

COMSC-031

Web Site Development- Part 2



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Topic 6



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Creating Hyperlinks

Links, also called hyperlinks, are used to connected related information. Using Dreamweaver, you can create links from one page to another in your Web site, or to other Web sites on the Internet, and you can also create e-mail links and image maps. This chapter shows you how to create links using both text and images.

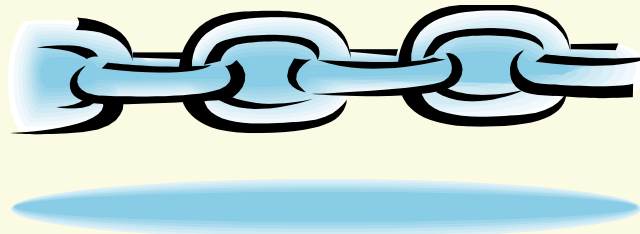
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Understanding Links

- **Hyperlinks**, or links for short, are the heart and soul of Web pages.
- Links enable users to **navigate** from one topic to the next and from one page to another.
- The user simply clicks the link and the browser immediately opens the designated page.



Understanding Links

Types of Links

- Links can be text or images. Most commonly, links appear as **underlined** text on a page.
- However, images, also make good links.
- When a user hovers his or her mouse pointer over a link, the pointer takes the shape of a **pointing hand**, indicating the presence of an active link.



Text



Image

Understanding Links

Absolute and Relative Links

- You can use two types of links in your HTML documents: absolute and relative.
- **Absolute** links use a **complete URL** to point to a specific page on a different Web site.
- **Relative** links use shorthand to reference a page. You generally use relative links to reference documents on the **same Web site**.

Understanding Links

Relative Links

LMC Brentwood Burger

Los Medanos College Brentwood Center, 101A Sand Creek Road Brentwood, CA 94513 (925) 513-1625



Welcome to the Best Steak Burger Diner in Brentwood



A fun, friendly and cozy diner pride ourselves in using the best ingredients in all of our savory and delicious sirloin steak burgers. Whether you're craving a tasty or filling specialty steak burger with your favourite trimmings, we've got you covered!

We serve to all tastes and preferences in your steak burger craving as you can see in our [diner's menu](#). Bring your children in, we have kids meals they will go crazy for. For all our guest, we have 1/3 pound sirloin steak burgers that will satisfy your hearty appetite. Our burgers are 100% ground sirloin steak, prepared to order, grilled to perfection, served with all the trimmings and our secret special dressing. Don't worry, we also have chicken, turkey and garden burgers. We make our fresh onion rings and all kinds of fries daily from scratch.

Understanding Links

Absolute Links

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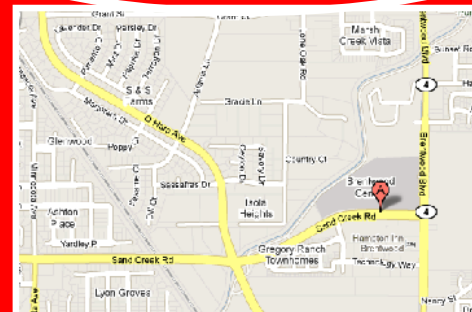
-  [Home](#)
-  [Menu](#)
-  [Hours](#)
-  [Directions](#)
-  [Feedback](#)
-  [Contact](#)

Directions



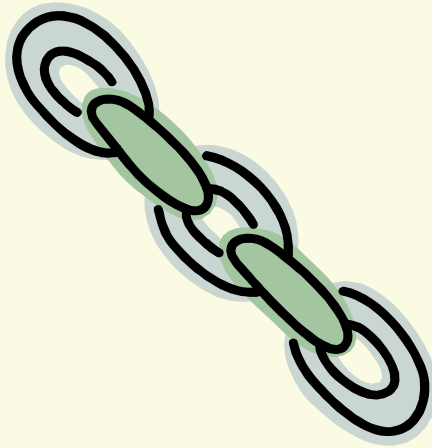
We're conveniently located just right beside the Los Medanos College Brentwood Center. We offer both indoor seating and outdoor seating at one of our many sidewalk tables. So the next time you want to grab a tasty steak burger with your friends, neighbours or classmates, all the while relaxing and enjoying the balmy Delta breezes, come check us out.

[Click here for directions](#)
101A Sand Creek Road, Brentwood, CA 94513
(925) 513-1625



Link to Other Pages in Your Web Site

- Dreamweaver makes it easy to create a link from one page in your Web site to another page so that your visitors can **navigate** your Web site.



Link to Other Pages in Your Web Site



Create a Link

1. Click and drag to **select the text** that you want to turn into a link.
2. Click the **Link** in the HTML Property inspector.
3. Click here and select the **folder** that contains the destination page.
4. Click the **HTML file** to which you want to link.
5. Click **OK**

Link to Other Pages in Your Web Site



Create a Link

The screenshot shows a web editor interface with a navigation menu on the left and a 'Select File' dialog box on the right. The menu has four items: Home, Menu, Hours, and Directions, each with a burger icon. The 'Menu' item is highlighted with a red box and the number 1. The 'Select File' dialog box shows a file list with 'menu.html' selected, indicated by a red box and the number 4. The 'OK' button is highlighted with a red box and the number 5. A red arrow points from the 'Menu' item to the 'menu.html' file. The dialog box also shows the file name 'menu.html' and the file type 'All Files (*.*)'. The URL field is empty, and the 'Relative to' field is set to 'Document' with 'index.html' selected. The background of the editor shows a red banner with the text 'Welcome to LMC Brentwood Burger' and a paragraph of text: 'A fun, friendly atmosphere with fresh ingredients. Whether you're craving a tasty or filling specialty steak burger with your favourite trimmings, we've got you covered! We serve to all tastes and preferences in your steak burger craving as you can see in our **diner's menu**. Bring your children in, we have kids meals they will go crazy for. For all our guest, we have 1/3 pound sirloin steak burgers that will satisfy your hearty appetite. Our

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Link to Other Pages in Your Web Site



Create a Link

You can click  to test the link by previewing the file in a Web browser.

The new link appears in color and underlined.

