Color palette (+ built-in white, black, and grays):
- In tailwind.config, added bg-fern, bg-sage, bg-cream, bg-orange, bg-gold
  - fern: '#4e7c3c', sage: '#a0c59b', cream: '#e4d6a0', orange: '#f7a659', gold: '#d59b3e'



- Buttons use tailwind green-600 and green-700 (on hover)
- On user page, using emerald-600 for location & dietary restrictions
- Color palette is WCAG compliant - all font/background color combinations result in readable text

Fonts:
- Currently using Chonburi for heading 1
- Using Inter for body and other headings

Spacing and layout principles:
- Containers: max width of 1280px, centered with mx-auto
- Grid layout: Food cards are displayed in a responsive grid using flexbox and flex-wrap. This allows for food cards to be displayed in a grid where rows are adjusted such that all food cards fit on screen. A fixed gap is also specified between all food cards in the grid.
- Card padding: All food cards and profile content use p-4 or p-6 internally to separate from other listings. This padding is responsive to different screen sizes

Component behavior, including hover effects, transitions, and animations.
Cards:
- Food item card - white background, has slight drop shadow hover effect with 300 ms transition
- Profile card - rounded borders, and hover effect for buttons to indicate these are clickable
- Sort, filter, and search buttons shrink slightly when hovered over
- Filter button drop-down menu items darken when hovered over
- Return and reserve buttons darken when hovered over
- Favorite button brightens when hovered over and has two states depending on if card is favorited

Accessibility standards, ensuring WCAG compliance where applicable
- Profile page and food card buttons have tooltips and titles
- Color scheme is high contrast and accessible
- Follows Google's Material Design guidelines

Responsive design considerations, defining how components should adapt to different screen sizes.
- Banner: Profile picture and main logo shrink for smaller screens, with the main title becoming just our logo for mobile devices.
- Food cards: fixed width and height, allowing for at least one card to fit on screen for all devices
- Food card grid: food cards are displayed using flex with the flex-wrap property. This allows for the number of food cards per row to be updated depending on how many food cards can fit on screen in each row.