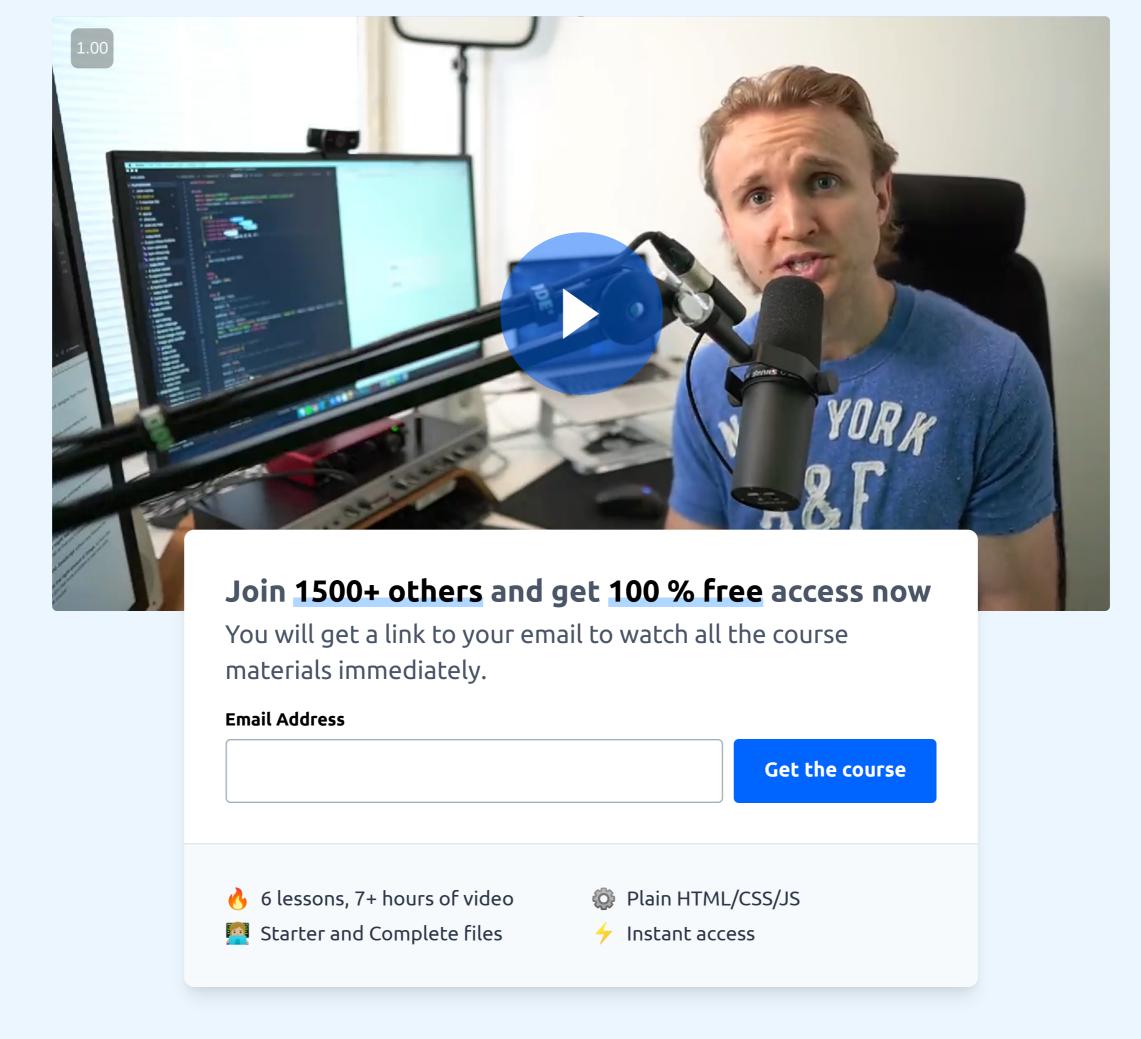
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Learn to build user interfaces

I'll teach you my **professional design process** from pen and paper sketches to visual design and actual development in plain HTML/CSS/JS.







and corporations. See you in the course!

