## Web Page Layout – Using the Grid

#### Simple grid with two columns



## What is a div tag?

- The <div> tag defines a division or a section in an HTML document.
- The <div> element is often used as a container for other HTML elements to style them with CSS or to perform certain tasks with JavaScript.

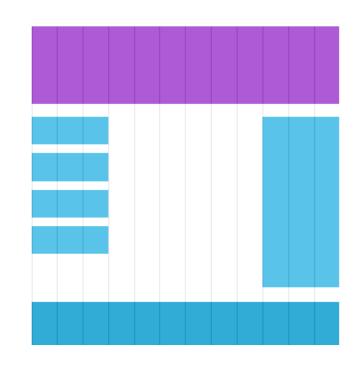
```
header {
   border: 1px solid red;
   padding: 15px;
.menu {
   width: 25%;
   float: left;
   padding: 15px;
   border: 1px solid red;
.main {
   width: 75%;
   float: left;
   padding: 15px;
   border: 1px solid red;
</style>
</head>
<body>
<div class="header">
 <h1>Chania</h1>
</div>
<div class="menu">
 <l
   The Flight
   The City
   The Island
   The Food
 </div>
<div class="main">
 <h1>The City</h1>
 Chania is the capital of the Change
two parts, the old town and the mode
 Resize the browser window to see
</div>
```

#### Grid with 12 columns

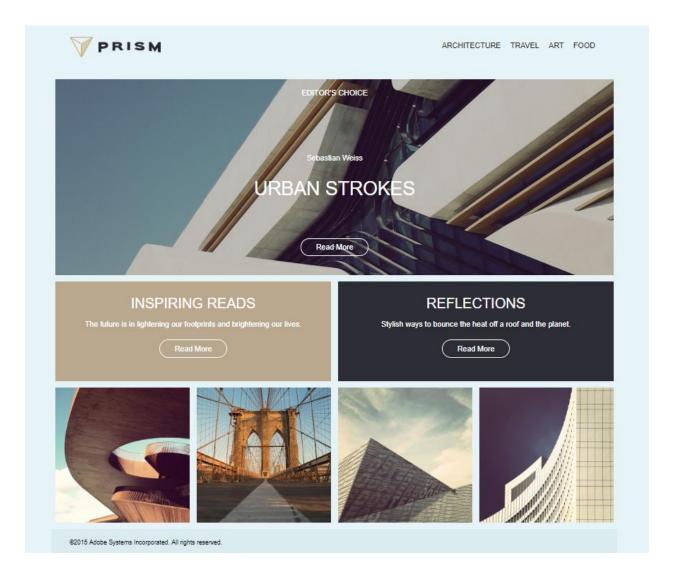
A responsive grid-view often has 12 columns, and has a total width of 100%, and will shrink and expand as you resize the browser window.

- 1. Calculate the percentage for one column: 100% / 12 columns = 8.33%.
- 2. Make one class for each of the 12 columns. class="col-"
- 3. Float all columns to left with 15px padding
- 4. Add a style that clears the flow

```
<head>
<meta name="viewport" content=""</pre>
<style>
* {
    box-sizing: border-box;
.row::after {
    content: "";
                       4
    clear: both;
    display: table;
[class*="col-"] {
    float: left;
                      3
    padding: 15px;
.col-1 {width: 8.33%;}
.col-2 {width: 16.66%;}
.col-3 {width: 25%;}
                           1-2
.col-4 {width: 33.33%;}
.col-5 {width: 41.66%;}
.col-6 {width: 50%;}
.col-7 {width: 58.33%;}
.col-8 {width: 66.66%;}
.col-9 {width: 75%;}
.col-10 {width: 83.33%;}
.col-11 {width: 91.66%;}
.col-12 {width: 100%;}
```

