

Creates a new `Text` node. This method can be used to escape HTML characters.

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## Syntax

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var text = document.createTextNode(data);
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- `text` is a `Text` node.
  - `data` is a string containing the data to be put in the text node.
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## Example

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<!DOCTYPE html>
<html lang="en">
<head>
<title>createTextNode example</title>
<script>
function addTextNode(text) {
    var newtext = document.createTextNode(text),
        p1 = document.getElementById("p1");

    p1.appendChild(newtext);
}
</script>
</head>

<body>
    <button onclick="addTextNode('YES! ');">YES!</button>
    <button onclick="addTextNode('NO! ');">NO!</button>
    <button onclick="addTextNode('WE CAN! ');">WE CAN!</button>

    <hr />
```



```
<p id="p1">First line of paragraph.</p>  
</body>  
</html>
```