

The Secret Lecture

Separating Content From Style

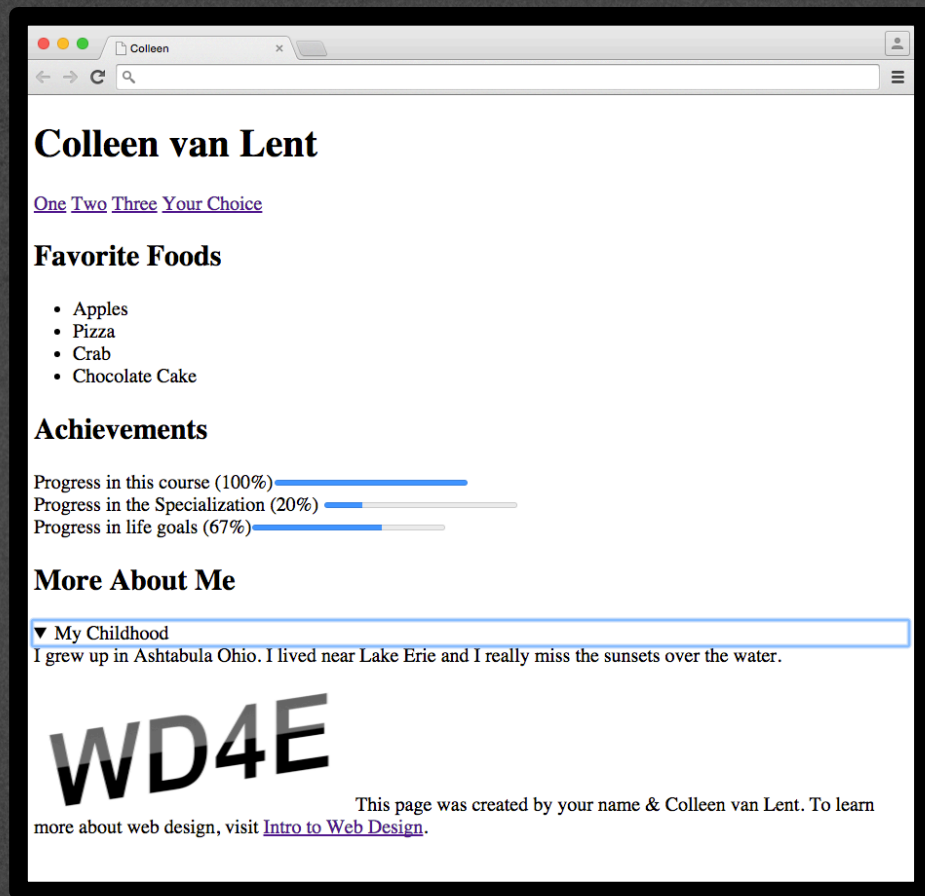
- **Separating content from style is basic tenet of HTML5**
- **Tags are meant to convey information**
- **But.....**

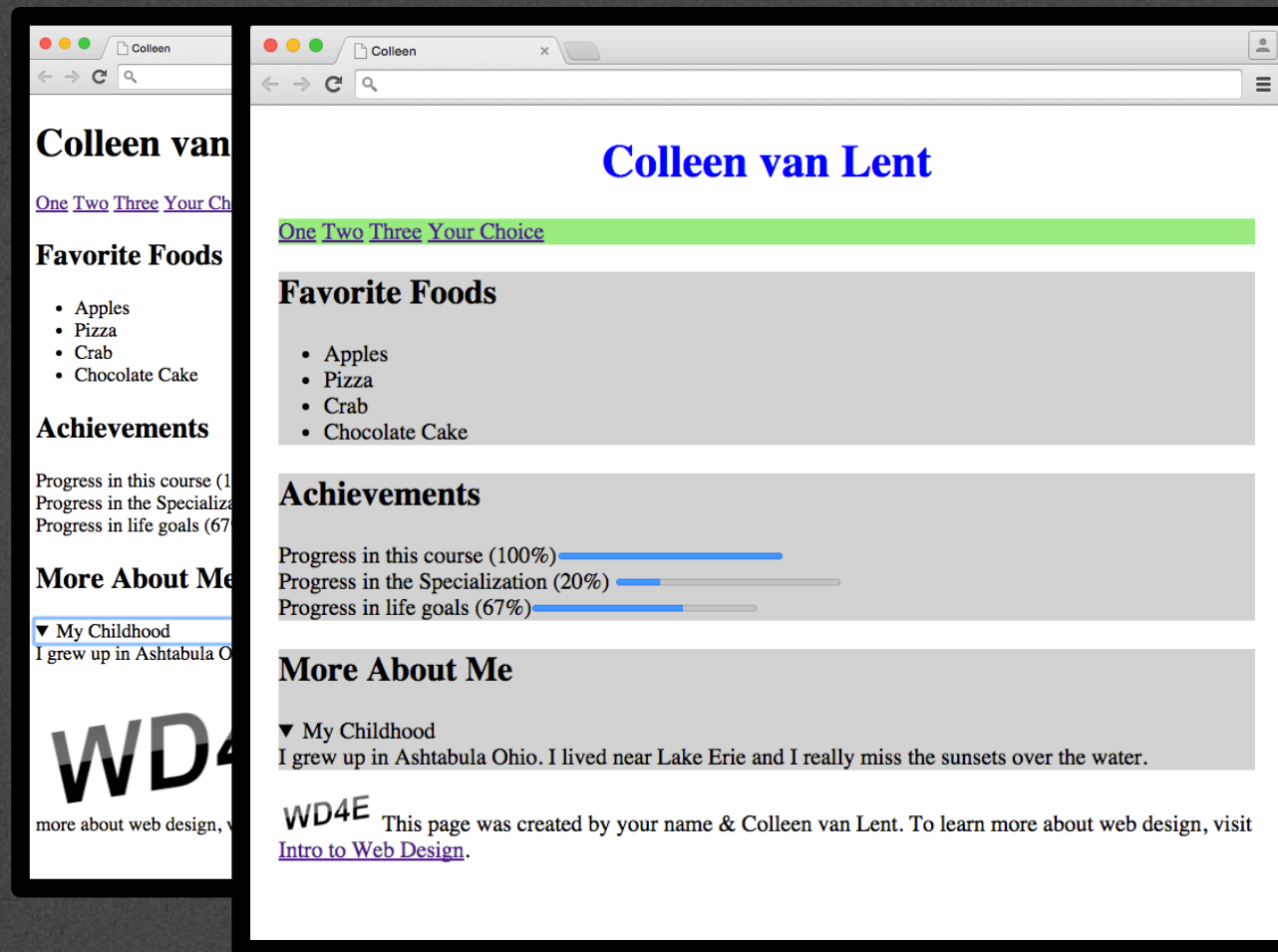
Using the “style” attribute

- Every tag can utilize a **style** attribute.
 - Similar to **href**, **src**, **alt**, **etc**.
- Style can specify color, background-color,

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<h1 style = "color:blue;">Colleen van Lent</h1>
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Colleen van Lent





Why not use it?

- **There are practical reasons for not using style attribute**
 - **Only applies to one element**
 - **Difficult to change later**
 - **Takes away from “reusability”**

Cascading Style Sheets

- **A better way to style your page is to use Cascading Style Sheets**
- **Styling is done in a separate file and the HTML file links to whichever style files work best for that site.**

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