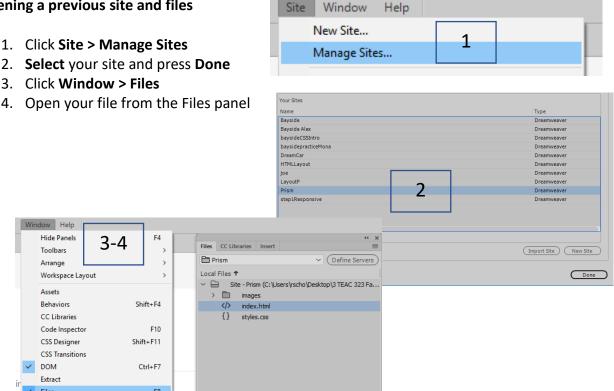


```
kdiv class="header">
 <h1>Chania</h1>
</div>
<div class="row">
<div class="col-3 menu">
 <l
   The Flight
   The City
   The Island
   The Food
 </div>
<div class="col-9">
 <h1>The City</h1>
 Chania is the capital of the
two parts, the old town and the mo
 Resize the browser window to
</div>
```



### Opening a previous site and files

- 1. Click Site > Manage Sites
- 2. **Select** your site and press **Done**



## Creating the Root Folder, Dream Site, and Pages

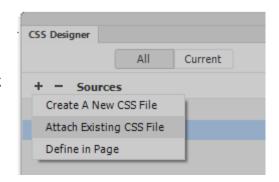
### https://github.com/rschoen29/DreamFiles

- 1. Create a new root folder labeled **Prism.** Copy and paste the Images folder from the link above to your root folder, Prism.
- 2. Create a new Dreamweaver site called **Prism** (make sure you navigate to your **Prism** root folder).
- 3. Create a new HTML page titled Home Prism. Save the new page as index.html
- 4. Create two additional HTML pages: architecture.html and travel.html; close these two pages after saved.

Hint: In Dreamweaver, use the CTRL or Command + or CTRL or Command – to increase/decrease the size of your text/code in the Dream window.

# Creating the CSS (add the Selectors, Properties, and Values

- Create the CSS first: File > New > CSS > save as style.css. (use the below CSS code)
- Attach the CSS file. Window > CSS Designer > Click the + on the Sources > Attach Existing CSS file Make sure you are in your index file when attaching the CSS



```
html,
                                                     img {
html * {
                                                             width: 100%;
       padding: 0;
                                                             max-width: 100%;
       margin: 0;
                                                             height: auto;
       box-sizing: border-box;
                                                             vertical-align: middle;
       font-family: Gotham, Helvetica
                                                     }
Neue, Helvetica, Arial," sans-serif";
}
                                                     .style-logo {
                                                             margin-left: auto;
body {
                                                             margin-right: auto;
                                                             display: block;
       margin-left: auto;
       margin-right: auto;
                                                             width: 192px;
       background: #e6f4f8;
                                                     }
}
                                                     .style-nav ul {
header {
                                                             list-style-type: none;
       padding: 32px;
                                                     }
}
                                                     .style-nav ul li a {
.col {
                                                             text-decoration: none;
       Width:100%;
                                                             color: #2F322A;
}
                                                             text-align: center;
                                                             display: block;
                                                             text-transform: uppercase;
                                                             padding: 8px;
                                                     }
```

# Creating the Header Layout (includes logo and navigation)

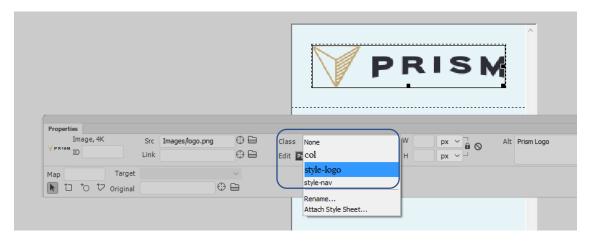
#### NOTE: You will be designing the web page for a mobile device first, then tablet and desktop.

- 1. In your **Code View** and under the Body code, type header and press tab; this will automatically bring up your <header> and the closing </header>
- 2. Add a row and column to your header using the div tag <div>
  - a. <div class="row"></div>; <div class="col"></div>
  - b. Note: when you add the row and column the closing </div> tag is directly behind the opening tag. You will need to make sure both closing </div> tags are above the closing </header> tag.

