Corrections for
Murach’s HTML5 and CSS3 3rd Edition

These are the corrections for the significant errors in each printing of this book. In addition to the corrections listed here, you may find some trivial typos and formatting errors. All types of corrections will be made in the next printing of the book.

How to tell which printing your book is in

Below the copyright notation on the back of the title page (page ii), you’ll find a series of numbers like this:

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The number on the right of this sequence tells which printing your book is. In this example, it’s the second printing (May 2017).
Corrections to the third printing

Chapter 8, page 316

An additional step should be added to this exercise following step 4 that says to set the width of the list in the submenu of the navigation menu to 100%. If you don’t do that, the submenu for the About Us list item won’t extend the full width of that item.
Corrections to the first printing

Chapter 2, page 47
In the structure of an HTML5 document shown at the top of this page, the body of the document is labeled as the head element instead of the body element.

Chapter 3, pages 121 and 122
Step 9 of exercise 3-1 on page 121 should say to format the name and month for the first speaker as an h3 element, not an h2 element. Similarly, step 12 should say to code an img element after the h3 element, not the h2 element.

Chapter 4, page 151
The screen capture on this page doesn’t match the HTML and CSS. The screen capture should look like this:

San Joaquin Valley Town Hall
Welcome to San Joaquin Valley Town Hall. We have some fascinating speakers for you this season!
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Chapter 4, page 165
The second sentence of step 15 should indicate that the font size for the h2 element in the header is larger than the font size of the main h2 element, not smaller.

Chapter 6, page 231
The content of the h1, h2, and h3 elements in the HTML on this page doesn’t match the output shown in the screen capture. It should be changed so it does.

Chapter 7, pages 260 and 261
The text and examples on these pages indicate that you create a placeholder by coding an <a> tag with an id attribute within another element. That is incorrect. You do not need to use the <a> element to create a placeholder. Instead, you can code the id attribute for any element you want to use as a placeholder. For example, you can code the placeholder in the first example on page 261 like this:

<h1 id="top">8 reasons why trainers like our books</h1>

Chapter 7, page 265
In the example that shows an email link with a CC address and a subject, the closing quotation mark is in the wrong place. It should be at the end of the href attribute, like this:

<a href="mailto:support@murach.com?cc=ben@murach.com&subject=Web mail">Send us an email</a>

Chapter 7, page 267
The id selectors in the CSS for the navigation menu are incorrect. They should be #nav_list as shown in the HTML, not #nav_menu_1.
Chapter 7, page 271
The rule set for the #nav_menu > ul::after selector has an extra closing brace (}) after the content property.

Chapter 7, page 279
Step 2 of exercise 7-1 should say to add a nav element with the id “nav_menu”, not a ul element with that id. Then, it should say to add a ul element within the nav element.

Chapter 8, page 309
An extra closing brace (}) is included following the rule sets for the #nav_menu ul li and #nav_menu li:Hover ul selectors.

Chapter 11, page 387
The id attribute that’s assigned to the first label on the form should be deleted, since it’s the same as the id attribute for the associated label and it isn’t required.

Chapter 11, page 409
The last bullet indicates that Chrome and Opera provide good support for all the date and time controls except for the local date and time control. It should say, except for the date and time control.

Chapter 13, page 461
The heading above the sample web font on this page should indicate that it’s an Adobe Edge Web Font, not a Google Web Font.

Chapter 17, page 582
The fourth sentence in the second paragraph refers to the second navigation bar. It should refer to the second header.

The second sentence in the fourth paragraph refers to the second example after the table. It should refer to the second example after the code for the second header.

Chapter 17, page 587
The value of the data-role attribute for the section element that defines the accordion on this page should be coded as collapsibleset, not collapsible-set. This was changed in jQuery Mobile 1.4.