

Creating Dynamic Web Sites:

Design an HTML page in my text. To start creating template for a Web site, design the layout like a standard HTML page, independent of any PHP code. For this chapter's example, I'm using slightly modified version of the "Plain and Simple" template created by(www.edg3.co.uk). Mark where any page-specific content goes. Almost every Web site has several common elements on each page header, navigation, advertising, footer-and one or more page-specific section.

Site Structure:

When you begin using multiple files in your Web applications, the overall site structure becomes more important. When laying out your site, there are two primary considerations:

- Ease of maintenance
- Security

Using external files for holding standard procedures(i.e, PHP code), CSS, javascript, and the HTML design will greatly improve the ease of maintaining your site because commonly edited code is placed in one central location.