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LMC Brentwood Burger
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Home
Menu
Hours
Directions

Welcome to the Best Steak Burger Diner in Brentwood

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Link to Other Pages in Your Web Site



Open and Edit a Linked Page

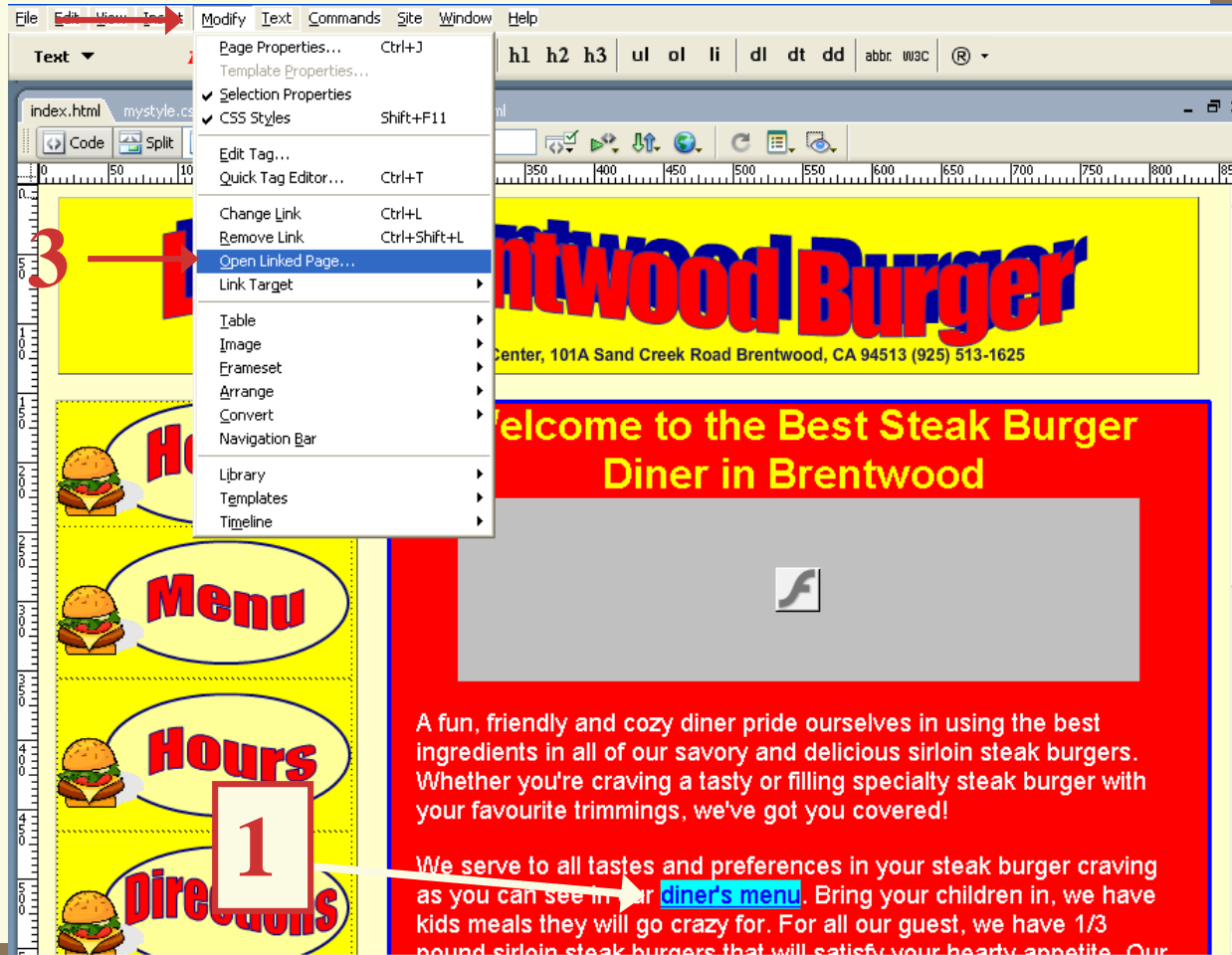
1. Click anywhere on the text of the **link** whose destination you want to open.
2. Click **Modify**
3. Click **Open Linked Page**.

Link to Other Pages in Your Web Site



Open and Edit a Linked Page

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The link destination opens in a Document window, allowing you to edit that document.

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Link to Other Pages in Your Web Site



How should I organize the files that make up my Web site?

You should keep the files that make up your Web site in **one main folder** that you define as your **local site root folder**.

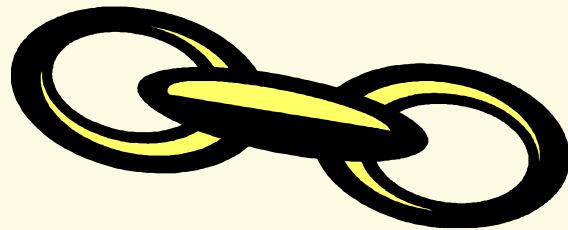
This enables you to easily find pages and images, and create links between your pages.

It also ensures that all of the **links work correctly** when you transfer the files to a Web server.

If you have many pages under one section, you can create subfolders to further divide the file structure of your site. You may also want to create a separate folder for images.

Link to Another Web Site

- You can link from your Web site to any other **Web site on your Internet**, giving your visitors access to additional information and providing valuable references to related information.



Link to Another Web Site



Create a Link


1. Click and drag to **select the next** that you want to turn into a link.
2. Type the **Web address** of the destination page in the Link field.

NOTE: You must type http:// before the Web address.

3. Click **_blank** to create a link that will open in a new browser window or tab.



Link to Another Web Site

You can click  to test the link by previewing the file in a Web browser.

The new link appears in color and underlined.

Copy and paste the Google map link into the Link field.

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Home
Menu
Hours

Directions

We're conveniently located just right beside the Los Medanos College Brentwood Center. We offer both indoor seating and outdoor seating at one of our many sidewalk tables. So the next time you want to grab a tasty steak burger with your friends, neighbours or classmates, all the while relaxing and enjoying the balmy Delta breezes, come check us out.

