CM1040 Web Development Week 19 Lecture Note

Notebook: Web Development

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Topic:

Web hosting and professional practices

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Essential Question:

How do we ethically deploy websites?

Questions/Cues:

• How can a website be made available on the Internet for use?

Notes

- Website (available use) = in order for a website to usable and available on the internet, it needs to be uploaded to a web server. The web server is a computer that is running web serving software and a unique identity, so that pages on it can be found from anywhere in the world
 - If we want our own website, first step is decide what the unique identity will be and buy it (domain name) from a company that will register it with the authority that administers these names for the whole Internet
 - It's this domain name that will provide the core for your website URLs
 - After buying the domain name, the next step is to associate the name with a
 web server somewhere in the world, the simplest way to do this is rent a web
 server from a company that will take responsibility for ensuring that a computer
 will be given the domain name and is connected to the Internet
 - Every device connected to the Internet can be identified by a unique combination of 4 number between 0 and 255 separated by a dot ie.
 151.101.64.81 known as the IP address
 - The website hosting company will register your domain name and the computer's unique IP address to ensure your website can be found and accessed
 - The company will also tell how to move your HTML, CSS & JS to the server and how to maintain your site
 - When hosting your own website at home, beware that IP addresses to the home often change

Summary

In this week, we learned about web-hosting principles.