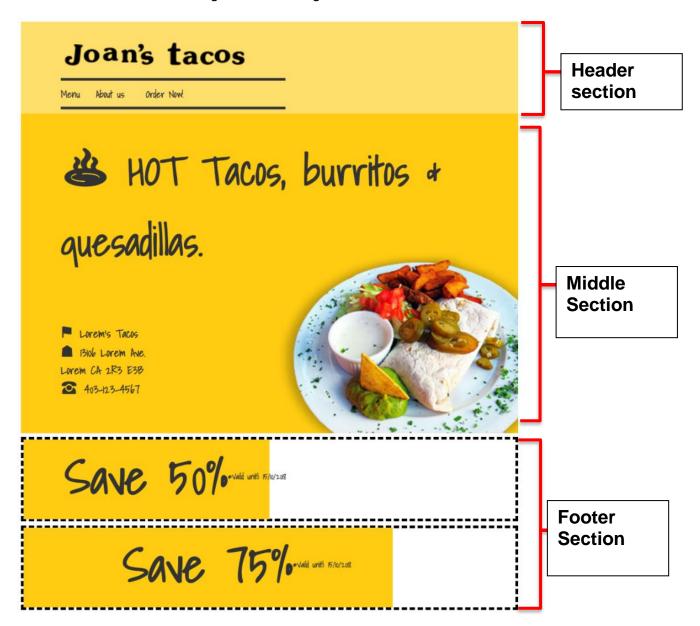


## Assessment 1: Design your first email newsletter (25 points)

Due: see course outline for a specific date

A local restaurant asks you to design an email newsletter. The newsletter should include the restaurant logo, links to the restaurant website, a poster with address and coupons attached to the end to it. However, the owner wants to go with the design below.



Now, it is your task to code the newsletter and achieves a similar result to the suggested design. Anyway, there are steps to follow when coding someone design. In this assignment, you will practice that and learn how to identify layout and what type of tags and CSS style properties to use. Also, these steps can be used in the course term project; you only need to set your design, and then use similar steps to finish your term project. For now, start working in the "Instructions" section.

#### ■ Instructions

#### Step one: Set up a project folder:

The restaurant owner provided you with images and logo (All images can be found on assignment1\_res folder. Download it from D2L under Content → Assignment 1.), and you need to include them on the final project. So, it is a good idea to create a folder for this project. The HTML document ".html" should be in the root folder (the main project folder). For extra resources such as images, create a subfolder called "images", and for the style sheet files called it "css" or "styleSheet". By now, your final project folder tree should look like this:

- newsLetter\_project (root/main folder)
  - o images (subfolder)
  - css (subfolder)

#### Step two: create a page layout using HTML:

Now, you need to figure out how to structure the HTML page layout. Build the layout besides on the design provided to you. Best way to start a layout is:

- First, write the main tags (I already have done that in the main.html file). Also separate your code
  using comments when creating a section, block or item/elements such as a start of header
  section or here article with image item/element.
- Second work in each section or item/element (header, middle, footer). Look closely at each section elements structure. For example, the footer has two blocks, which "save 50%" item/element has a larger font size than the "\* valid until 15/10/2018" item/element. So, I would use separate tags, that would give you more control and enable you to change the font size for each item/element. After finishing this step, you should have this result:

# Joan's tacos Menu About us Order Now!

& HOT Tacos, burritos & quesadillas.



- Lorem's Tacos
- 13106 Lorem Ave. Lorem CA 2R3 E3B
- **4**03-123-4567

Save 50% \*Vaild unitl: 15/10/2018 Save 75% \*Vaild unitl: 15/10/2018

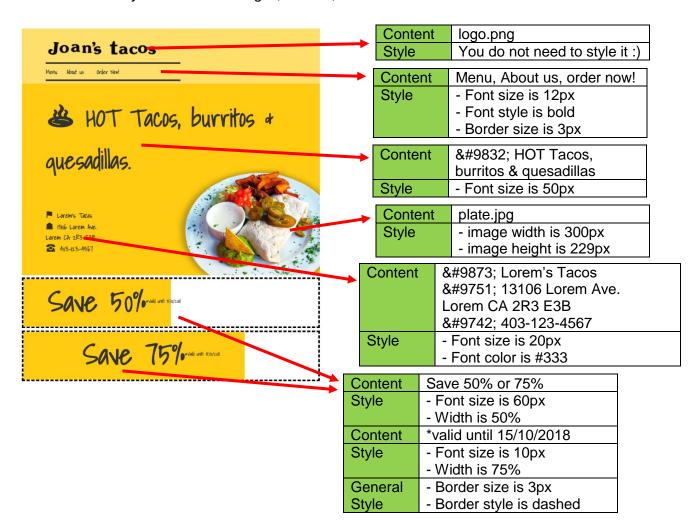
#### Step three: style and format HTML layout:

