

**Syntax**

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selector {property: value;}

**External Style Sheet**

<link rel="stylesheet" type="text/css" href="style.css" />

**Internal Style**

<style type="text/css">  
selector {property: value}  
</style>

**Inline Style**

<tag style="property: value">

**General**

|                   |  |
|-------------------|--|
| <b>class</b>      | String preceded by a full stop [.]   |
| <b>ID</b>         | String preceded by a hash [#]  |
| <b>div</b>        | Formats structure or block of text   |
| <b>span</b>       | Inline formatting  |
| <b>color</b>      | Foreground colour  |
| <b>cursor</b>     | Appearance of the cursor   |
| <b>display</b>    | block; inline; list-item; none   |
| <b>overflow</b>   | How to handle content that overflows its box.<br>visible, hidden, scroll, auto |
| <b>visibility</b> | visible, hidden  |

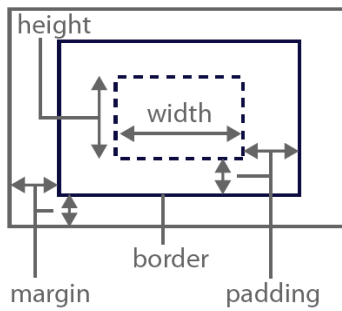
**Font**

|                     |  |
|---------------------|--|
| <b>font-style</b>   | italic, normal                                   |
| <b>font-variant</b> | normal, small-caps                               |
| <b>font-weight</b>  | bold, normal, lighter, bolder, integer [100-900] |
| <b>font-size</b>    | Size of the font                                 |
| <b>font-family</b>  | Specific font[s] to be used.                     |

**Text**

|                        |  |
|------------------------|--|
| <b>letter-spacing</b>  | Space between letters                          |
| <b>line-height</b>     | Vertical space between baselines               |
| <b>text-align</b>      | Horizontal alignment                           |
| <b>text-decoration</b> | blink, line-through, none, overline, underline |
| <b>text-indent</b>     | First line indentation                         |
| <b>text-transform</b>  | capitalise, lowercase, uppercase               |
| <b>vertical-align</b>  | Vertical alignment                             |
| <b>word-spacing</b>    | Spacing between words                          |

**This Needs a Diagram**



height; width;  
margin-top;  
margin-right;  
margin-bottom;  
margin-left;  
padding-top;  
padding-right;  
padding-bottom;  
padding-left;

**Border**

|                     |  |
|---------------------|--|
| <b>border-width</b> | Width of the border  |
| <b>border-style</b> | dashed; dotted; double; groove; inset; outset; ridge; solid; none; |
| <b>border-color</b> | Colour of the border   |

**Position**

|                 |  |
|-----------------|--|
| <b>clear</b>    | If any floating elements around the element<br>both, left, right, none       |
| <b>float</b>    | Floats to a specified side<br>left, right, none                              |
| <b>left</b>     | The left position of an element<br>auto, length values [pt, in, cm, px]      |
| <b>top</b>      | The top position of an element<br>auto, length values [pt, in, cm, px]       |
| <b>position</b> | static, relative, absolute   |
| <b>z-index</b>  | Above or below overlapping elements<br>auto, integer [higher numbers on top] |

**Background**

|                              |  |
|------------------------------|--|
| <b>background-color</b>      | Colour of background                                   |
| <b>background-image</b>      | Background image                                       |
| <b>background-repeat</b>     | repeat, no-repeat, repeat-x, repeat-y                  |
| <b>background-attachment</b> | Background image scrolls with element<br>scroll, fixed |
| <b>background-position</b>   | (x y), top, center, bottom, left, right                |

**List**

|                            |  |
|----------------------------|--|
| <b>list-style-type</b>     | Type of bullet or numbering in the list<br>disc; circle; square; decimal; lower-roman; upper-roman; lower-alpha; upper-alpha; none |
| <b>list-style-position</b> | Position of the bullet or number in a list<br>inside; outside  |
| <b>list-style-image</b>    | Image to be used as the bullet in the list   |

**Shorthand**

background  
border  
border-bottom  
border-left  
border-right  
border-top  
font  
list-style  
margin  
padding

**Comments**

/\* Comments \*/

**Pseudo Selectors**

:hover  
:active  
:focus  
:link  
:visited  
:first-line  
:first-letter

**Media Types**

all  
braille  
embossed  
handheld  
print  
projection  
screen  
speech  
tty  
tv

**Units**

**Length**  
%  
em  
pt  
px  
**Keywords**  
bolder  
lighter  
larger

Please note that developing CSS to work with IE6 is a lost cause. Spread the word: encourage your users to give up on IE 6 (unchanged since 2001.)