Properties: Link: <http://www.losmedanos.edu/brentwood>, Target: _blank

<http://www.losmedanos.edu/brentwood>

Link to Another Web Site



Remove a Link

1. Select the **text** of the link that you want to remove.
2. Click **Modify**
3. Click **Remove Link**

Link to Another Web Site



Remove a Link

Dreamweaver removes the link, and the text no longer appears in color and underlined.

The screenshot shows the Adobe Dreamweaver interface. The 'Modify' menu is open, and the 'Remove Link' option is highlighted. A red arrow points to the 'Remove Link' option. The background shows a web page with a navigation menu and a 'Directions' section. The 'Directions' section contains text and a map. The text in the 'Directions' section is: 'We're conveniently located just right beside the Los Medanos College Brentwood Center. We offer both indoor seating and outdoor seating at one of our many sidewalk tables. So the next time you want to grab a tasty steak burger with your friends, neighbours or classmates, all the while relaxing and enjoying the balmy Delta breezes, come check us out.' Below the text is a map and the address: '101A Sand Creek Road, Brentwood, CA 94513 (925) 513-1625'. The 'Remove Link' menu option is highlighted in blue. A red arrow points to the 'Remove Link' option. The 'Remove Link' option is highlighted in blue. The 'Remove Link' option is highlighted in blue. The 'Remove Link' option is highlighted in blue.

Link to Another Web Site



How do I ensure that my links to other Web sites always work?

You do not have control over the Web pages on other Web sites to which you have linked.

If you have linked to a Web page whose file is later renamed or taken offline, your viewers receive an error message when they click the link on your Web site.

Maintain your Web site by periodically checking your links.

You can also use software or Web site tune-up services, such as www.netmechanic.com to perform this check for you.


Using an Image as a Link

- You can use an **image** to create a link to another page or Web site in much the same way that you create a link with text.
- Using **images as links** makes it possible to give visitors to your site more ways to move from page to page.

Using an Image as a Link



Create an Image Link to Other Pages in Your Web Site

1. Click the **image** that you want to turn into a link.
2. In the Property Inspector, click the **Link** 
3. Click here and select the **folder** that contains the destination page.
4. Click the **HTML file** to which you want to link.
5. Click **OK**
6. Repeat steps 1-5 for the other images



Create an Image Link to Other Pages in Your Web Site

The screenshot shows a web editor interface with a navigation menu on the left and a 'Select File' dialog box open on the right. The navigation menu has three items: 'Home', 'Menu', and 'Hours', each with a burger icon. The 'Menu' item is highlighted with a red arrow labeled '1'. The 'Select File' dialog box shows the 'Look in' field set to 'chapter7' with a red arrow labeled '3' pointing to the dropdown arrow. The file list shows 'menu.html' selected with a red arrow labeled '4'. The 'File name' field contains 'menu.html' with a red arrow labeled '5' pointing to the 'OK' button. The 'Properties' panel at the bottom shows the 'Link' property set to 'javascript:;' with a red arrow labeled '2' pointing to the 'Edit' button.

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Home

Menu

Hours

Select File

Select file name from: File system Data sources

Site Root

Server...

Look in: chapter7

image

directions.html

hours.html

index.html

menu.html

mystyle.css

File name: menu.html

Files of type: All Files (*.*)

URL: menu.html

Relative to: Document index.html

Change default Link Relative To in the site definition.

OK

Cancel

Parameters...

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Src image/buttonmenu.png

Alt <empty>

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ID menu


Link javascript:;

Edit



Create an Image Link to Other Pages in Your Web Site

Dreamweaver automatically inserts the filename and path to the linked page.

You can click  to test the link by previewing your page in a Web browser.



Using an Image as a Link




Create an Image Link to another Web Site

1. Click the **image** that you want to turn into a link.
2. In the Property Inspector, click the **Link**
3. Copy or type the **Web address** of the Web site in the Link field.



Create an Image Link to another Web Site

You can click  to test the link by previewing your page in a Web browser.

Copy and paste the Google map link into the Link field.

Click here for directions
101A Sand Creek Road, Brentwood, CA 94513
(925) 513-1625

Directions
Feedback
Contact

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Properties: Image, 148K, W 353, H 335, Link http://maps.google.com/maps?f=q&source=s_q&hl=en&geocode=&q=101A+Sand+Creek+Road,+Brentwood,+CA&sll=37.0625,-95.677068&sspn=44.658568,41.660156&ie=UTF8&hq=&hnear=101+Sand+Creek+Rd,+Brentwood,+Contra+Costa,+California+94513&z=16

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Using an Image as a Link



Remove a Border from a Linked Image

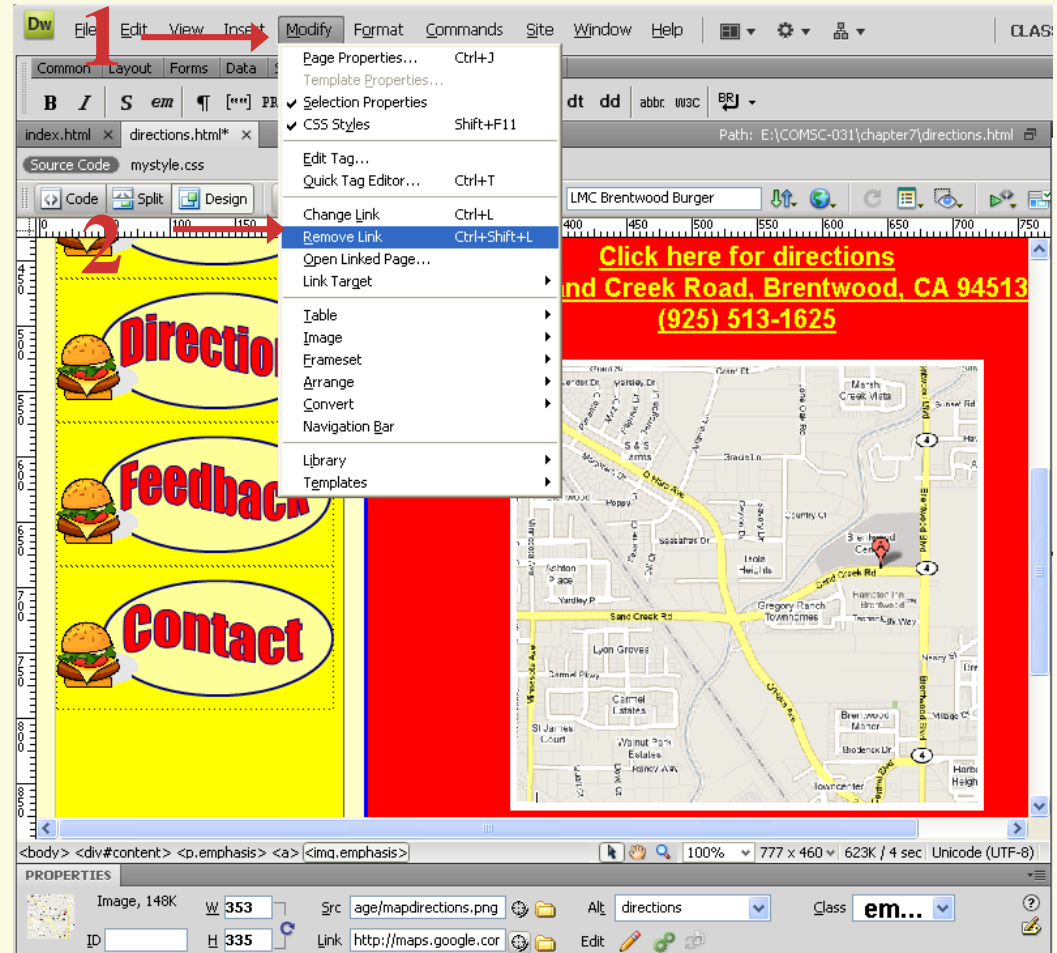
1. Click to select the **linked image**.
2. Type the number **0** in the **Border field**.
3. Press **<Enter>**

