

ID selectors

The CSS **ID selector** matches an element based on the value of the element's [id](#) attribute. In order for the element to be selected, its `id` attribute must match exactly the value given in the selector.

```
/* The element with id="demo" */
#demo {
  border: red 2px solid;
}
```

Syntax

```
#id_value { style properties }
```

Note that syntactically (but not specificity-wise), this is equivalent to the following [attribute selector](#) :

```
[id=id_value] { style properties }
```

Examples

CSS

```
#identified {
  background-color: skyblue;
}
```

HTML

```
<div id="identified">This div has a special ID on it!</div>
<div>This is just a regular div.</div>
```

Result

This div has a special ID on it!
This is just a regular div.