Web Dev Day 5: Recap

Website Development UBC | Coding Pals **HTML** Recap

HTML Syntax

- Opening & closing tags (<> </>)
- Always contains:
 - <!DOCTYPE html>
 - Opening & closing <html> tags
- Indented tags (for readability)
- Child & Sibling tags
- Order of sibling tags matters
- Attributes

<!DOCTYPE html> <html> <head> <title>Page Title</title> </head> <body> <h1>My First Heading</h1> My first paragraph. </body> </html>

HTML Head Section

- Meta tags
- Title tags
- Link tags
- Additional attributes & properties

```
<head>
    <meta charset="UTF-8">
        <title>Amazing CodingPals Website!</title>
        link rel="stylesheet" href="styles.css">
    </head>
```

Anchor (Hyperlink) Tags

- Denoted with the <a> tag
- Used to link to different websites (also can link to images, but not very common)
- Can nest other tags
- Href attribute
 - Href must start with 'https://'
- Target attribute

<body>

<h1>Google</h1>



</body>



Breaks, horizontal rule

<hr>

No closing tag (</>)

<u>Underline</u> Highlight <u>Underline</u> Highlight

Underline

Highlight

Lists

- Unordered () vs. Ordered ()
- Individual elements denoted by
- Attribute to define type of ordering
- Notice the indents

Unordered List:



Ordered List:

 item 1 item 2 a href="https://google.com">item3
1. item 1 2. item 2 3. <u>item3</u>

Images

- Denoted with the tag (single tag, no need for closing tag)
- Attributes:
 - Src (source)
 - Alt (alternative link)
 - Width & height (html considers aspect ratios)

Images need to be referenced with a path

Create a folder named "images" under the main folder directory



Videos

- Denoted with the <video> tag
- Attributes
 - Src (source; can define multiple and the browser will play the first one that is compatible)
 - \circ Controls (gives the option to play, pause, etc.)
 - Width & height
 - Poster (thumbnail of a video)
 - Autoplay
 - o Loop
- Like images, videos must be referenced by a path
- Optional text between opening and closing <video> tags to display a message if none of the src videos are compatible

YouTube Videos/ iFrame

iFrame is essentially an webpage embedded inside another page. And iFrame is also the easiest way to embed a Youtube video into a webpage.

<iframe src="source" title="description"></iframe>

Water is also called H₂O

2⁴ is 16.



<u>Wikipedia</u><u>Google</u>

Tables

The syntax for table is very similar to the syntax for a list, but there are a few more elements.

For an example code for the table element, refer to next slide.

Тад	Description		
<u></u>	Defines a table		
<u></u>	Defines a header cell in a table		
<u></u>	Defines a row in a table		
<u></u>	Defines a cell in a table		
<caption></caption>	Defines a table caption		
<colgroup></colgroup>	Specifies a group of one or more columns in a table for formatting		
<u><col/></u>	Specifies column properties for each column within a <colgroup> element</colgroup>		
<thead></thead>	Groups the header content in a table		
<u></u>	Groups the body content in a table		
<tfoot></tfoot>	Groups the footer content in a table		

Table Syntax

Name Age Occupation </thead> Gary 17 Student Davis 17 Student

Name Age OccupationGary 17StudentDavis 17Student

Divs and Spans

- Inline vs Block elements

 <a> is an example of inline,
 is an example of block
- Divs are for block elements while Spans are for inline elements
- Divs and spans define "sections" of HTML to group it all under one category



IDs and Classes

IDs and Classes are used to assign an identifier to an HTML tag

Referenced when styling specific elements

- IDs can only be used once
- Classes can be used for multiple tags

Will go more into detail for CSS

CSS Recap

Directories and Relative Paths

To access files within the same system, we can use paths instead of https links

To access the picture.pdf file from current.html, we can:

- href="picture.pdf"
- href="/images/picture.pdf"
- href="../images/picture.pdf"

Notice how "/images/picture.pdf" is different from "images/picture.pdf"



Element Selector

In CSS, you can select an entire type of elements to make changes on. For example, you can select the element and change its attributes, which will cause all elements in that webpage to be altered.

p{

color: blue;

Note: the "*" selector targets all elements in Wate the HTML document

Today, I learned about HTML

I love coding!

Today is a good day. I got a big fish and a small turtle.

Link without _blank



Water is also called H₂O

Targeting Specific IDs and Classes

We can also target IDs and Classes to style

- This is why it is important to give HTML tags IDs and Classes

. and #

- Use a "." before the class name to target a class
- Use a "#" before the ID name to target an ID

It is also possible to assign one element to multiple classes.