3. Add the logo image immediately after the <div class="col">. You can do this in Design View or in Code/Split View. Make sure you add the alt text (alternative text)

4. Add the class to the <img> code; click immediately after img, press the spacebar, and start typing class= (Dreamweaver will automatically recognize that you want to add a class); select the class you wish.

Or -- add the class using the Properties panel (Window > Properties) when in Design View. Click on the image. In the Properties panel, select the appropriate class from the drop-down arrow.



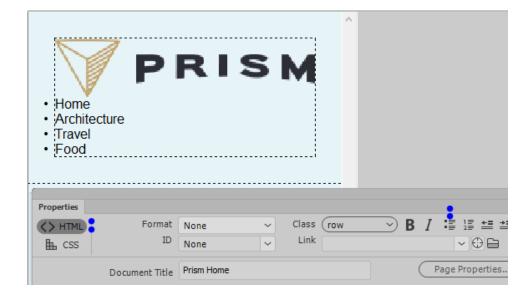
NOTE: CSS selectors and values: margin-left and margin-right auto will center content; display-block starts a new line
.style-logo {
 margin-left: auto;
 margin-right: auto;
 display: block; }

#### 5. Add the navigation

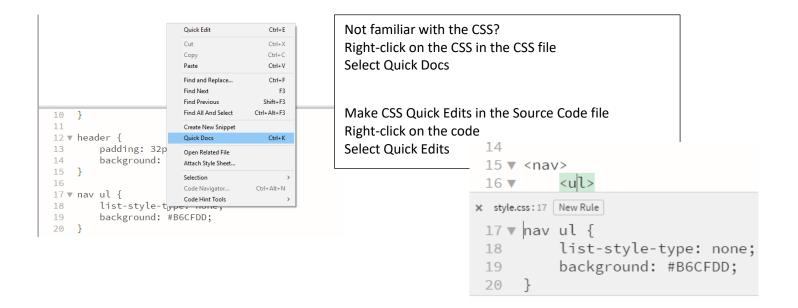
- a. Type nav and press tab; this should give you <nav> </nav>; press enter key between the beginning and closing nav tags
- b. Return to the beginning <nav> tag and add the class="style-nav">
- c. Type ul and press tab; press enter;
- d. Type li and press tab; should give you (shortcut: type li \* 4)
- e. Enter in the content. Example: Home
- f. Add the hyperlinks;

Or -

- 1. Press Enter after the image
- 2. Key your navigation entries
- 3. Select your navigation entries and format with bullets using the Properties panel (remember to switch to HTML)
- 4. Note—the <nav> code and style will still need to be entered



```
NOTE: CSS selectors and values:
List-style-type: none removes the bullets.
Text decoration: none will remove the underline of the hyperlink;
color is the font color; text-align:center will center the text; display:
block is put each one on a separate line; text-transforms will change
the text to uppercase; padding adds some cushion all around (top,
bottom, left, and right)
                                      .style-nav ul li a {
                                            text-decoration: none;
.style-nav ul {
                                            color: #2F322A;
     list-style-type: none;
                                            text-align: center;
}
                                            display: block;
                                            text-transform: uppercase;
                                            padding: 8px;
                                      }
```



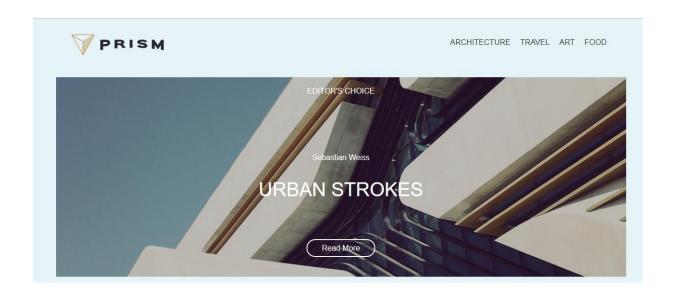
## Add More CSS (add the Selectors, Properties, and Values

