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1 <html>
2 <head>
3   <title>Navigation Bar</title>
4   <link rel="stylesheet" href="main.css" />
5 </head>
6 <body>
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8 <!-- This is our container -->
9 <div id="container">
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11   <!-- This is the navigation bar -->
12   <div id="left">
13     <ul>
14       <li><a href="">Link 1</a></li>
15       <li><a href="">Link 2</a></li>
16       <li><a href="">Link 3</a></li>
17       <li><a href="">Link 4</a></li>
18     </ul>
19   </div>
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21   <!-- Content column -->
22   <div id="right">
23     <p>Here is an example of a two column layout page, using floats.</p>
24     <p>Your assignment will require you to make at least a two-column layout, and I
25       recommend you to add more pages to your site. It's quite easy once you
26       have a design. Just copy and paste your index page into a new file and
27       change its content.</p>
28     <p>Try not to use clashing colors, use the Color Schemer to find a good
29       theme for your site.</p>
30     <p>Wonder how I did stuff on my example site? Just use Google or look at the
31     references
32     on the website.</p>
33     <p>You may wonder how to add things underneath your two column layout. When
34     you are floating
35     objects, things will appear underneath them in strange places. It's hard to
36     explain,
37     but you must "clear" both sides of the floats to be able to add things
38     underneath.</p>
39     <p>For example, the next underneath this is outside the columns... but it
40     would appear
41     in a different place if I didn't clear both sides. To clear both sides, you
42     should create
43     a div element with the style attribute, "clear:both;". Just look at the source
44     code
45     for an example.</p>
46     <p>To center your layout, you have to do some tricky things. The proper way to
47     do it
48     is using the "text-align:center" property and the "margin:0 auto" property.</
49     p>
50     <p>If I wanted to center this layout, I would do something like:</p>
51
52     <code>
53     body { text-align:center; }
54     <br />
55     div#container { margin:0 auto; text-align:left; }
56     </code>
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58     <p>We set the "text-align" property to "left" for #container because if we don't,
59     all the text would be centered
60     (cascading styles, everything inherits from the parent). The "auto" part of
61     the "margin" property is in the
62     'left' place. Remember, margin accepts measurements in this format: top left
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    bottom right. What we are saying
55     is to set the left margin to "auto" so the browser will align it in the center
    .</p>
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57     <p>To become a CSS Ninja, it's a good idea to use the reference sites on the
    website to
58     look at CSS articles and learn how to do things.</p>
59 </div>
60
61 <!-- This div will clear both sides, dropping everything below it underneath our
    two
62 column layout -->
63 <div style="clear:both;"></div>
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65 <p>This paragraph is now cleared.</p>
66 <p>Now everything below the clear div will be below
67 the layout.</p>
68 </div>
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70 </body>
71 </html>
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