Using an Image as a Link (pg 107)

demo

Remove a Border from a Linked Image

Dreamweaver removes the link, and the text no longer appears in color and underlined.



Using an Image as a Link



How do I create a navigation bar for my Web page?

Many Web sites include a list of links to the main pages or sections of a Web site. This collection of links is commonly called a **navigation bar**.

The best place to create these links is at the top, side or bottom of each page.

Including links to the main pages of your site on every page in your site makes it easier for viewers to navigate.

Using an Image as a Link



How will visitors to my Web site know to click an image?

When a visitor **rolls a cursor** over an image, that serves as a link, their cursor turns into a hand.

You can make it clearer which images are linked by putting links in context with other content, and by grouping links to let visitors know that images are clickable.


Create a Jump Link within a Page

- You can create a link to other content on the same page.
- Same-page links ,often called **jump links** or anchor links, are commonly used on long pages when you want to provide an easy to way to navigate to relevant information lower on the page.

Create a Jump Link within a Page



Create a Jump Link within a Page

1. Position the **mouse pointer** where you want to insert the name anchor.
2. Click  and choose **Common**
3. Clicked **Named Anchor**.
4. Type a **name** for the anchor
5. Click **OK**
6. Click and drag to **select the text** that you want to link to the anchor.

Create a Jump Link within a Page



Create a Jump Link within a Page

7. Click in the **Common** Insert bar.
8. Click the **Link**
9. Click the anchor name.
10. Click **OK**

Create a Jump Link within a Page



Why would I create a jump link to something on the same page?

Web designers often use jump links, or same-page hyperlinks, to make it easier to find text that appears lower on a page.

For example, these links are frequently used as Back to Top links that bring you to the beginning of a page when you click a link lower on the page.

If you have a Web page that is a glossary, same-page links allow you to link different parts of the glossary from a link menu at the top of the page.


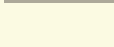
Create a Link to Another File Type

- Links do not have to lead just to other Web pages.
- You can also link to **other file types**, such as image files, word processing documents, PDF files and multimedia files.
- Many of these files require their own players, but as long as your visitor has the required program, the file opens automatically when the user clicks the link.

Create a Link to Another File Type



Create a link to another file type

1. Click and drag to **select the text** that you want to turn into a link.
2. Click the **Link folder** in the HTML Property inspector.
3. Click here and **select the folder** that contains the destination file.
4. Click the **file** to which you want to link
5. Click **OK**.
6. Select  Target to **_blank**
7. Click  and select a Web browser.

Create a Link to Another File Type

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Create a link to another file type


Menu

Our burgers are 100% ground sirloin steak, prepared to order, grilled to perfection served with all the trimmings and our secret special dressing. Since our burgers are grilled, they're healthy and light. See our [calorie information chart](#).

PROPERTIES

Format: Paragraph Class: None Title: Link: Calorie_Chart.pdf Target: _blank

The new links appears in color and underlined.

You can click  to test the link by previewing your page in a Web browser.

Select File

Select file name from: File system Site Root
 Data sources Server...

Look in: chapter7

image mystyle.css
Calorie_Chart.pdf
directions.html
hours.html
index.html
menu.html

