

Project 2

Art Gallery Viewer

Overview:

In this project, you will build upon the HTML page you created in Project 1. That project included a homepage with a header image and six gallery images, each linking to a separate gallery page. Now, you will apply CSS styles to improve the visual design and layout of that same site.

Objective:

Enhance the existing HTML-based Art Store website using CSS3. You will focus on layout styling, background images, horizontal navigation, and visual formatting of the gallery cards.

Instructions:

1. Do not change your existing HTML structure (from Project 1). Instead, create a new CSS file and link it to your HTML files.
2. Add a background image to the header section, and set background-size to cover. Set its width to 100% and min-height to 500px.
3. Add a logo as a background-image in the top-left corner of the header. Adjust its size to about 60px and apply suitable padding and height to position it well.
4. Use margins and padding to properly position and align any text content within the header area, if applicable.
5. Style the six gallery images (cards) in the main section:
 - o Display them in a single row using inline-block or flex.
 - o Add padding and margin to create consistent spacing.
6. Optionally, add decorative icons (like heart or comment) using background-image, with proper sizing and positioning.
7. **Test your design** in a browser:
 - Compare the spacing, alignment, and visual flow of your layout to make sure everything looks consistent and clean.
 - You don't need to match an exact reference image, but your design should resemble a well-styled art gallery homepage.

Notes:

- You are **not** required to modify the content or structure of the gallery pages created in Project 1.
- This project focuses **only on the visual design and styling** using CSS — your HTML logic and linking should already be in place.
- Avoid rewriting any of the HTML unless needed for applying a class or ID for styling purposes.