

# HTML Colors

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While there is a long list of colors supported by most major browsers, there are only sixteen 'standards compliant' colors.

**Note:** Watch out for the American spelling of gray rather than grey!

aqua		#00FFFF
black		#000000
blue		#0000FF
fuchsia		#FF00FF
gray		#808080
green		#008000
lime		#00FF00
maroon		#800000
navy		#000080
olive		#808000
purple		#800080
red		#FF0000
silver		#C0C0C0
teal		#008080
white		#FFFFFF
yellow		#FFFF00

If you wish to use a color other than those shown above, you should use the RGB method instead, replacing the word with # followed by a 6 character value. The first two characters say how much red to put into the color, the second two dictate how much green, and the third pair dictate how much blue, as indicated here:

#000000

Each 'digit' can be a number from 0 to 9 or letters A-F (which effectively represent numbers 10 to 15) All 00s would show up as black. All FFs would show up as white. #FF0000 would show up as red, and #990099 would show up as a middle-ish purple. Experiment with these and see which colors you can mix together!