1. Return to your CSS file and add the following selectors, properties, and values. With the h codes, key the first one; then copy/paste for the h2, h3, and h4; make changes.

```
h1 {
       font-size: 57px;
                                                   h4 {
       text-transform: uppercase;
                                                          font-size: 16px;
       font-weight: 200;
                                                          font-weight: 200;
       margin-bottom: 60px;
                                                          margin-bottom: 35px;
}
                                                   }
h2 {
                                                   .hero {
       font-size: 30px;
                                                          background-image:
                                                          url(images/hero.jpg);
       text-transform: uppercase;
                                                          background-size: cover;
       font-weight: 200;
       margin-bottom: 23px;
                                                          padding: 20px 20px 50px
}
                                                          20px;
                                                          color: #FFFFFF;
h3 {
                                                          text-align: center;
       font-size: 16px;
                                                   }
       text-transform: uppercase;
       font-weight: 200;
       margin-bottom: 120px;
}
```

```
NOTE: CSS selectors and values: background: cover – cover the entire width/length; text transform—change to uppercase

.hero {
            background-image: url(images/hero.jpg);
            background-size: cover;
            padding: 20px 20px 50px 20px;
            color: #FFFFFF;
            text-align: center;
      }
```



# **Entering the Content and Images in the Main Section**

- 1. Return to your **index Source Code (Code or Split View)** to add the first row with one column in the main section.
  - a. After the closing </header> tag, type <main> and press Enter.
  - b. Shortcut in Dreamweaver: If you type .row and press tab in Code View, Dreamweaver will automatically think that you want to add a new div with a row. Same process works for adding a column. Type .col and press tab.

- 2. Add the .hero class to wrap around this image and text (Editor's Choice, Your Name, Urban Strokes)
  - a. Make sure you are in the main section of your code <main>
  - b. Enter in the following class in your CSS file

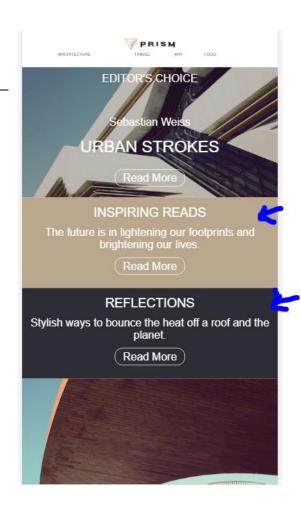
- 3. Type the following text either in Code or Design. Make sure you are after the <div class=.hero>. If you have codes around the text, go back and delete them.
  - a. Editor's Choice (format with h4>
  - b. Your Name (format with h3)
  - c. Urban Strokes (format with h1)

```
29▼ <main>
30▼ <div class="row">
31▼ <div class="col">
      <div class="hero">
32▼
           <h3>Editor's Choice</h3>
33
34
           <h4>My Name</h4>
           <h1>Urban Strokes</h1>
35
36
      </div>
37
       </div>
38
       </div>
39 </main>
```

# Creating the two middles boxes in the main section

1. Enter in the CSS class codes in your CSS file.

```
.info-box-tan {
    background-color: #b9a88e;
    color: #FFFFFF;
    padding: 30px 20px 60px;
    text-align: center;
}
.info-box-dark {
    background-color: #2D2D35;
    color: #FFFFFF;
    padding: 30px 20px 60px;
    text-align: center;
}
```



2. Return to your **index Source Code (Code or Split View)** to add the second row with two columns in the main section.

- 3. Enter in the code and content for the tan box, Inspiring Reads.
  - a. Position your insertion point as indicated below and press Enter to move the closing </div> to the next line. (index.html, Code View)

Type in the following code/content below; remember to drag the closing </div>
 under the text to close it out.

```
<div class="info-box-tan">
<h2>Inspiring Reads</h2>
The future is lightening our footprints and brightening our lives.
```

- 4. Enter in the code and content for the dark box, Reflections.
  - a. Copy the code you just entered for the info-tan-box

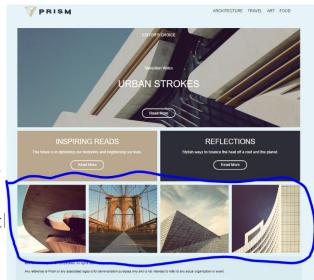
b. Position your insertion point as indicated below and paste the code/content.

c. Modify the code and content.