File name: Calorie_Chart.pdf OK
Files of type: All Files (*.*) Cancel

URL: Calorie_Chart.pdf Parameters...
Relative to: Document menu.html

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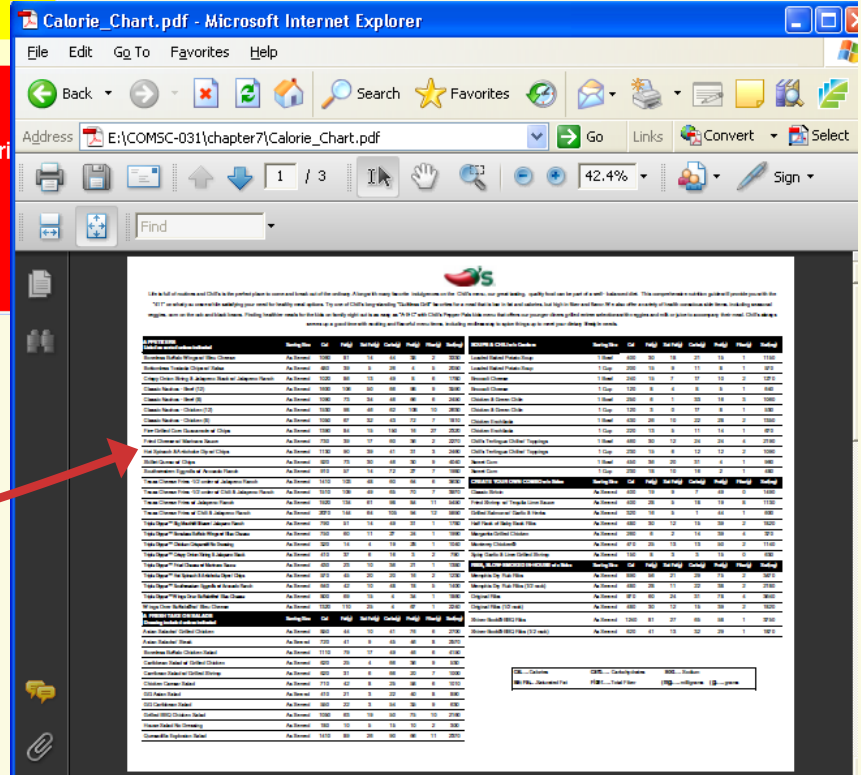
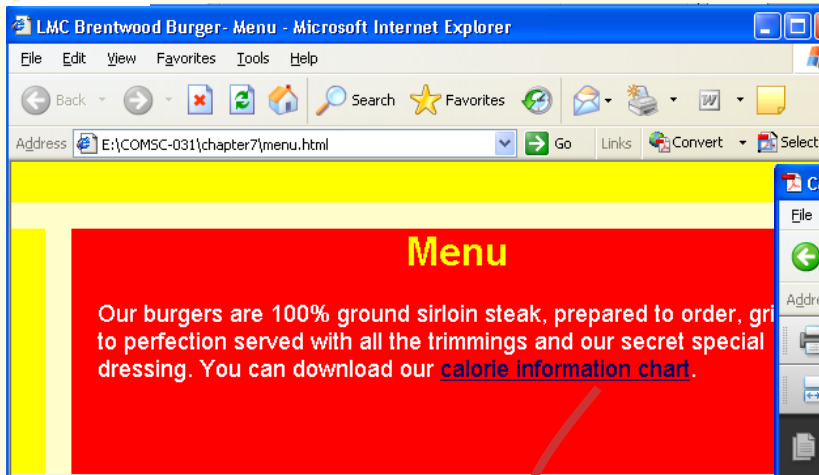
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Create a Link to Another File Type



Create a link to another file type



When you click the link in a Web browser, the linked file opens.

In this example, a PDF document opens in the Web browser window.

Create a Link to Another File Type



How do users see files that are not HTML document?

What users see when they click links to other types of files depends on how they have configured their Web browsers and what applications they have installed on their computer.

For example, if you link to a QuickTime movie (which has a .mov file extension), your visitors need to have a player that can display QuickTime movies.

It is always good practice to include a link to the player for any special file type, to make it easy for users to find and download it if they choose.

Create an Image Map


- You can link different **areas of an image** to different pages with an image map.
- First, you define areas of the image, called **hotspots**, using Dreamweaver's image-mapping tools and then you turn them into links.



Create an Image Map



Create an Image Map

1. Click an **image**.
2. Type a **name** for the image map
3. Click a **drawing tool**
4. Draw an **area** on the image using the tool that you selected.
5. Click 
6. Click here and select the **folder** that contains the destination file

Create an Image Map



Create an Image Map

7. Click the **file** to which you want to link.
8. Click **OK**



Create an Image Map

Can image maps be used for geographical maps that link to multiple locations?

Yes. An interactive geographical map, such as a map of Latin America, is a common place to see hotspots in action.

You can create one by adding a graphic image of a map to your Web page and then defining a hotspot over each location to which you want to link.

Use the Polygon tool to draw around boundaries that do not follow a square shape.

Finally, assign a different link to each hotspot.

Create a Link Using the Files Panel


- Dreamweaver provides multiple options for creating links.
- For example, you can create links quickly and easily using either the Property inspector or the **Files panel**.

NOTE: Your Web pages are displayed in the Files panel only if you have set up your Web site in Dreamweaver, an important first step is covered in Chapter 2.

Create a Link Using the Files Panel



Create a Link using the Files Panel

1. Click and drag to **select the text** that you want to turn into a link.
2. Click **Point to File button** 
3. **Drag** the cursor until it is over the file that you want to link to in the **Files panel**.

NOTE: Make sure both the Document window and the Files panel are visible and that HTML is selected in the Properties inspector.

Create a Link Using the Files Panel



Create a Link using the Files Panel

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navigation> <table> <tr> <td> <a> <img#hours>

PROPERTIES

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mystyle.css

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- a:visited
- h2
- h1
- .emphasis
- a:link

Properties

FILES ASSETS SNIPPETS

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menu.html	2KB	HTML D
index.html	8KB	HTML D
hours.html	8KB	HTML D
directions.html	8KB	HTML D
image		Folder

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FRAMES

HISTORY

The destination file displays in the Link field in the Property inspector.

Open a Linked Page in a New Browser Window

- You can create a link that, when clicked, opens a **new Web browser window** to display the destination page.
- Opening a new browser window allows a user to keep the previous Web page open.

Open a Linked Page in a New Browser Window (pg 115)



Open a linked page in a new browser

1. Click and drag to select the link that you want to open in a new browser.
2. Click the **Target**
3. Click **_blank**
4. Click to **preview** the page in a Web browser.
5. Click the **link**

Open a Linked Page in a New Browser Window (pg 115)



Open a linked page in a new browser

The screenshot shows a web browser window with the title "LMC Brentwood Burger". The main content area is split into two panes. The left pane has a yellow background and contains three sections: "Hours" with a burger icon, "Directions" with a burger icon, and "Food". The right pane has a red background and contains the text "Click here for directions" in yellow, followed by the address "101A Sand Creek Road, Brentwood, CA 945" and the phone number "(925) 513-1625". Below the text is a map showing the location. A red arrow labeled "1" points from the "Directions" link in the left pane to the red background area. A red arrow labeled "2" points from the "Target" dropdown menu in the Properties panel to the "blank" option. A red arrow labeled "3" points from the "Page Properties..." button in the Properties panel to the "Page Properties..." button. A red arrow labeled "4" points to the browser's address bar.

