TailWind CSS

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Tailwind CSS



- Tailwind CSS is a popular utility-first CSS framework that provides a set of pre-defined CSS classes that you can use to style your HTML elements.
- It includes a comprehensive set of responsive design classes, which makes it easy to create responsive layouts for your website.
- The framework is designed to be highly customizable and modular, allowing you to choose only the classes you need and tailor them to your specific design requirements.
- This can help you achieve a more efficient workflow and faster development times.

Key Features of Tailwind



- A comprehensive set of pre-defined utility classes
- A responsive design system that makes it easy to create responsive layouts
- Customizable color, typography, and spacing options
- A modular architecture that makes it easy to customize and extend
- Easy integration with popular front-end frameworks and tools
- is also designed to be highly consistent and easy to maintain.

Installation



Goto nextjs project and open the cmd write following commands;

npm install -D tailwindcss postcss autoprefixer npx tailwindcss init

Configure Project



Add the paths to all of your template files in your **tailwind.config.js** file.

```
/** @type {import('tailwindcss').Config} */
module.exports = {
  content: [
    "./app/**/*.{js,ts,jsx,tsx,mdx}",
    "./pages/**/*.{js,ts,jsx,tsx,mdx}",
    "./components/**/*.{js,ts,jsx,tsx,mdx}",
  theme: {
    extend: {},
  plugins: [],
```

Configure Project



Open the 'global.css' file and add following directives on the top of the file

```
@tailwind base;
@tailwind components;
@tailwind utilities;
```

Import Tailwind CSS in your pages/_app.js file. You can do this by adding the following code to your _app.js file:

```
import '../styles/globals.css';
```

Using TailWind



To use Tailwind CSS classes in your components. You can now use Tailwind CSS classes in your Next.js components, like this:

This will apply the bg-blue-500, text-white, and p-4 classes from Tailwind CSS to your component, which will set the background color, text color, and padding, respectively.

Tailwind Documentation



The official Tailwind CSS documentation provides a comprehensive list of classes and their corresponding CSS properties.

https://tailwindcss.com/docs/preflight

Tailwind Resources



Following **plugins** provide examples to create different templates in short time

https://daisyui.com/

https://tailblocks.cc/

https://flowbite.com/

https://tailwind-elements.com/docs/standard/designblocks/landing-

page/

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