Colours

.classname {

/* the three following lines do the same thing */
color: red;
color: rgb(255,0,0);
color: #ff0000

Can also define background colours with "background-color" Use RGBA to define an opacity value at the end [ex: rgba(255,0,0,0.5)]



Text can be customized in many different way using CSS!

Some example of properties that we can play around with are:

- color
- background-color
- text-align
- text-decoration
- text-transform
- letter-spacing

Width and Height

Certain tags need widths and heights defined

We can define width and height in two ways:

- 1. Absolute units: px, cm, etc. (do not add a space between the number and the unit)
- 2. Relative units:
 - a. Rem: relative to the font size of the root element
 - b. Em: relative to the font size of the element

Box Model (Padding, Border, Margin)

Margin	
Border	
Padding	
Content	

Display & Justify Content

Display lets us manipulate the positioning and placement of elements

We can change inline elements to block and block elements to inline

By using "display: flex" we can change spacing with the "justify-content" property as shown below in the following ways:

- I. **flex-start** = Default value. Items are positioned at the beginning of the container
- II. **flex-end** = Items are positioned at the end of the container
- III. **center** = Items are positioned in the center of the container
- IV. **space-between** = Items will have space between them
- V. **space-around** = Items will have space before, between, and after them
- VI. **space-evenly** = Items will have equal space around them



display: flex;

justify-content: center;

p {

Align Items

Another useful attribute with flex displays is called align-items

For all the elements in your div they need to be aligned

Options:

- I. flex-start = Align everything to the top
- II. flex-end = Align everything to the bottom
- III. center = Align everything in the center
- IV. stretch = Stretches everything to top & bottom
- V. baseline = Align texts to be on the same level



Position

- Static
- Relative
 - top, bottom, left, right
- Absolute
- Fixed
- Sticky
- Z-index

Absolute vs. Fixed vs. Sticky



JS Recap

JavaScript Syntax

- SOMEWHAT similar to CSS
- Curly bracket language
- Needs semicolons after each line except after curly brackets



What is a variable?

- A variable is a way for us to store a value, which can also be changed or modified later

Three ways to define variables:

- Var (not preferred)
- Let
- Const



A data type refers to what kind of data is being stored in a variable

Examples of data types:

- Number
- String
- Boolean (true/false)
- Null

Variables are *dynamically typed* in JavaScript, meaning that they can change from one data type to another after being defined (unless const)

JavaScript Operators

- +: Addition
- -: Subtraction
- *: Multiplication
- /: Division
- ** : Exponential
- %: Modulus
- ++ : Increment (Add by 1)
- --: Decrement (Subtract by 1)
- = : Assign

If-Else Statements

If-else statements come in handy when you need to run conditional logic

- Checking equality (==) vs. strict equality (===)

Syntax example:

let x = 5;

```
if (x === 5){
    console.log("x is 5!")
}else if (x > 5){
    console.log("x is greater than 5!")
}else{ // to hit this condition, x must be < 5
    console.log("x is less than 5!")
}</pre>
```

Arrays/For Loops

We can use arrays to store groups of data together

We refer to arrays elements with indexes, starting at index 0

We can use a loop to loop through an array, specifically by defining the index and looping through until we loop through every index

}

let cars = ["audi","bmw","mercedes"];

console.log(cars[0]);// prints audi console.log(cars[1]);// prints bmw console.log(cars[2]);// prints mercedes

for (let i=0;i<cars.length;i++){
 console.log(cars[i]);</pre>

// prints audi, bmw, and mercedes on 3 separate lines

Scope (Global vs Local)

If you define variables in a local scope (ex. within an if statement), you cannot call them in a wider scope

Ex:

```
if (variable === true){
```

let x = 5; // defining a variable here

console.log(x); // will not run, because the variable 'x' is not defined in this scope

Functions

Functions are used to avoid repeating code

Defined by:

function functionname(){

// code inside the function goes here

Functions can return values or print data or change some information

Calling a Function from HTML

Function defined in JS:

function clicked(){ document.getElementById("divid").innerHTML = "Hello JavaScript!"; }

Calling the function in HTML:

<button onclick='clicked()'>Click Me!</button>

Using JS to Change HTML

Create a button tag in HTML with the <button> tag

Set the "onclick" attribute to change the text from black to blue

We can reference our HTML document with the "document" keyword in JS We can call an element by ID with "getElementById"

<button onclick="document.getElementById('idname').style.color = 'blue'">Click Me!</button>

Using JS to Change CSS

We can target CSS with JS as well with the style keyword

document.getElementById("idname").style.color = "red";

Some things are not present under the .style keyword, so we can also use setProperty("propertyname", "value") to change CSS as well

Game Time!

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