Properties

Format Paragraph Style **emphasis** CSS **B** *I* Link <http://maps.google.com/maps?f=c>

Font Arial, Helvetica Size 20 pixels #FFFFFF

Target blank

Page Properties...

Open a Linked Page in a New Browser Window



Open a linked page in a new browser

The link destination appears in a new browser window, and the page with the link remains open behind the linked page.

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101A Sand Creek Road, Brentwood, CA - Google Maps - Microsoft Internet ...

Address http://maps.google.com/maps?f=q&source=s_...

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Web Images Videos Maps News Shopping Gmail more

Google maps

101A Sand Creek Road, Brentwood, CA

Search Maps

Show search options

Find businesses, addresses and places of interest.

Get Directions My Maps

Print Send Link

Map Satellite

101 Sand Creek Rd
Brentwood, CA 94513
Directions Search nearby more

At this address:
[Alpaca Direct](#)
[Basis At Fame Brentwood Learning Center](#)

<http://maps.google.com/maps/place?cid=10569681367E>

Internet

Click here for directions

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(925) 513-1625

Open a Linked Page in a New Browser Window



Open a linked page in a new browser

The screenshot shows a web browser window displaying the LMC Brentwood Burger website. The browser's address bar shows the URL `http://www.losmedanos.edu/brentwood`. The page content includes a yellow header with the text "LMC Brentwood Burger" and "Los Medanos College Brentwood Center, 101A Sand Creek Road Brentwood, CA 94513 (925) 513-1625". Below the header is a navigation menu with buttons for "Home", "Menu", and "Hours". The main content area has a red background with the heading "Directions" and a paragraph of text: "We're conveniently located just right beside the [Los Medanos College Brentwood Center](#). We offer both indoor seating and outdoor seating at one of our many sidewalk tables. So the next time you want to grab a tasty steak burger with your friends, neighbours or classmates, all the while relaxing and enjoying the balmy Delta breezes, come check us out." A small image of a burger is also present. The browser's status bar shows the page title "LMC Brentwood Burger". The Properties panel at the bottom shows the link field with the URL `http://www.losmedanos.edu/brentwood` and the Target field set to "blank". A dropdown menu is open for the Target field, showing options: "blank", "_parent", "_self", and "_top".

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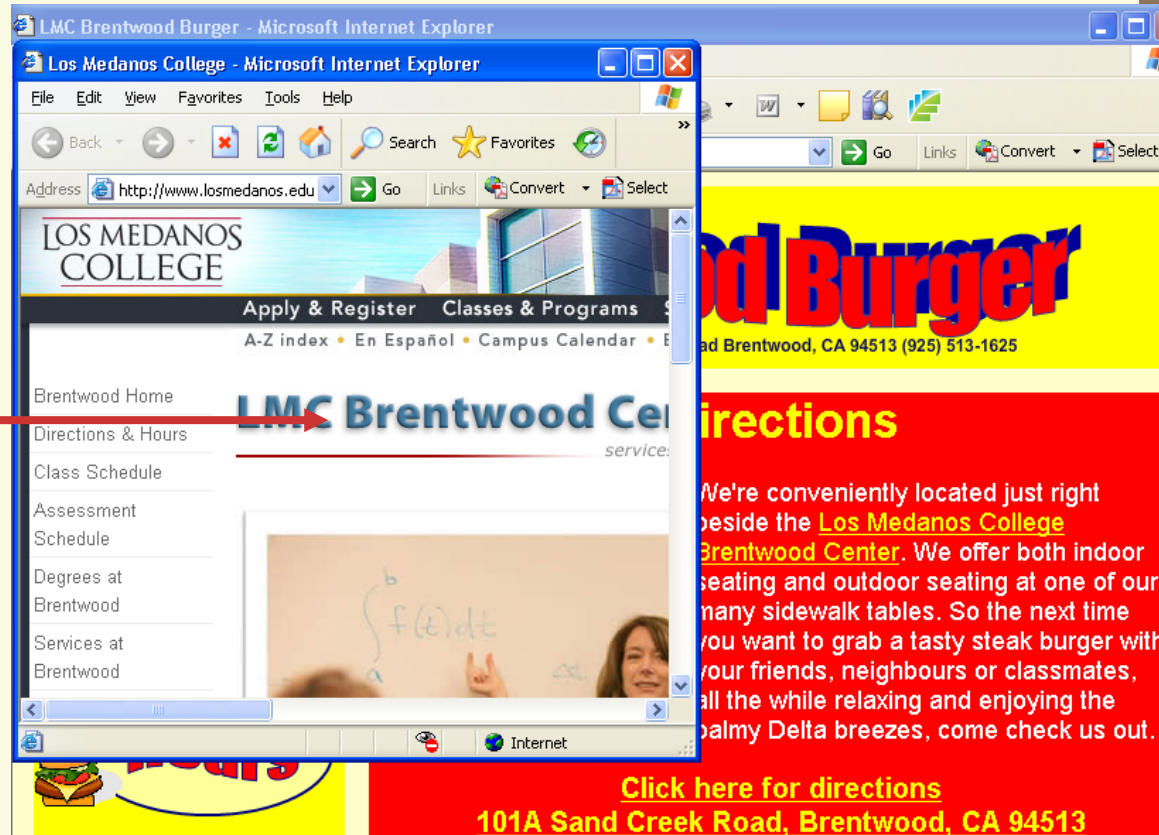
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Open a Linked Page in a New Browser Window



Open a linked page in a new browser

The link destination appears in a new browser window, and the page with the link remains open behind the linked page.



Create an E-Mail Link

- You can create an **e-mail link** in your Web page.
- When a user clicks the link, it launches an e-mail program on the user's computer, creates a message, and inserts the e-mail address into the Address field.

