



CSS - CASCADING STYLE SHEETS

CASCADING STYLE SHEETS – FORMAT HTML

A Cascading Style Sheet (CSS) is used to add fonts, color, spacing, responsive design components, animations, etc., to html documents. NOTE: 1em = 16px. Used for responsive resizing

CSS format follows:

Format

```
selector {  
    property: value;  
}
```

Example

```
p {  
    color: red;  
    font-size: 2em;  
}
```

CUSTOMIZING A SINGLE ELEMENT/GROUP OF ELEMENTS

In HTML, use ID and class attributes to customize CSS content.

ID = single use

CLASS = multiple use

EXAMPLE - USING AN ID TO CREATE GOLD PARAGRAPH TEXT FOR A SINGLE PARAGRAPH)

- × **HTML Content:** <p id="gold">Gold text.</p> Text without formatting.
- × **CSS Content:**

```
p {  
  color: gold;  
}
```

EXAMPLE - USING A CLASS TO CREATE PARAGRAPHS WITH PINK BACKGROUNDS

HTML Content:

```
<p class="pink-para">Lorem ipsum dolor sit amet, consectetur adipiscing elit. </p>
```

```
<p>Nulla id interdum metus.</p>
```

```
<p class="pink-para">Nulla id interdum metus. Nulla mattis ante vitae urna viverra, sed blandit.</p>
```

EXAMPLE - USING A CLASS TO CREATE PARAGRAPHS WITH PINK BACKGROUNDS

CSS Content:

```
.pink-para {  
    background: pink;  
}
```

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Web Output

Lorem ipsum dolor sit amet, consectetur adipiscing elit.

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CREATE A CSS FOLDER AND FILE IN GITHUB PAGES

- × Once you are signed in to your Github pages repository do the following to create a file named `style.css` in a new folder named `css`:
 1. **Click the 'Create File' button**
 2. **Type `css/style.css`**
 3. **Click the Commit New File button at the bottom of the page**



NEXT...

- × Open the file called CSS lab and follow the steps to add content to your new css file.