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A Quick Guide to Installing and Using Web Fonts

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## Installing the Fonts

The zip file that you received contains all the files necessary for self-hosting web fonts. It also includes a html file showing the fonts in use, and a css file with the @font-face code.

### 1: Upload the fonts to your website.

We recommend keeping all the fonts and css file together in a folder.

### 2: Add a link to the css file

The @font-face declaration is what browsers use to implement the fonts. The declaration specifies the font name and lists several links to different font files which allows browsers to choose the format they need.

The **@font-face** code for the fonts you ordered is included on this page, in the column on the right. It's also bundled with the fonts in a file named 2206-FSNIBT.css.

To access the fonts, simply include a link to the css file in the head of your html document.

The link looks like this:

**<link rel="stylesheet" type="text/css" href="2206-FSNIBT.css">**

The **href** is the path from the html file to the css file. You may need to fix the path depending on your file structure.

### 3: Style the text in your document.

Now that the html pages have access to the fonts, you can use the fonts to style your text.

In your style sheets, apply the attributes:

* **font-family**
* **font-weight**
* **font-style**

You can find the values for these in the **@font-face** code in the css file.

All three are necessary to get the font working in all browsers.

## Tips & Tricks

### Turn on kerning:

All Commercial fonts contain kerning, but it needs to be turned on in the CSS for it to work.

To turn on kerning, include the following attributes in your css.

**body {**

**font-feature-settings: "liga", "kern";**

**}**

We suggest including them in the **body** element so they apply to all text on the page

### Changing Font Weights and Italics

The css supplied for each font uses the same **font-family** for all styles of the family. This simplifies the process of changing the font weight or italicizing text.

To change from one font weight to another, keep the **font-family** the same and change the **font-weight** value.

We suggest using the numerical **font-weight** value (**100-900**), but you can also use **font-weight:normal;** to get the **400** weight and **font-weight:bold;** to get the **700** weight.

If you are using both a roman and an italic in your text, you can easily switch back and forth between roman and italics by changing the **font-style** attribute from **font-style:roman;** to **font-style:italic;**

Or you can use the emphasis **<em>** tag in the html to apply the italic.

## Oh no! Something went wrong.

### Fonts aren't appearing on the site

Check on the urls to make sure they're pointing at the right place.

There are two places to look:

* The **link** in the head of your html document that contains a href to the css file.
* The @font-face css code has several **src:url** links to the fonts.

See that these links specify to the correct location of the files. If you've moved files around they may need to be changed.

### The fonts work in some browsers, but not other browsers

Make sure you've specified the **font-family**, **font-weight** and **font-style** and that they match the values in the @font-face code.

Some browsers look for the **font-family**, and then try to match the closest **font-weight** (if it can't find **900**, it will use **700** instead), but other browsers look for a perfect match of **font-weight** and **font-family** and fall back to another **font-family** when it can't find the **font-weight** it's looking for.

## Contact Us

### Still having trouble?

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What's Inside Order: 2206-FSNIBT

# Marr Sans Condensed Semibold

The **@font-face** code:

**@font-face {**

**font-family: 'Marr Sans Cond Web';**

**src: url('MarrSansCondensed-Semibold-Web.woff2') format('woff2'),**

**url('MarrSansCondensed-Semibold-Web.woff') format('woff');**

**font-weight: 600;**

**font-style: normal;**

**font-stretch: normal;**

**}**

A CSS class using the font:

**.MarrSansCondensed-Semibold-Web {**

**font-family: 'Marr Sans Cond Web';**

**font-weight: 600;**

**font-style: normal;**

**font-stretch: normal;**

**}**

# Marr Sans Condensed Medium

The **@font-face** code:

**@font-face {**

**font-family: 'Marr Sans Cond Web';**

**src: url('MarrSansCondensed-Medium-Web.woff2') format('woff2'),**

**url('MarrSansCondensed-Medium-Web.woff') format('woff');**

**font-weight: 500;**

**font-style: normal;**

**font-stretch: normal;**

**}**

A CSS class using the font:

**.MarrSansCondensed-Medium-Web {**

**font-family: 'Marr Sans Cond Web';**

**font-weight: 500;**

**font-style: normal;**

**font-stretch: normal;**

**}**