FINAL PROJECT REQUIREMENTS

FOR WEB DESIGN & DEVELOPMENT COURSE

For your final project, you will be required to build a website with several webpages.

The requirements for this project are as follows:

1) Pick a website that you believe needs some rework. Choose a website that you or one of your fellow classmates identified as a poorly designed, "bad" website.
2) Redesign and re-implement an existing website. Write a ONE-PAGE description telling me about the original website and how you redesigned it to be a better website.
3) ALTERNATIVELY, if you want to create your own website, that is fine EXCEPT you are required to have well-thought out CONTENT on your webpages and not just "latin blah blah blah".
4) You do NOT have to redesign the ENTIRE website. Choose AT LEAST 3 webpages from this website and redesign them!
5) Try to incorporate some of the "design principles" that Krug has mentioned in his book "Don't Make Me Think". Remember, each webpage should be designed like a billboard. Don't make the user think when they visit your website!
6) Try to use some of the HTML elements that you have learned in the book. If you want a copy of any of the answer files from the book for some of the end of chapter "case exercises", I will send the code to you so you can use it to help you create your website. I BELIEVE IN "SOME" CODE REUSE SO IF SOMEONE ELSE WROTE A VERY GOOD PIECE OF CODE THAT YOU CAN INTEGRATE INTO YOUR WEBSITE, THEN USE IT! Of course, I don't want you to plagiarize an entire website but if you like how someone created their tabs,... then by all means "borrow" that piece of code. That is why we have the "VIEW SOURCE" option in our browsers.