

# Dreamweaver Day 1 Exercise/Assignment

**Part 1: In-class practice**

**Part 2: Homework Assignment, due Thursday, November 8th**

## Part 1: Create a simple 2-page site using Design View

### Step 1: Create a root folder

- In your personal folder on the TLDAT, create a folder called "whalestails"
- Copy the whalestails1.jpg and whalestails2.jpg files from your Dreamweaver folder into your root folder.

### Step 2: Open Dreamweaver and click "Dreamweaver Site" under Create New

- Name your Site (for this assignment, call the site "Whales Tails Site")
- Browse for the root folder you just created ( "whalestails") to associate the site with that folder
- Click "Save"

### Step 3: Create an HTML page

- Click on "HTML" under "Create New"

### Step 4: Create Page Properties

- On the tool bar at the bottom of the screen, click on "Page Properties"
- Under "Appearances (CSS)" set the text color to white (#FFF) and the background color to gray (#666)
- Under "Links (CSS)" set the colors to: Link Color #3CF Rollover #0C9 Visited #CCC Active #3CF
- Under "Headings (CSS)" set up Heading 1 to use "Verdana, Geneva, Sans-serif," size of 36px and font color of #9CC

### Step 5: Save the page

- Under File >> Save As save your file as index.html (If set up properly, the folder should default to your whalestails root folder. This is where you want to save the files for this site)

### Step 6: Add Title

- Create a title using a Headline 1 (h1) tag. The title should say "The Whales Tails of Vermont"
- Hit enter to move the cursor below the headline

### Step 7: Insert a photo

- Go to Insert >> Image
- Choose the whalestails1.jpg image to insert into the site
- \*\*Note-- make sure this image is in your root folder before adding it to your site\*\*
- When the Image Tag Accessibility Attributes box pops up, click "Cancel."

### Step 8: Add caption

- After importing the photo, click on it to select it, then press the right arrow to move the cursor next to the image. Press Shift Enter to move the cursor just below the photo  
\*\*\*REMEMBER\*\*\* If you press Enter you will get two line breaks (spaces) between your text/ images, if you hold down Shift and Enter you will only get one line break (space) between your text/images.
- Add the following caption text: "Located in South Burlington's Technology Park, this steel whales tails sculpture has become an iconic piece of art."

### Step 9: Create a link

- **\*\*Note\*\*** Before you can create a link to another HTML page, you need to create and save that new page.
- First, save the page you're working on (Control S)
- Next, go to File >> New >> then choose HTML and click "Create"
- Save the page (currently blank) as whaletails2.html
- Go back to your first page (index.html). Put your cursor at the end of the caption and hit Enter to give two spaces. Below the caption type "Next Page >>"
- Highlight the "Next Page>>" text
- On the tool bar at the bottom of the page where it says "link," use one of the three methods for linking the text to the whaletails2.html page
- Save the page

#### **Step 10: Add content to whaletails2.html**

- Follow the instructions for your first page to create the same appearance on the whaletails2.html page that you see on the index.html page
- Add a new H1 heading: "Whales Tails at Sunrise"
- Add new image whaletails2.jpg
- Add new caption: "Travelers using I-89 see the whales tails between exits 12 and 13."
- Add second link: "Back Home>>" and link the "Back Home>>" text to your index page.
- Save all pages

#### **Step 11: Preview in Browser**

- Click back onto your index.html page in Dreamweave
- Hit Control F12 to view it in your web browser
- You should be able to navigate back and forth between the two pages

## **Part 2: Create an original 2-page website**

In this assignment you will repeat the steps from the in-class exercise to create your own basic two-page website. You will create a new site in a root folder called "website1." You will use the balloon images saved in your Dreamweaver folder for this assignment. Your site must meet the following requirements:

- Site includes two pages
- Both pages have the same page properties for background color, text, headline and links
- The page background color can not be white
- Each page has a headline/title
- Each page has an image on it (choose from the balloon images saved in your folder)
- Each page has a photo caption
- Each page links to the other

Remember when saving the elements of your site (pages, images, etc...) everything must be saved in your "root" folder.

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