JavaScript DOM

Accessing Elements



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JavaScript DOM Tree

DOM Tree refers to the HTML page where all the nodes objects.

There can be 4 major main types of nodes in the DOM:

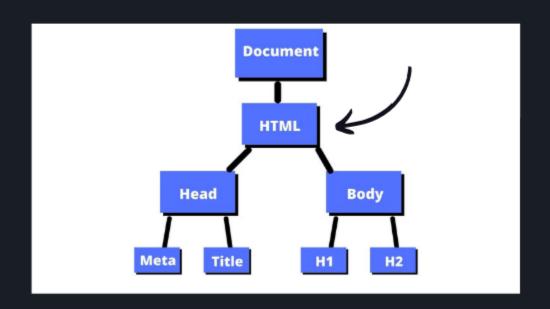
- 1. Text nodes
- 2. Element nodes
- 3. Comment nodes
- 4. WhiteSpace nodes

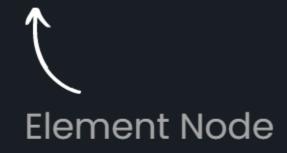
DOM Navigation

DOM Navigation Properties are helpful when the elements are close to each other.

Parent Node

- parentNode: Returns the parent node of an element.
- parentElement: Returns the parent element node of an element.





Child Nodes

- childNodes: Returns a collection of child nodes of an element.
- firstChild: Returns the first child node of an element.
- lastChild: Returns the last child node of an element.
- children: Returns a collection of child element nodes of an element.
- firstElementChild: Returns the first child element node of an element.
- lastElementChild: Returns the last child element node of an element.

Sibling Nodes

- nextSibling: Returns the next sibling node of an element.
- previousSibling: Returns the previous sibling node of an element..

Element Nodes

- nextElementSibling: Returns the next sibling element node of an element
- previousElementSibling: Returns the previous sibling element node of an element.

Descendant Nodes

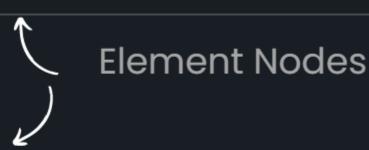
querySelectorAll(selector)

Retrieves a **collection of elements** that match the given CSS selector.

querySelector(selector)

Retrieves the **first element** that matches the given CSS selector.

Ancestors



closest(selector)

Retrieves the closest ancestor **elemnt** that matches the given CSS selector.

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Search Elements In DOM

- getElementById: Retrieves an element with the given ID
- getElementsByClassName:
 Retrieves a collection of elements
 with the given class name.
- getElementsByTagName: Retrieves a collection of elements with the given tag name.
- getElementsByName: Retrieve a collection of elements with a specified name attribute value
- Element Nodes (All above)

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