L8 Homework: CSS

# Commit Your Work From Class!

We forgot to at the end of class.

# Styling the About Page with CSS

Building on the homework from yesterday, add styling using only CSS (no frameworks) to your HTML About page. Try to challenge yourself by including at least 15 different CSS properties. Explore new properties that we did not cover in class - make a goal of adding at least 3 new properties. Position and flex-boxes are interesting ones to try out.

Feel free to add more HTML elements in order to experiment more. Don’t be afraid to make it look crazy - this won’t be your final portfolio page. The goal of this exercise is to learn more about CSS!

You can find an entire library of CSS elements on this Mozilla Developer Network page (bookmark it!):

<https://developer.mozilla.org/en-US/docs/Web/CSS/Reference>

# Research Portfolio Pages

In our next class, we will learn how to take a design and break it down into its elements in order to develop the front-end website using a framework. In preparation for that lesson, search for portfolio pages on the internet and find at least 1 that you would like to emulate for your own personal page.

Once you find that page, post it in the class’ Slack channel for others to see as well. For example, I really liked this page: <http://charlottetang.com/>

If you are more artistically inclined, you are free to come up with your own design on paper or in illustrator (for example) instead!

## Branding

Also consider choosing a font and color scheme for your website.

Fonts:

<http://www.w3schools.com/cssref/css_websafe_fonts.asp>

<https://www.google.com/fonts>

Color Schemes:

<https://color.adobe.com/explore/newest/?time=all>

<http://paletton.com/>

# Bonus Homework!

Figure out how to add a Google font to your about page. Don’t know how? Try Googling it! Tried to add it, and it’s not working? Then you can ask me via Slack. :)