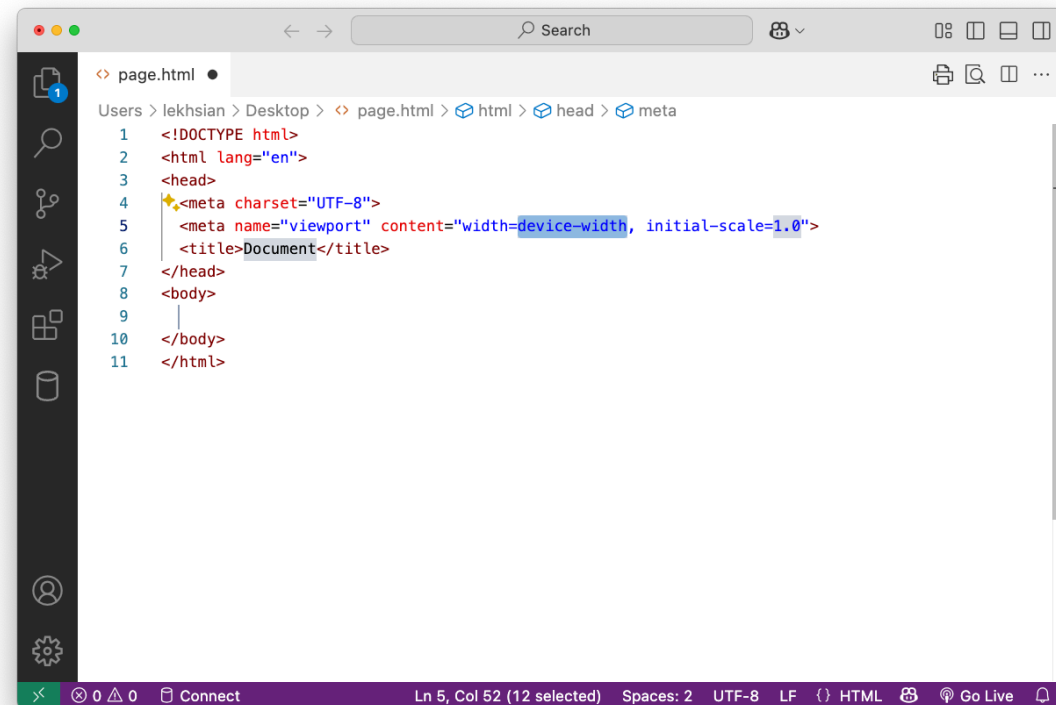
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4. Type ❗

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5. And press `Tab`
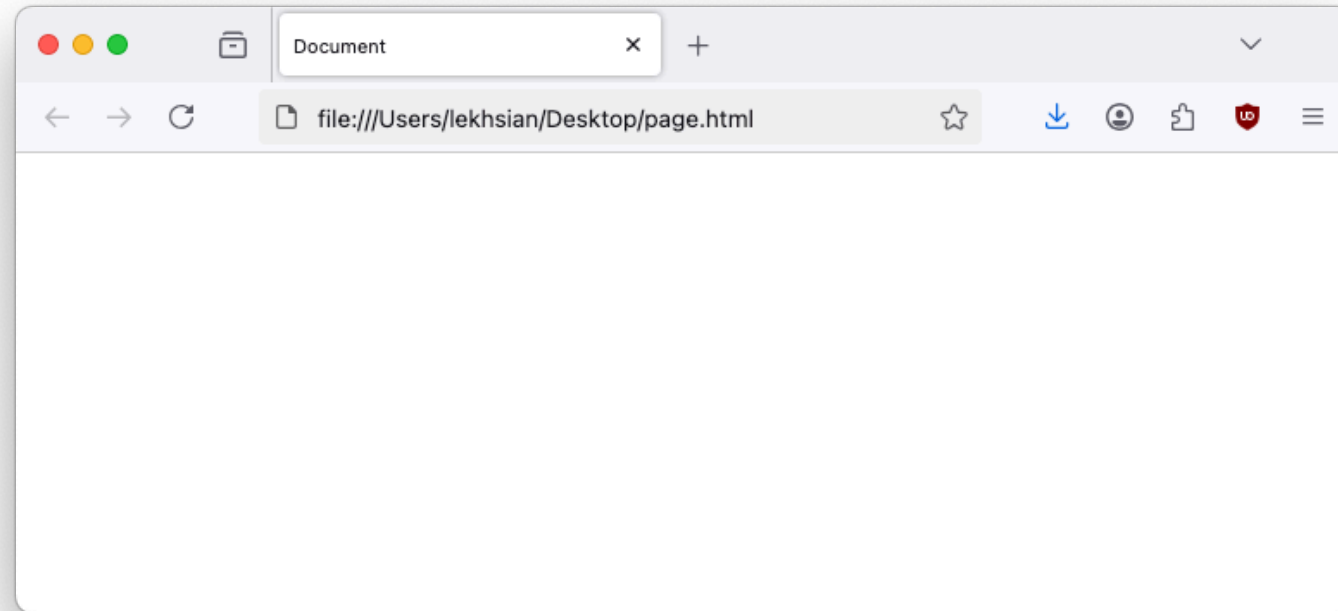
6. Save the file (`File` > `Save` on the menubar)

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Task 3: Viewing The Page

1. Go to the location where you saved `page.html` and double-click it to open

2. You should see an empty page that is loaded up on your default web browser

Task 4: Creating A Hyperlink

1. Modify `page.html` to add a link

<div align="center">

[Google]

</div>

Questions to reflect on:

- When you click on it, does the current tab/window go to Google or open up a new tab/window?

- What is the difference in the codes that will determine whether it is opening up in a new window or the existing window?

Task 5: Linking To An Image

1. Modify `page.html` to show an image

```html
<img src="SOME_PATH" />
```

Questions to reflect on:

- Do you know how to link to an absolute URL
  (e.g. `https://www.myserver.com/images/profile.jpg`)

- How about a relative URL?

- How does the relative URL work?