get_theme_file_uri()

Another helpful function to use is get_theme_file_uri(). This function gives us the theme directory path. This is a very useful for many reasons when it comes to including assets, images or even urls.

Asset examples

Image

<img src="<?php echo get_theme_file_uri(); ?>/img/someImage.jpg">

Script file

<script src="<?php echo get_theme_file_uri(); ?>/js/scriptFile.js">

CSS file

<link rel="stylesheet" href="<?php echo get_theme_file_uri(); ?>/css/style.css">

Url example

<a href="<?php echo get_theme_file_uri(); ?>/url/path">Test

Differences of template directory functions

There are some differences with the template directory calls below.

get_template_file_uri()
get_parent_theme_file_uri()
get_theme_file_path()
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