

PROJECT TWO

GOAL Create a one page informational website about a topic of your choice. Website will have an external css style sheet, use at least one web font, use some HTML5 tags, have images, and a link to an external website. This project will pull together all the content that we have discussed so far this semester.

SKILLS

- Demonstrate ability to code a single page website from scratch with external CSS.
- Demonstrate understanding of HTML5 tags and css positioning of content.
- Demonstrate ability to add links, and images to HTML document
- Demonstrate ability to FTP website to a live server.

Web site could be a How-To step by step guide, a time-line of a topics history, or a narration about a topic. Some examples of topics: The history of knitting, How to make paper jelly, How to train your Narwhal, The history of motion graphics, Understanding Cats: translating typical cat behavior. Get creative with your topic and have fun, start with something you have an interest in or want to learn more about. You can make up your own content or copy from other sources.

REQUIREMENTS:
PART ONE: PLANNING

1. Pick a topic! (If you are struggling to find a topic start with your interests, or write 4 different things you like (Examples: Hiking, cats, grilled cheese, cheese in general...) on slips of paper and 4 different things you know how to do. (Examples: Tying your shoes, back-packing in winter, making easy mac; brewing beer) Draw one of the slips of paper and base your informational website around that.

2. Gather information/Visual research: Pull from other sources and remember to save links and book titles and authors to give credit or make up your own content. Find examples of sites you like the layouts of for inspiration.

3. Wire-frames: Sketch out the layout of your website. Think about your content, how will you divide the content into different sections to create a hierarchy? Think about your html5 tags you will need to include (Header, nav, section, article, aside, h1-h4, block-quote/cite, footer)

4. Pick a web-font, and a color scheme

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REQUIREMENTS:
PART TWO: CODING

1. HTML file:

- Include all of your gathered content
- 2 or more images
- Use a web font
- Header, nav, section, article, main, aside, h1-h4, blockquote/cite, footer
- Links to external websites (*can be resources or supporting material for your topic. Place these links in an unordered list inside the <nav> tag.*)
- No in-line styles in css. Link to a an external css file in the head of your html.

2. CSS file: Style your content

DELIVERABLES

Upload: index.html and style.css to google classroom along with any images you used.

Upload : Your process pdf of topic, visual research, wire-frames, web-font and color scheme.

FTP a folder with your nameNoSpaces that holds your index.html, style.css, and images to <http://www.laurahuisinga-design.com/GD50/S17projects>

Final Critique: Monday, March, 13th (*Due 3/15/17*) [*Monday Wednesday class*]

OR

Final Critique: Tuesday, March, 14th (*Due 3/16/17*) [*Tuesday Thursday class*]