

The background is a dark blue gradient. Overlaid on this is a complex network of white dots of varying sizes, connected by thin white lines. The dots and lines are more concentrated on the right side of the image, creating a sense of depth and connectivity. The overall aesthetic is modern and technological.

Welcome to the Apprenticeship Program – Session 12

Agenda

- Introduction to CSS.
- Applying CSS.
- CSS Selectors.
- Colors and Fonts.
- Display Modes.
- Challenge & Recap.



Introduction to CSS



- **Definition:** CSS styles the layout and presentation of HTML.
- **Key Point:** Separates content (HTML) from design (CSS).

```
* {  
  margin: 0;  
  padding: 0;  
  box-sizing: border-box;  
  font-family: Arial, sans-serif;  
}  
  
#navbar {  
  background-color: #333;  
  color: white;  
  padding: 10px 20px;  
  text-align: center;  
}  
  
#navbar .logo {  
  font-size: 24px;  
  font-weight: bold;  
}
```

Applying CSS

■ Inline CSS:

- Applied directly to elements using **style** attribute.
- **Pro**: Quick changes. **Con**: Harder to manage.

■ External CSS:

- Uses a **.css** file linked via **<link>** in HTML.
- Best for reusable and scalable styles.

Inline CSS

```
<p style="color: blue;">This is a paragraph.</p>
```

Internal CSS

```
<head>  
  <style type = text/css>  
    body {background-color: blue;}  
    p { color: yellow;}  
  </style>  
</head>
```

External CSS

```
<head>  
  <link rel="stylesheet" type="text/css" href="style.css">  
</head>
```

CSS Selectors Overview

- **Universal Selector (*)**: Targets all elements on the page.

```
* {  
  margin: 0;  
  padding: 0;  
}
```

- **Element Selector**: Targets specific HTML tags like <p>.

```
p {  
  font-size: 16px;  
}
```

- **Class Selector (.)**: Targets elements with a specific class attribute. Reusable for multiple elements.

```
.highlight {  
  background-color: yellow;  
}
```

- **ID Selector (#)**: Unique for a single element. Targets a single element by its unique ID

```
#header {  
  font-size: 24px;  
}
```

Defining Colors in CSS

■ Methods:

■ **Name:** Predefined color names in CSS

- `color: red;`

■ **Hexadecimal:** Specifies color using a hex code.

- `color: #ff0000;`

■ **RGB:** Specifies color using RGB values.

- `color: rgb(255, 0, 0);`

■ **HSL:** Specifies color using hue, saturation, and lightness.

- `color: hsl(0, 100%, 50%);`

Welcome to the Colors and Fonts Demonstration

Main Content

This paragraph is styled with a standard browser font and some basic color properties. The font used here is **Arial**, which is a common sans-serif font.

This paragraph is highlighted with a different color background and uses the **Times New Roman** font, a classic serif font.

Working with Fonts

Types of Fonts:

- **Standard Browser Fonts:** Common fonts which are available across most browsers like Arial, Times New Roman, Verdana.

```
body {  
    font-family: Arial, sans-serif;  
}
```

- **Fallback Fonts:** Providing multiple font options in case the primary font is unavailable.

```
p {  
    font-family: "Helvetica", "Arial", sans-serif;  
}
```

Display Modes

- **Block:** take up the full width of the container, starts on a new line (<div>, <p>, <h1>).

```
div {  
  display: block;  
}
```

- **Inline:** Only takes necessary width (, <a>,).

```
span {  
  display: inline;  
}
```

- **Inline-Block:** Inline but supports width/height.

```
.button {  
  display: inline-block;  
  width: 100px;  
  height: 50px;  
}
```

- **None:** Hides the element entirely (no space taken)

```
.hidden {  
  display: none;  
}
```


Conclusion and Q&A

- Enhance webpage appearance with CSS.
- Use reusable and maintainable styles.
- Apply colors, fonts, and layouts effectively.



- W3Schools HTML Guide: <https://www.w3schools.com/css/>
- MDN Web Docs: HTML: <https://developer.mozilla.org/en-US/docs/Web/CSS>