

Enriching Web Pages: Adding Headings

In this lesson, we add headings and learn more about them!
Let's head right into it!

WE'LL COVER THE FOLLOWING



- Adding headings
- **Listing 2-12:** Using headings at all levels

It's All in The Headings

Although you can create compound text documents with HTML text formatting tags, the experience your users got would be really poor and sullen.

To set your web pages to show signals of life, you need to get acquainted with a few more HTML tags. Adding more structure and formatting to your texts transforms your page into a more realistic document. Adding images and links to other pages opens a new world for the viewers of your page.

Adding headings

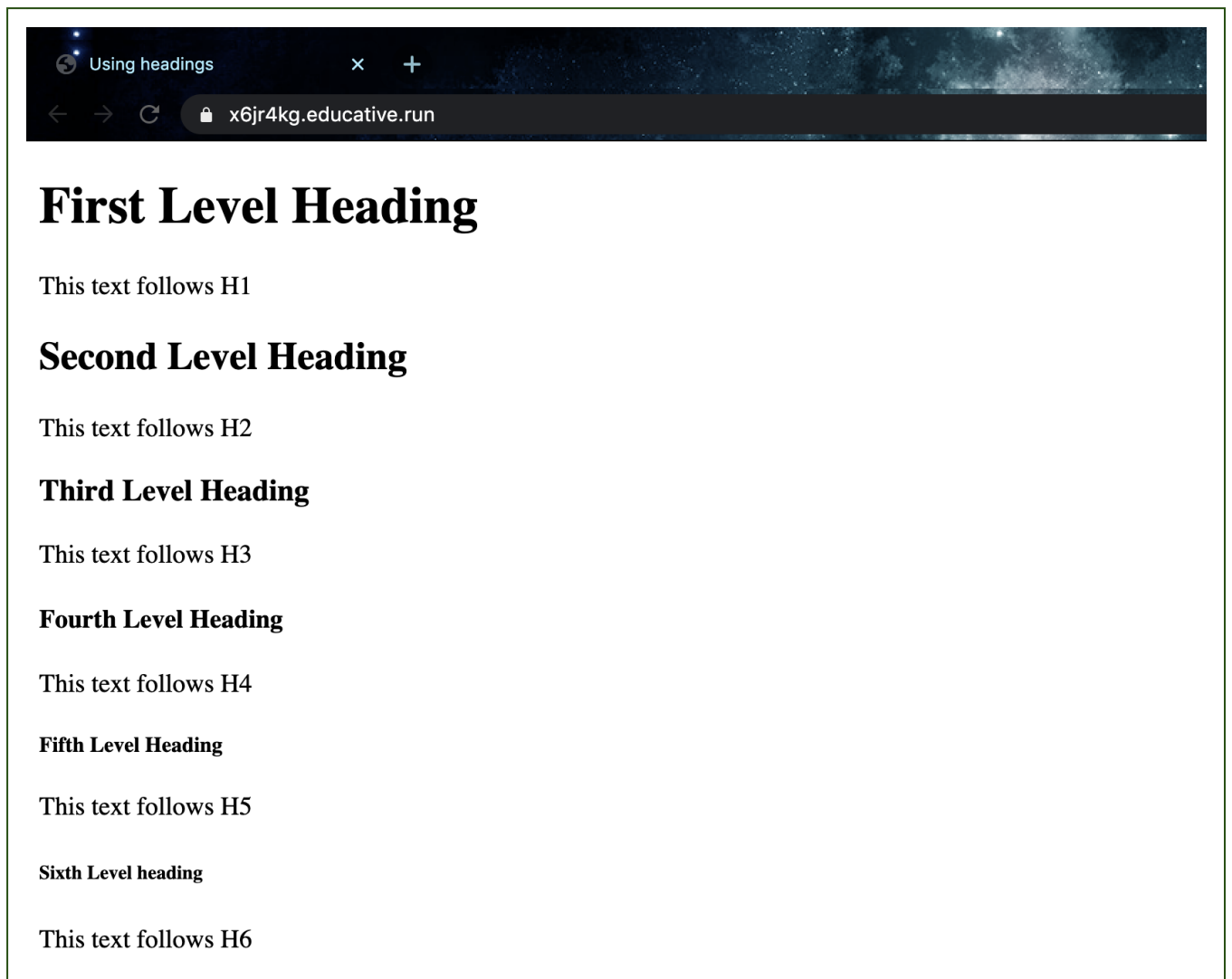
In [Chapter 2: A Short Tour of HTML, CSS, and JavaScript](#) you have already met with the `<h1>` and `<h2>` tags that represent first and second level headings, respectively.

These headings give a structure to your document, namely second level headings with their related content are logically nested to their parent (first level) heading. HTML allows you to use six levels of headings with the `<h1>`, `<h2>`, `<h3>`, `<h4>`, `<h5>`, and `<h6>` tags.

Listing 2-12 demonstrates using them; the page rendered from this markup is shown in the image given below:

Listing 2-12: Using headings at all levels

```
<!DOCTYPE html>
<html>
  <head>
    <title>Using headings</title>
  </head>
  <body>
    <h1>First Level Heading</h1>
    <p>This text follows H1</p>
    <h2>Second Level Heading</h2>
    <p>This text follows H2</p>
    <h3>Third Level Heading</h3>
    <p>This text follows H3</p>
    <h4>Fourth Level Heading</h4>
    <p>This text follows H4</p>
    <h5>Fifth Level Heading</h5>
    <p>This text follows H5</p>
    <h6>Sixth Level heading</h6>
    <p>This text follows H6</p>
  </body>
</html>
```



HTML headings

In the *next lesson*, we'll learn about HTML lists.

See you there!