

A large red square with a white border, centered on a white background. Inside the square, the text "Homework Check!" is written in white.

**Homework
Check!**

The Dos and Dont's

✓ the first page (homepage) of your site should always be named index.html

✗ DON'T name the first page: pageone.html, firstpage.html, 01.html. It means you can't just go to the url of the folder to get started.

✓ DO Use only lowercase letters, dashes, numbers, or underscores.

✗ DON'T use uppercase and don't have spaces in filenames.

✓ DO shrink your images down to 72dpi and (generally) no larger than 1600px wide

✗ DON'T upload images that are 72dpi (hint, are they larger than ~1mb? Too big!)

Let's add some tags

Sprucing up the html

```
<!DOCTYPE html>
<html lang="en">
<head>
  <title>The name of your story</title>
</head>
<body>
  <header>
    <h1>The name of my story</h1>
  </header>
  <main>
    <!-- Add a comment! See below how I spaced out the link and image tags so I can read it better? -->
    <a href="yourpage.html">
      
    </a>
  </main>
</body>
</html>
```



Validating

Validator on W3.org

Check a ULR: <https://validator.w3.org/nu/> (PSU may block this)

Or

Paste HTML into the validator: <https://validator.w3.org/nu/#textarea>

That reminds me...

What is W3C?

“The **World Wide Web Consortium (W3C)** is the main international standards organization for the World Wide Web (abbreviated WWW or W3).”

(wikipedia entry on W3C)

They basically figure out what **web standards** should be and then they convince browsers they should adopt those standards.

Standards for what?

Lots of things! The ones that most pertain to this class are:

- HTML
- CSS
- SVG
- DOM

Please re-upload your files
once you've edited them.