# Creating row of four boxes (picture gallery) in the main section

1. Position your insertion point above the closing </main> tag.

```
<div class="col">
<div class="info-box-dark">
    <h2>Reflections</h2>
Stylish ways to bounce t
</div>
</div>
</div>
```





</main>

- 2. Enter in a row and four columns.
  - a. Shortcut: If you type .col\*4 and press tab, Dreamweaver will automatically give you four columns.

```
/ <div class="row">
     <div class="col"></div>
     <div class="col"></div>
     <div class="col"></div>
     <div class="col"></div>
 </div>
```

b. Insert the <img src code> between each column tag and select the appropriate image. Remember to add the closing angle bracket.

```
<div class="row">
54 ▼
                <div class="col"><img src="images/gallery-1.jpg" alt="Image 1"></div>
55
                <div class="col"><img src="images/gallery-2.jpg" alt="Image 2"></div>
56
                <div class="col"><img src="images/gallery-3.jpg" alt="Image 3"></div>
57
                <div class="col"><img src="images/gallery-4.jpg" alt="Image 4"></div>
58
            </div>
```

# **Creating the footer**

1. Enter in the CSS code in your CSS file.

```
footer {
          padding: 20px 30px;
          background-color: #dbecf1;
}
.footer-text {
          font-size: 13px;
          margin-bottom: 20px;
}
```

2. Type the footer tags <footer></footer> immediately after the closing main tag </main>.

3. Add the row and column for the footer. Press Enter after each to drop the closing </div>underneath.

4. Type p.footer and press tab (this should bring up the class and code for you); enter in the content (Insert, HTML, Copyright)

# Cleaning up the rows and columns in CSS.

1. Return to the **CSS file.** Scroll down to the bottom and add this code.

```
.row:before, .row:after {
    content: "";
    display: table;
}

clear: both;
clear: both;
}

clear: both;
}

clear: both;
}

clear: both;
}
```

# Clean-up for Tablet View

 Return to your CSS and scroll down to the very end of your CSS file and add the media query for Tablet View.

```
/*Tablet View*/
@media (min-width: 768px) {
   body {
         max-width: 778px;
   }
   .style-nav ul li {
         display: inline-block;
   }
   .style-nav ul {
         text-align: center;
   }
   h1 {
         font-size: 40px;
         margin-bottom: 90px;
   }
   h2 {
         margin-bottom: 16px;
   }
   .col-md-one-half {
         width: 50%;
   }
   .col {
         float: left;
         padding: 0px 7px 14px;
   }
}
```

# **Cleanup for Desktop View**

- 1. Return to your CSS and scroll down past the media query for Tablet View.
- 2. Add the media query for Desktop View.

```
/*Desktop View*/
@media (min-width: 1024px) {
    body {
        max-width: 1200px;
    }
    .style-logo {
        float: left;
    }
    .style-nav {
        float: right;
    }
    .col-lg-one-fourth {
        width: 25%;
    }
}
```

## **Cleanup for Columns for both Tablet and Desktop View**

- 1. Apply the .col-md-one-half class.
- 2. Find in your **Code View** the tan and dark boxes (Inspiring Reads and Reflections)
- 3. Click immediately **after the col and before the "** (quotes) and **press the spacebar**. The class .col-md-one-half should appear.
- 4. Repeat for the dark box (Reflections)

Adding this code will allow the two boxes each to be 50% instead of 100%; and when the float class was added to the Tablet View media query breakpoint, the two boxes will be side by side in Tablet View.

- 4. Apply the .col-md-one-half and the .col-md-one-fourth class. (repeating above steps)
- 5. Find in your **Code View** (index.html) where you have the four images (gallery)
- 6. Click immediately after the col and before the " (quotes) and press the spacebar.

## **Button CSS**

```
.button {
          border: 2px #FFFFFF solid;
          padding: 8px 30px;
          border-radius: 30px;
          color: #FFFFFF;
          text-decoration: none;
}
```

## **Adobe Video and Resource for Lesson**

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