XML is everywhere

- **DocBook** is a SCHEMA that is in use by a lot of publishers. It is includes a public DTD that defines a taxonomy.
- RSS (Real Simple Syndication) is a web feed technology that is specified in XML format.
- XML is also used to keep user data and configuration information. eg, plist
- DTDs can be Open Source and enhanced through time
- XHTML versions (held by w3.org) are public DTDs
- ONIX is XML to store metadata about books

Editing XML

- XML is human readable text and can be edited with any raw text editor
- However this isn't something you want to do
- XML is usually generated through some kind of web interface so that the mark-up / code is hidden to the editor
- There are XML editors such as Oxygen