Handout #4 - HTML Forms

Elements

element	description	empty
`<form>`	creates a form, defines how the fields will be sent to the server	
`<fieldset>`	a group of fields	
`<legend>`	the label/heading for a fieldset, placed inside a <fieldset>	
`<label>`	a descriptive label for an input field	
`<input>`	an input field (lots of types)	✔
`<select>`	a dropdown with limited options	
`<option>`	the available options in a dropdown, placed inside a <select>	
`<button>`	a clickable button (types submit, reset, or button)	

Input Types

type	description
`hidden`	a hidden field
`text`	a generic text box
`email`	a text box for entering an email address
`tel`	a text box for entering a phone number
`url`	a text box for entering a URL
`number`	a text box for entering a number
`password`	a text box for entering a password
`search`	a search box
`datetime-local`	a widget for entering a date and time
`date`	a widget for entering a date
`time`	a widget for entering a time
`checkbox`	a checkbox (requires a label)
`radio`	a radio button (requires a label)
`file`	a widget to upload one or more files from your computer
`color`	a widget for picking a color

More information and examples found here:
https://developer.mozilla.org/en-US/docs/Learn/Forms
https://developer.mozilla.org/en-US/docs/Learn/Forms/HTML5_input_types
https://developer.mozilla.org/en-US/docs/Web/HTML/Element/input
https://developer.mozilla.org/en-US/docs/Web/HTML/Attributes/autocomplete