

PIC 40A: Homework 1 (due 10/6 at 10pm)

This first homework is very easy and will be the start of a webpage you will build onto with each homework.

To get the highest possible grade, make sure to do the following when submitting your assignments:

- You must upload your files to **Gradescope** before the deadline.
- You must upload your files to the **PIC server** in the appropriate directory before the deadline.
- Both submissions must be **identical** (down to the character).
Never make changes to the PIC server submission after the deadline.
(We can see when a file was last modified.)
- You must tell us (me and the grader) your **PIC username**.
- You must **validate** your HTML using <https://validator.w3.org/>.

In this assignment you will make two files...

1. `README.txt`. This will only contain only your PIC username in the first line and optionally whatever you want us to read in the line(s) after it.

You don't need to upload this file to the PIC server.

This is so we can find at your live webpage from your Gradescope submission.

2. `index.html`.

This will contain the HTML for a simple webpage and is the majority of the assignment.

As mentioned above, you should submit both files to Gradescope before the deadline.

You should also submit `index.html` to the PIC server. Save it in the directory

`/net/laguna/???...??/your_username/public_html/HW1`

(In the folder `HW1` within the folder `public_html`.) When you first create your live webpage you will have to create the folder `public_html`. We should all be able to view your live webpage at

www.pic.ucla.edu/~your_username/HW1

Now, I am just left to tell you what I want `index.html` to achieve. See the next page!

Make a short webpage about one of the following...

- your favorite band
- your favorite movie
- your favorite craft
- your favorite food or food ingredient
- your favorite celebrity
- or another thing you could obsess about for the next 10 weeks.

In my case, I'd be making a webpage about either System of a Down, The Triplets of Belleville, knitting, cheese, Gordon Ramsey, or my son/cats.

The first line of `index.html` should be `<!DOCTYPE html>`.

Make **appropriate** use of **all** of the following HTML tags:

- `<html>`, `<head>`, `<meta>`, `<title>`,
- `<body>`, `<header>`, `<main>`, `<footer>`,
- `<h1>`, `<h2>`, `<section>`, `<p>`,
- `` (or `` if appropriate), ``, and `` with the value of the `src` attribute set to a web address (so you do not need to download the image).

Have the footer area provide some (made up) copyright information. You **must** use `©`. You could also try out ``, `<i>`, `
`, and `<hr>` (optional).

Grading

Here's how your work will be graded...

- 3pts, all or nothing - you told us your PIC username and uploaded your files to the PIC server before the deadline.
- 3pts, all or nothing - your files are identical to what you submitted on Gradescope.
- 4pts, all or nothing - your HTML validates.
- 10pts, up to a 2-point deduction for each missing tag and each inappropriate use of one - your `index.html` accomplishes what is asked for.

Note: In future assignments, failure to address the first 3 bullet points will also result in **significant point deductions**, so please always address these issues.