Meet your teacher

Hi! I'm Jussi Virtanen, a designer with 12+ years of professional

experience. I've worked with over 100 companies, both startups

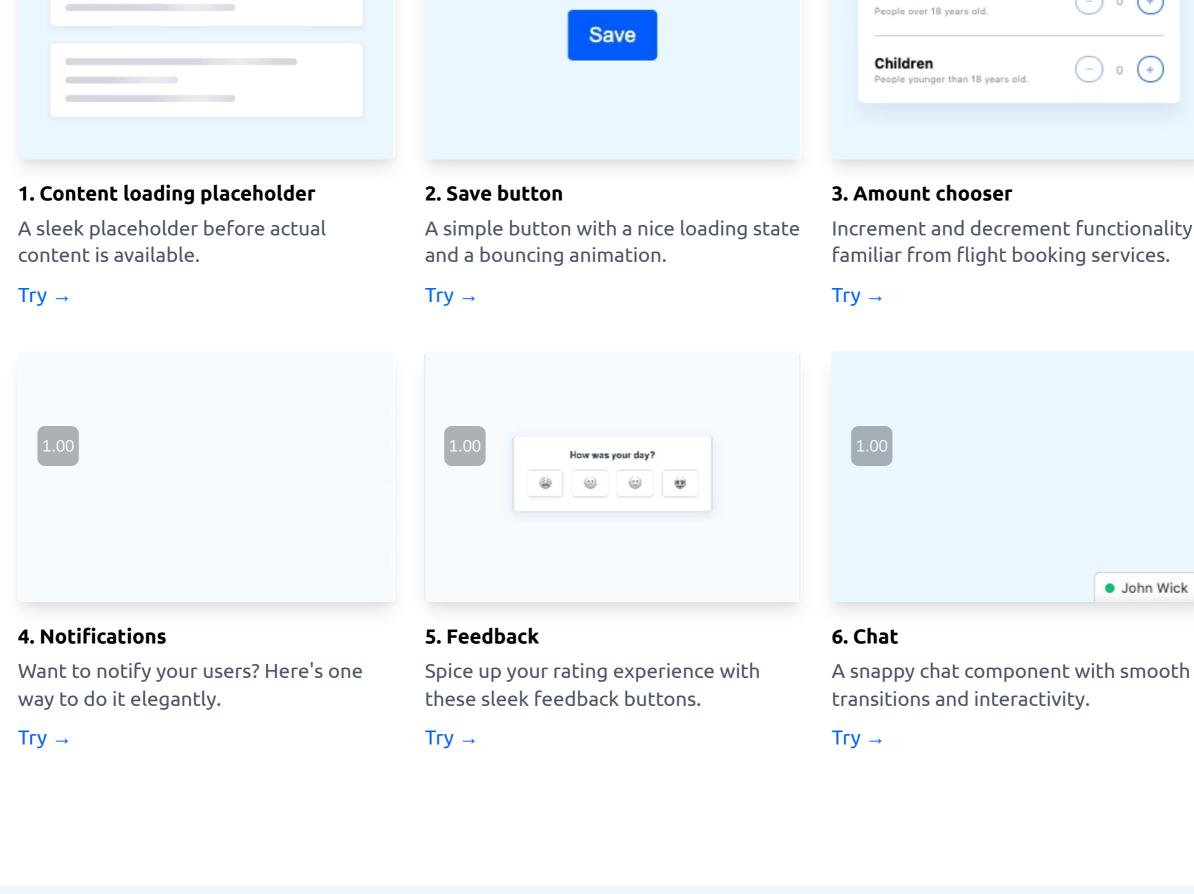
from simple to more advanced components.

Course content

The course consists of six individual lessons. We'll start

by building a simple design system and then proceed

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This course is for designers and developers, or for anyone who wants to become one. As a designer you will learn the essential skills and thinking patterns to build the

things you design. As a developer you will learn various design principles and how to

improve both the usability and accessibility of the components you're already

FAQ

building.

Who is this course for?

I don't know JavaScript (JS), can I still take this course?

Yes, you can. Although it helps if you're familiar with at least the basics of JavaScript, you'll probaby do just fine. If during the course you feel like you can't keep up, I

I'm a designer and I don't know any HTML / CSS, let alone JS. Can I still take this course? You definitely can, but I recommend learning at least the very basics of HTML and

recommend you to check **Beginner JavaScript** by Wes Bos.

What tools do I need to follow the course?

• A code editor

Is this a JavaScript course?

take this specific course?

just pick what I like?

components towards the end.

If you have ideas for future content, <u>let me know</u>.

Please raise an issue on the <u>course repository</u>.

could be a good idea for a future course though.

I spotted a bug, what do I do?

You'll need:Pen and paperA design tool (like Figma, XD or Sketch)

In the course I use <u>Figma</u> as my design tool and <u>VS Code</u> as my code editor, but you're

CSS first. We don't do anything crazy in HTML or CSS, so basics will take you far.

free to use any tools you're comfortable with.

The course includes some basic JavaScript, but I wouldn't call it a JavaScript course. We're not building a full blown application but small components. For that reason I like to call it a **full stack design course**, as we start from zero and work our way to fully functional components. If you're looking for a course on JavaScript basics, I, again, recommend <u>Beginner JavaScript</u>.

YouTube is full of free tutorials, videos and courses. Why should I

That's a reasonable question. There are plenty of resources available. At the same

time these resources can be scattered and you'll get lost in the wild. It's better to

build this course: for you to have that resource neatly in one package. That's why.

have a structured set of things to learn. And that's exactly why I spend 200+ hours to

I'm a designer who already knows how to build stuff. What can this course offer me?

Congratulations, you've definitely stepped up your game already. This course is for

you if you want a) to see how I build things, or b) if you're looking into challenges to

build things we're building during the course. You can also check out all the source

code from <u>GitHub</u> if that's your cup of tea.

Why is this course free Jussi?

for free.

Are the lessons linked so that I have to go through them all or can I

You can pick what you like. The only thing linking the individual lessons is the small

design system we'll build at the beginning of the course. Bear in mind though that I

designed the lesson order so that we start with basics and proceed to more difficult

This course is free because I believe that by teaching I can have a greater impact on

forward. The easiest way to do that is to make the content available for everyone,

people's lives. I've been privileged to learn and I want to pass my knowledge

I love your course! Will you make another one?

Thank you for your kind words! I am planning to create more courses in the future.

<u>Sign up</u> to this course and I'll email you as soon as I have more information to share.

Why such small components instead of a full dashboard UI?

To build high quality interfaces we need to narrow our focus down to smaller components. After all, all UIs are built with small components. Building a bigger UI

Why build stuff with vanilla JavaScript? I'd rather use some framework. That's a justified question. It indeed is common to build applications – especially in

JavaScript. By building things with plain JavaScript we're able to become better at it, and that will work as a foundation to learn a framework. If you want challenge, you can implement the contents of this course on top of your favorite framework or library.

the larger end of the scale – with frameworks such as React, Vue, Angular or Svelte.

These libraries or frameworks are both powerful and useful. They're also built with

Great! Just message me on <u>Twitter</u> or send me an <u>email</u>.

I have a question, how can I submit it?

Hi, my name is Jussi Virtanen

I'm a full stack designer (I both design and develop) from Helsinki, Finland . I'm passionate to teach you how to combine design and development. If you any have questions or suggestions, reach me on Twitter or send me an

email.

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