Create an E-Mail Link



Create an E-Mail Link

1. Click to select the **text or image** that you want to turn into an e-mail link.
2. Select the **Insert tab**
3. Select **Email Link**
4. Type the **e-mail address** to which you want to link.
5. Click **OK**

Create an E-Mail Link



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The screenshot shows the Adobe Dreamweaver interface with a red background for the main content area. A yellow box highlights a portion of the page. A dialog box titled "Email Link" is open, showing the email address "jmistal@losmedanos.edu" in both the "Text" and "Email" fields. The "OK" button is highlighted. The "Insert" panel on the right shows the "Email Link" option selected. The "Properties" panel at the bottom shows the "Link" field with the email address entered. Red arrows and numbers 1 through 5 indicate the steps: 1 points to the email address in the Properties panel; 2 points to the Insert panel; 3 points to the Email Link option; 4 points to the yellow box; 5 points to the OK button in the dialog box.

Directions.html x index.html* x

Source Code mystyle.css

We're conveniently located just right beside the [Los Medanos College Brentwood Center](#). We offer both indoor seating and outdoor seating at one of our many sidewalk tables. So the next time you want to grab a tasty steak burger with your friends, neighbors or classmates, all the while enjoying the balmy Delta breezes, come check us out!

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Email Link

Text:

Email:

OK Cancel Help

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101 Sand Creek Road, Brentwood, CA 94513 (925) 513-1625
Email: jmistal@losmedanos.edu Design by: COMSC-031 Students

body div #content h5

Properties

HTML Format Heading 5 Class None B /

CSS ID None Link

Document Title LMC Brentwood Burger

Page Properties... List Item...

Insert CSS Designer

HTML

Meta

Keywords

Description

Viewport

Script

Email Link

HTML5 Video

Canvas

Animated Composition

HTML5 Audio

Flash SWF

Flash Video

Plugin

Rollover Image

IFrame

Horizontal Rule


Date

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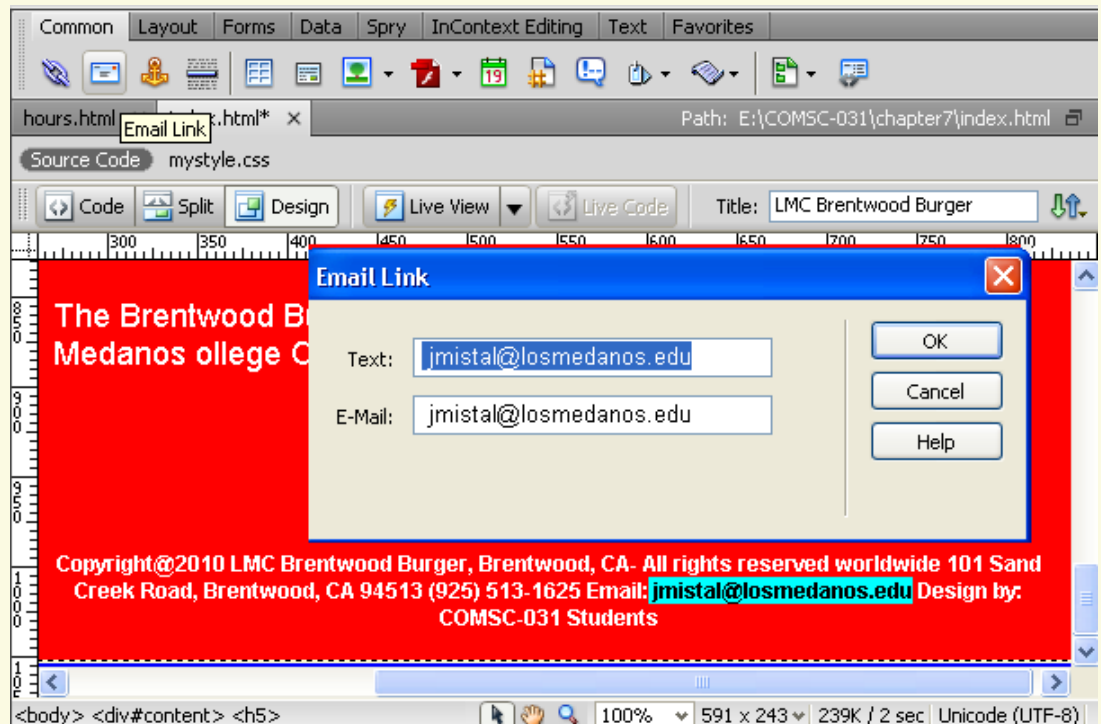


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Dreamweaver creates your e-mail link and the selected text displays in color and underlined.

You can click  to test the link by previewing your page in a Web browser.

Note: For an e-mail link to work properly, a user must have an e-mail program installed on their computer.



Check Links

- You can automatically verify the links on a Web page.
- Using Dreamweaver's **link-testing features**, you can also create a report that lists any links that are broken.
- There are many ways to which links can become broken. Dreamweaver makes it easy to find and fix them.

Check Links



Check Links

1. Click **File**
2. Click **Check Links Sitewide**



Check Links

Dreamweaver checks the local links and lists any broken that it finds in the Results panel.

Dreaweaver cannot verify links to Web pages on external sites.

You can edit a broken destination or image file by selecting the name of the link in Results panel and then clicking the Browser to locate the correct file.

The screenshot shows the Adobe Dreamweaver interface. The 'File' menu is open, and 'Check Links' is selected. The 'Results' panel at the bottom shows a broken link to 'hours2.html' in the file '/directions.html'. A red arrow points from the broken link in the Results panel to the 'hours' link in the 'Directions' section of the webpage preview.

File ← View Insert Modify Text Commands Site Window Help

- New... Ctrl+N
- Open... Ctrl+O
- Open Recent
- Open in Frame... Ctrl+Shift+O
- Close Ctrl+W
- Close All Ctrl+Shift+W
- Save Ctrl+S
- Save As... Ctrl+Shift+S
- Save All
- Save to Remote Server...
- Save as Template...
- Revert
- Print Code... Ctrl+P
- Import
- Export
- Convert
- Preview in Browser
- Check Page
 - Check Accessibility
 - Check Links Shift+F8
 - Check Target Browsers
 - Validate Markup Shift+F6
 - Validate as XML
- Compare with Remote
- Design Notes...
- Exit Ctrl+Q

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MC Brentwood Burger

Brentwood Burger

College Brentwood Center, 101A Sand Creek Road Brentwood, CA 94513 (925) 513-1625

Directions

We're conveniently located just right beside the Los Medanos College Brentwood Center. We offer both indoor seating and outdoor seating at one of our many sidewalk tables. So the next time you want to grab a tasty steak burger with your friends, neighbours or classmates, all the while relaxing and enjoying the yummy Delta Breezes, come check us out.

