

Self-Assessment Activity: Links and Images

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Objectives & Outcomes

Successful completion of this activity will show that you can:

• Create a web page or pages that demonstrates an understanding of the topics covered thus far.

Level of Effort

This activity should take approximately 60m to complete. It will require:

- 15m Research
- 0m Prep & Delivery
- 45m Work

If you find that this activity takes you significantly less or more time than this estimate, please contact me for guidance.

Instructions

Get started

Follow the instructions to create a web page or pages and then check your work against similarly built examples from the textbook's website. This activity will not be submitted or graded, but should be completed before moving on to the graded assignments.

- 1. Download the links-images.zip file which contains all the assets for this activity.
- 2. Open your text editor and create two new files from your HTML template.
- 3. Save your new files as: *links.html* and *about.html*.
- 4. Make sure they are in the folder where you are keeping all your files for this course.

Get Content

- 1. Add content to your basic template page the same way you did in the previous activity. Open the *links.txt* file, then copy and paste the content provided into the body of your *links.html* page.
- 2. Begin by adding some structure to the page using heading and paragraph elements.
- 3. Now that you have read the provided content, try adding your own content to the *about.html* page. It should be a brief paragraph about what the pages are about. Make sure to add a heading to this page too.
- 4. Be sure to save both pages.

Add Links

- 1. Open the *urls.txt* file and use these *absolute URLs* to create links to other sites where they make sense on the page. Hint: a good place would be the name of the festivals.
- 2. Next add an email link to the "contact us" text in the paragraph at the top of the page. Use your email address as the recipient.
- 3. Then add a link to *about.html* at the bottom of the page.
- 4. On the about.html page, add a link to go back to the main page.
- 5. Add a link that goes from the "Top of page" text at the bottom to the main heading of the page at the top, by linking to an ID.

Check Your Page

- 1. Now open the page in your web browser to check that everything looks and functions the way you expected. If not, go back and check your HTML for errors.
- 2. Common mistakes are not using absolute URLs and relative URLs in the correct places and misspelling the URLs.
- 3. To help you with troubleshooting, your textbook has a similarly built example Links page. Follow the link in the Resources and use the browser's *View Page Source* to check your code against the example page.

- 1. Now that you have followed the steps to create your Links page, create a new HTML file named *images.html*.
- 2. Add the provided images in the *images* folder to this new page. Add the logo image to the main heading using the element. Use the ,<figure>, and <figcaption> elements for the store front image and add a caption.
- 3. Add the three menu item images so they sit side-by-side below the captioned image.
- 4. Again there is a similar example Images page to help you troubleshoot your code from the textbook in the Resources.
- 5. Remember that this activity is a self-assessment and is not meant to be turned in or graded. But if you do have questions or would like feedback, please feel free to let me know!

Reading & Resources

Link: HTML Elements (http://www.w3.org/community/webed/wiki/HTML/Elements) (helpful)

Link: HTML Tags (http://www.htmldog.com/reference/htmltags/) (helpful)

Link: Textbook Links Example (http://www.htmlandcssbook.com/code-samples/chapter-04/example.html) (necessary)

Link: Textbook Images Example (http://www.htmlandcssbook.com/code-samples/chapter-05/example.html) (necessary)

Deliverables

There are no deliverables.

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