



Dreamweaver Website Development

Dreamweaver Website Development is a 3-day course that provides web designers with the knowledge and hands-on practice they need to build and manage professional websites.

Target Student: This course is designed for web designers who want to use Dreamweaver to create and maintain websites or those wishing to establish a strong foundation in Dreamweaver in order to communicate effectively with site designers and content specialists.

Prerequisites: To ensure your success, you must have a basic understanding of your computer's operating system. For example, you should know how to launch an application, create and save files, and copy files from CDs and other media.

Delivery Method: Instructor-led, classroom-delivery learning model with structured hands-on activities.

Benefits: After completing this course, you will be able to create websites that include graphics, style sheets, tables and links, as well as navigation bars and other page elements that provide visual feedback. You will also learn techniques for creating complex websites efficiently.

What's Next:

HTML Learn the building-block code of efficient web pages to build sites from scratch or supplement the features of your page editor.

Flash Rich Content Creation Add animation and user interaction to your website with graphics, text and sound effects.

Acrobat/PDF Learn how to create and secure PDFs for document distribution on the web.

Dreamweaver Dynamic Application Development Increase the complexity of your sites by helping your site "break out of the box."

Performance-Based Objectives

Upon successful completion of this course, you will be able to:

- Explain basic concepts about the Internet and the World Wide Web, identify the basic issues concerning proper site design, and navigate in the Dreamweaver work environment.
- Define a site in Dreamweaver to organize and maintain its webpages and create a basic webpage by typing text and applying character and paragraph formatting.
- Use the Site Panel to create and organize files and folders.
- Insert images, set image properties, and create and format tables.
- Add links within a site, create anchors, specify external links, use images as links, and create image maps.
- Create CSS styles to streamline text formatting within a page and create external style sheets to allow formatting information to be used throughout a site.
- Use libraries to manage repeating site elements and templates for page design and easy site maintenance.
- Test your site as well as maintain and synchronize files.
- Create and manage AP elements.
- Add a form to a webpage.





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Getting Started

- Learning the Interface
- Defining a Local Site
- Creating a Website

Adding Content to a Site

- Adding Content
- Controlling Document Structure
- Making Lists
- Adding Horizontal Rules
- Adding Special Characters

Formatting with Cascading Style Sheets

- Formatting Text
- Introducing Cascading Style Sheets
- Creating Styles
- Exporting CSS Rule Definitions
- Creating Class Styles
- Attaching External Style Sheets
- Creating Advanced Styles
- Creating a New External Style Sheet
- Displaying Styles
- Understanding Cascading Order and Inheritance of Styles
- Creating Internal Styles with the Property Inspector
- Using Code Navigator

Working with Graphics

- Using Graphics on Webpages
- Placing Graphics on the Page
- Accessibility Setting
- Modifying Image Properties
- Editing Images
- Doing Roundtrip Editing with Fireworks
- Customizing the Insert Bar
- Adding Flash Content
- Adding Flash Video

Navigating Your Site

- Understanding Site Navigation
- Linking to Files in Your Site
- Linking to Sites
- Targeting a Link
- Linking to Named Anchors
- Adding E-mail Links
- Linking from Images
- Image Maps
- Creating a Jump Menu

Designing Page Layouts with CSS

- Understanding Page Layout
- Using Layers for Layout
- Adding CSS to Layers
- Using Absolute and Relative Positioning
- Designing with DIVs
- Designing Navigation Links with CSS
- Importing Tabular Data

Using Libraries and Templates

- Using Site Library Items
- Creating Site Templates
- Defining Editable Regions
- Using Templates
- Applying a Template to an Existing Page
- Modifying Templates

Creating Forms with Adobe Spry

- Understanding Forms
- Form Accessibility and Usability
- Using Spry Toolbar to add Validation to Form Fields
- Setting Focus in a Form
- Creating Tableless Forms with CSS
- Setting focus in a Form
- Validating a Form

Testing, Maintaining, and Uploading

- Testing Your Site
- Maintaining Your Files and Folders
- Connecting to a Remote Site
- Synchronizing Files