[Click here for directions](#)

Properties

Image, 11K Src: image/buttonhours.png Alt: <empty> Class: None

hours H Link: hours2.html Edit

Map Space 10 Target: _top Border: 0

Results Search Reference Validation Target Browser Check Link Checker Site Reports FTP Log Server Debug

Show: Broken Links (links to files not found on local disk)

Files Broken Links

/directions.html hours2.html

Change the Color of Links on a Page

- You can change the color of the **links** on your Web page to make them match the visual style of the other text and images on your page.
- You can also remove the underline linked text.



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What do each of the link options in the Page in the Page Properties dialog box represent?

Link color represents the display color for a link that has not yet been clicked by a site visitor

Visited links represents the color a link changes to after it has been clicked

Rollover links represents the display color link changes to as a visitor rolls a cursor over it

Active links represents the display color a link changes to when a visitor is actively clicking it.

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1. From the Main Menu, select **File**
2. Select **Page Properties**
3. Click **Links (CSS)** category
4. Click the **Link Color**
5. Click a color from the menu using the color palette tool.
6. Repeat Steps 4 and 5 to specify colors for **Rollover Links**, **Visited Links** and **Active links**

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The screenshot illustrates the process of changing link colors in Adobe Dreamweaver. The interface shows the 'File' menu open, with 'Page Properties...' selected. The 'Page Properties' dialog box is open, showing the 'Links (CSS)' category. The 'Appearance (CSS)' sub-menu is open, and the 'Link color' property is selected. The color swatch for 'Link color' is highlighted, showing the hex code #FFFFFF. The 'Rollover links' and 'Active links' properties are also visible, both set to #006. The 'Underline style' is set to 'Always underline'. The 'Apply' button is visible at the bottom right of the dialog box.

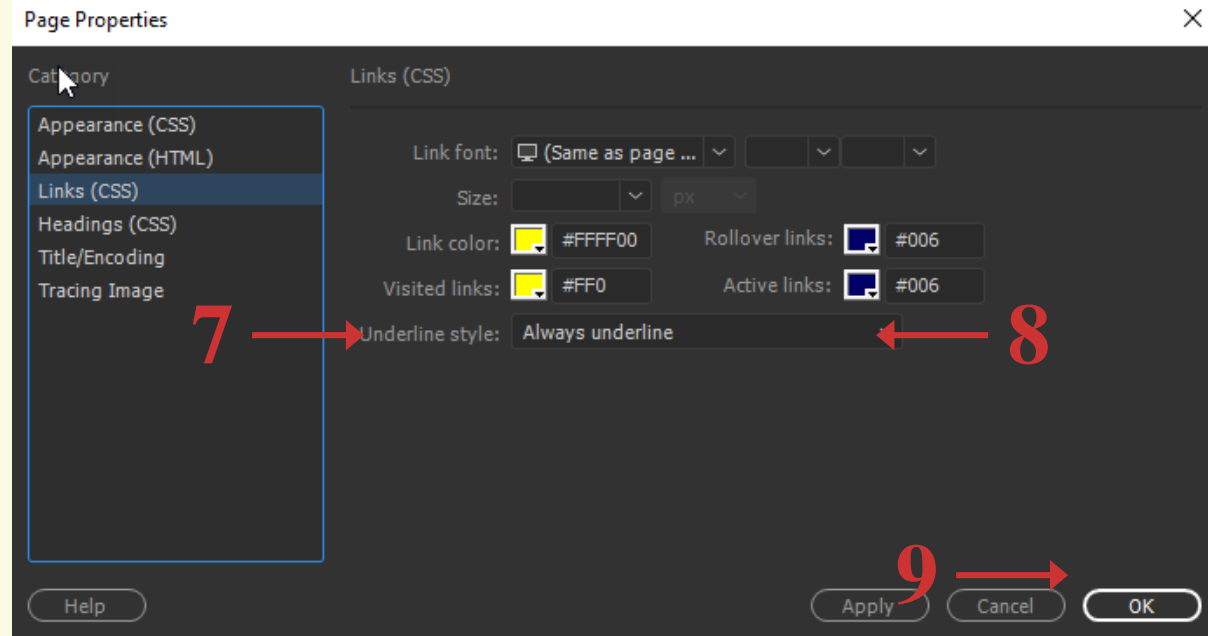
1. Click 'File' in the menu bar.
2. Click 'Page Properties...'.
3. Click 'Links (CSS)' in the sub-menu.
4. Click 'Appearance (CSS)'.
5. Click the color swatch for 'Link color'.

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7. Click the **Underline Style**
8. Click **Always Underline** to remove the underline from all of your links
9. Click **OK**



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The link display without underlines in the specified Link color.



The screenshot shows the website for LMC Brentwood Burger. The header is yellow with the logo "LMC Brentwood Burger" in red and blue. Below the logo is the address: "Los Medanos College Brentwood Center, 101A Sand Creek Road Brentwood, CA 94513 (925) 513-1625". The main content area is red. On the left, there is a vertical navigation menu with four items: "Home", "Menu", "Hours", and "Directions". Each item is accompanied by a small burger icon and is enclosed in a white oval with a blue border. The "Directions" link is underlined and colored yellow. To the right of the menu is a "Directions" section with a red background. It features a photo of a burger and the text: "We're conveniently located just right beside the Los Medanos College Brentwood Center. We offer both indoor seating and outdoor seating at one of our many sidewalk tables. So the next time you want to grab a tasty steak burger with your friends, neighbours or classmates, all the while relaxing and enjoying the balmy Delta breezes, come check us out." Below the text is a yellow button that says "Click here for directions" and the address and phone number: "101A Sand Creek Road, Brentwood, CA 94513 (925) 513-1625". At the bottom of the page, there is a map showing the location of the restaurant.

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What color will my links be if I do not choose colors for them?

Blue is the default link color in Dreamweaver Document window.

What viewers see when the page opens in a Web browser depends on their browser settings.

By default, most Web browsers display unvisited links as purple, and rollover links as red..