# Tutorial 1: *Programming with JavaScript*
## Why Filenames Need to be Lowercase

Filenames are case sensitive on some operating systems, including the UNIX, Linux, and Macintosh operating systems. Web servers running on those systems differentiate between files named tips.htm, Tips.htm and TIPS.HTM, so <a href="tips.htm">, <a href="Tips.htm">, and <a href="TIPS.HTM"> refer to three different files.

For this reason, you might find that links you create on your computer do not  work when you transfer your files to a Web server. To avoid this problem, the current standard is to always use lowercase filenames for all Web site files and to avoid using special characters such as blanks and slashes (/).