Now, you need to use CSS to style your HTML layout. Create a new style sheet file ".css" and you can name it "main.css". To start styling an HTML layout, I would consider first the position and size of every item for example in the middle section, you can see the image is at the bottom-right corner, so I would use CSS property such as position and set right, bottom values to 0xp. After you get every item in its right position, start working on fonts, color, border ...etc. Use these detailed for styling:

- Document width is 580px.
- Header section background color is #FFDF6B
- All sections text Color is #333
- Body section background color is #ffcc11
- Font family type: "Shadows Into Light" (link) and here how you can attach to your code. In the head tag add this code:

k href="https://fonts.googleapis.com/css?family=Shadows+Into+Light" rel="stylesheet">
And in CSS add below code to a tag:

font-family: 'Shadows Into Light', cursive;



At the end of this step, you should see a similar result to below image:



## Step four: check code errors:

Now, you need to check errors on your code.

- First, check syntax errors, if there is any, fix them.
- Second, check run-time errors, if there is any, fix them.
- Third, look if you have achieved the same result/output of this project, if not. Identify where is the problem for example, if the layout is not on the same order as required, check your HTML code first, then check your CSS code especially the position and display properties. If you have tried everything and still not getting a good result, please feel free to email, and I will be happy to help
  .

## Step Five: Wrap up your project:

Now, check all project folders and files, make sure they all open fine. Next, zip your main/root folder and only send that zip folder. Here are some links may help with file formatting:

- How to zip a file in Windows 10: https://www.laptopmag.com/articles/how-to-zip-files-windows-10
- Free file compressor application for Windows: http://www.7-zip.org/download.html
- How to zip a file in Mac: <a href="https://www.lifewire.com/how-to-zip-and-unzip-files-and-folders-on-a-mac-2260188">https://www.lifewire.com/how-to-zip-and-unzip-files-and-folders-on-a-mac-2260188</a>
- Free file compressor application for Mac: https://theunarchiver.com/
- How to save a pdf in MS Word document: <a href="https://www.bettercloud.com/monitor/the-academy/save-word-doc-pdf/">https://www.bettercloud.com/monitor/the-academy/save-word-doc-pdf/</a>

Please refer to the rubric at the end of this document for evaluation details.

#### **Submit**

- 1. Name your folder newsLetter\_project.
- 2. Right-click on the folder and choose Send to -> Compressed (zipped) folder.
- 3. Upload the zipped folder to the Assignment 1 Dropbox
- Tips: tags and css properties you may need to use. Feel free to use any tag that is not listed below:

Tags		Tag	
-	meta	-	a
-	title	-	article
-	link	-	br
-	img	-	section
-	nav	-	div
-	h1	-	time
-	span		
-	p		

CSS		CSS			
-	font-family	-	background-color	-	margin
-	width	-	overflow	-	vertical-align
-	padding	-	position	-	bottom
-	color	-	text-align	-	right
-	text-align	-	font-size	-	left
-	font-size	-	line-height	-	top
-	margin-top	-	font-height		
-	font-family	-	border		
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To learn more about any tag, search W3C website. https://www.w3schools.com/tags/

To learn more about any CSS property, search W3C website: https://www.w3schools.com/cssref/

#### **Evaluation**

This assessment is graded out of 20 points and will be evaluated using the following rubric.

Learners may receive partial scores or a zero for unacceptable work.

Marking Component	Out of	
Page layout is well structured and organized	3	
The right font applied to all page	2	
The right color for both background and font color applied	2	
The code compiles with no errors	3	
All page items are in the right position	3	
Page style with an external style sheet.	2	
HTML symbols are applied	2	
Code comments are used and clear	3	
	Total	20
	Final	25/25