

Week 8 Research

What is CSS clearfix, how is it used, and why is it helpful?

CSS clearfix is a style property used to help elements which are floated to be more equally set up on the page so there is no overlap. It is used most commonly with float properties to allow child elements to be wrapped together more closely rather than being unequally yoked. This is helpful to clear floats so the styles work more in tune with one another.

Sources: impressivewebs.com, educative.io, css-tricks.com

What is your favorite thing you learned this week?

My favorite thing I learned this week was CSS Grid. I had been using display flex for most of my elements but then I was finding it challenging to center some of my elements and have them stack. Display Grid fixed this issue very easily and I was able to shorten some of my CSS coding since some was not needed any longer.