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Intro to HTML

This course is set up in a "learn-by-doing" method.

A good course to follow can be found on w3schools

The important take aways for writing HTML code are:

- The language is tag based, everthing that is written between the < and the > are not displayed on your page
- The homepage should be called **index.html** - nothing else
- To check if the code you are writing is valid use this website - https://validator.w3.org/

TIP! The validator will be used when marking your second assignment, so learn to use it to gain maximum marks

The topics you should have covered at a minimum by the end of the week are:

- The Basics
- What are Elements?
- What are Attributes?
- Images
- Headings
- Paragraphs
- Tables
- Hyperlink tags
- Unordered Lists

Eventually you will also need to learn about:

- Using CSS in HTML
- Using JavaScript in HTML
- Semantic Tags
- HTML Forms

Don't just use W3Schools

Although w3schools is a very good reference place for a lot of code samples, there are many other places to find this information.

Learning a coding language takes time and the topics above are only an introduction to the language. Keep practicing and try to solve a little problem everyday even if it is a small problem.