

Day 3 Lab Sheet – CSS Basics & Selectors

Objective

By the end of this lab, you will:

- Apply CSS to HTML pages
- Practice using selectors (element, class, ID, pseudo-classes)
- Understand the box model (margin, border, padding)
- Style text, colors, and links

Task 1: Linking CSS to HTML

- 1. Create a file called day3_styles.html.
- 2. Add the following HTML structure:

```
<!DOCTYPE html>
<html>
<head>
<title>Day 3 Practice</title>
<link rel="stylesheet" href="style.css">
</head>
<body>
 <h1>Welcome to CSS</h1>
 This is my first styled page.
 <a href="https://www.wikipedia.org">Visit Wikipedia</a>
</body>
</html>
   3. Create a separate file style.css.
   4. In style.css, write:
body {
font-family: Arial, sans-serif;
background-color: #f0f0f0;
}
```

Open day3_styles.html in your browser → the page background should be light gray.

Task 2: Using Element, Class & ID Selectors

```
    Add the following code inside <body>:
    p id="intro">This is an introduction paragraph.
This is an important note.
2. In style.css, add:
#intro {
    color: blue;
    font-size: 18px;
}
.highlight {
    background-color: yellow;
    font-weight: bold;
}
```

Task 3: Box Model Practice

1. Add a <div> with text in day3_styles.html:

Check the difference between ID and Class selectors.

<div class="box">This is a box model example.</div>

2. In style.css, add:

```
.box {
  margin: 20px;
  padding: 15px;
  border: 3px solid black;
  background-color: lightblue;
}
```

Observe how margin, padding, and border affect layout.

Task 4: Styling Text & Links

1. Add the following inside <body>:

```
<h2>CSS Styling Demo</h2>
```

CSS makes webpages look better!

```
<a href="#">Hover over me</a>
    2. In style.css, add:
.styled-text {
color: darkgreen;
font-size: 20px;
text-align: center;
text-decoration: underline;
}
a {
color: blue;
text-decoration: none;
}
a:hover {
color: red;
text-decoration: underline;
}

▼ The link should change color on hover, and text should be styled.
```

Task 5: Mini Project - Styled Profile Page

c Create a simple **Profile Page** with:

- A heading (your name).
- A paragraph (short bio).
- An image (any sample picture).
- A link to your favorite website.
- Apply CSS:
 - o Background color for the body
 - o Different font for headings
 - o Box model styling for the bio section
 - o Hover effect on the link

Deliverables

- day3_styles.html
- style.css

Your output should show proper styling for text, box model, and links.