

Getting Started

If you have already installed a text editor, go ahead and use that if not, laptops usually come with an already installed text editors. If you're using a windows you can use Notepad.

If you are using MAC, you can use TextEdit. If you are using TextEdit, follow the steps:

1. Open TextEdit Application. Select **File > New** from the menu bar
2. Select **Format** on the menu bar and click on **Make Plain Text**

Create a folder and name it "html project".

Step 1

Setting Format

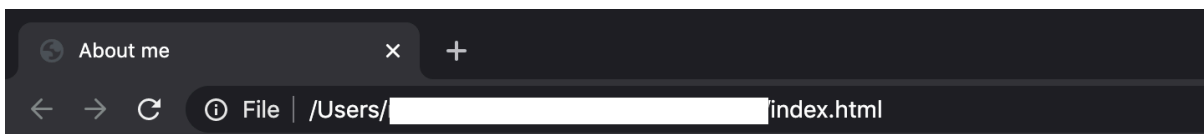
On your preferred text editor, type in the following (replace your name, age, and what you like to do with your name, age, and what you enjoy doing):

```
<!DOCTYPE html>
<html>
<title> About me </title>
<body>
<h1> My name is ___ </h1>
<h4> I am __ years old </h4>
<p> I like to _____ </p>
</body>
</html>
```

After typing this save the file as "index.html".

Open the document

Open the "index.html" document using your preferred browser and it should look similar to the picture below.



My name is Mary

I am 12 years old

I like to play football

Notice the name of the tab and the size of each line. What do you think is causing the difference of font size between each line?

Analyse your document

All HTML documents must start with a document type declaration: `<!DOCTYPE html>`.

The HTML document itself begins with `<html>` and ends with `</html>`.

The visible part of the HTML document is between `<body>` and `</body>`.

Anything between `<title>` and `</title>` shows the title of the tab.

HTML headings are defined with the `<h1>` to `<h6>` tags.

`<h1>` defines the most important heading. `<h6>` defines the least important heading, which is why the bigger the number beside h the smaller the font size.

Paragraphs are defined by `<p>` in HTML.

Step 2:

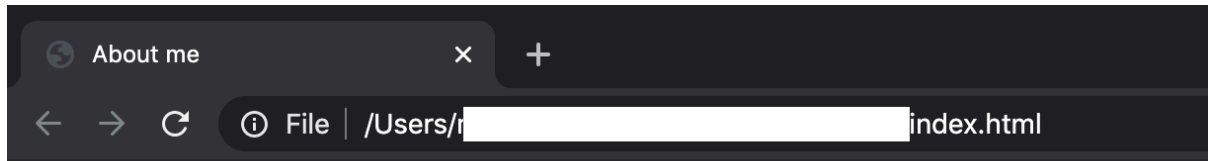
Images

Download a picture from the internet that represents you, and put it in the same folder as your index.html file.

Once downloaded, add this new line of code:

```

```



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HTML images are defined with the `` tag. The source file (`src`), alternative text (`alt`), `width`, and `height` are provided as attributes (characteristics) of the image: