

THE BUILDING BLOCKS

Basic tools

OS: macOS

Text editor: VSCode

Web browser: firefox

Terminal: iterm

Design software: adobe xd; photoshop; sketch; figma;

HTML & CSS \$

HTML5 Page structure and semantic tags

Basic CSS styling

Positioning

Alignment (flex box& css grid)

Transitions and animation

Responsive design / media queries

Sass \$

CSS preprocessor that give you more functionality

CSS / UI Frameworks (choose one)

Tailwind CSS (new but strange)

Bootstrap (old but popular)

UI Design (not programming related)

color&contrast

White space

Scale

Visual hierarchy

Typography

JavaScript

extremely important frontend / full stack language

Basics: variables, arrays, functions, loops, etc

DOM & styling

Array methods

JSON

HTTP requests

Other tools

Version control: Git

Repo manager: GitHub

Package manager: NPM (good for javascript package management)

Module Bundler: Parcel

Browser Development tools (console, network tab, application tab, storage, etc.)

Editor extension & helpers (linting, prettier, liver server, emmet, snippets, etc)

Basic Frontend Deployment

Static hosting: netlify

Cpanel hosting: Inmotion

Deployment Methods:

Git

FTP/SFTP

SSH

Domain registering: namecheap

Email Hosting: namecheap

SSL Certificates: lets encrypt

At this point you do not know any frontend frameworks, but you do know the fundamentals

You Could start applying for jobs at this point

FRONTEND SUPERSTAR

Frontend Framework (choose one)

React

Vue

Angular

Svelte

State Management

React : redux, context, Mobx
Vue : Vuex
Angular : shared service, NGRX
Svelte : Context API

Typescript

* typescript is a superset of Javascript, often paired with a Frontend Framework *

Testing

Unit Test
Integration Test
End to End Testing

Serverside rendering

React: Next.js
Vue: Nuxt.js
Angular: Angular Universal
Svelte: sapper

Static Site Generators

Gatsby
Gridsome
11ty
Jekyll
Hugo

Headless CMS

Strapi
Sanity.io
Contentful
Prismic
Wordpress

The Jamstack (Javascript; Api; Markups)

web architecture with high performance, security, scalability, and low cost

Static sites/ assets
Markdown

Serverless
HeadlessCMS for content
Hosting with services like netlify

SHARPEN YOUR SKILLS

Algorithms

Data Structures

Primitive and non primitive
Popular DSs: Array, linked list, Queue, Stack, Tree, Graph, Hash Tables

Software Design Patterns

Singleton
Facade
Bridge/adapter
Strategy
Observer