

# Blockquotes

To create a blockquote, add a `>` in front of a paragraph.

```
> Dorothy followed her through many of the beautiful rooms in her castle.
```

## Blockquotes with Multiple Paragraphs

Blockquotes can contain multiple paragraphs. Add a `>` on the blank lines between the paragraphs.

```
> Dorothy followed her through many of the beautiful rooms in her castle.  
> The Witch bade her clean the pots and kettles and sweep the floor and keep  
> the fire fed with wood.
```

## Nested Blockquotes

Blockquotes can be nested. Add a `>>` in front of the paragraph you want to nest.

```
> Dorothy followed her through many of the beautiful rooms in her castle.  
>> The 🧙 bade her clean the pots and kettles and sweep the floor and  
>> keep the fire fed with wood.
```

## Blockquotes with Other Elements

Blockquotes can contain other Markdown formatted elements. Not all elements can be used — you'll need to experiment to see which ones work.

## Blockquotes Best Practices

For compatibility, put blank lines before and after blockquotes.