

Markdown Cheat Sheet

Concept	Syntax	Output
Headers	# H1 ## H2 ### H3 #### H4 ##### H5 ###### H6	H1 H2 H3 H4 H5 H6
Emphasis	Emphasis, aka italics, with *asterisks* or _underscores	Asterisks, underscores
	Strong emphasis, aka bold, with **asterisks** orunderscores	Asterisks, underscores
	Combined emphasis with **asterisks and _underscores_**.	Asterisks, underscores
	Strikethrough uses two tildes. ~~Scratch this.~~	Asterisks, underscores



Lists	1. First ordered list item 2. Another item * Unordered sub-list. 1. Actual numbers don't matter, just that it's a number 1. Ordered sub-list 4. And another item. * You can have properly indented paragraphs within list items. Notice the blank line above, and the leading spaces (at least one, but we'll use three here to also align the raw Markdown). * To have a line break without a paragraph, you will need to use two trailing spaces. * Note that this line is separate, but within the same paragraph. * (This is contrary to the typical GFM line break behaviour, where trailing spaces are not required.) * Unordered list can use asterisks - Or minuses + Or pluses	 First ordered list item Another item Unordered sub-list. Actual numbers don't matter, just that it's a number Ordered sub-list And another item. You can have properly indented paragraphs within list items. Notice the blank line above, and the leading spaces (at least one, but we'll use three here to also align the raw Markdown).
Links	[I'm an inline-style link](https://www.google.com) [I'm an inline-style link with title](https://hackerpals.com "Google's Homepage") [I'm a reference-style link][Arbitrary case-insensitive reference text] [I'm a relative reference to a repository	I'm an inline-style link I'm an inline-style link with title I'm a reference-style link I'm a relative reference to a repository file You can use numbers for reference-style link definitions Or leave it empty and use the link text

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Links	file](/blob/master/LICENSE)	itself.		
	[You can use numbers for reference-style link definitions][1] Or leave it empty and use the [link text itself]. URLs and URLs in angle brackets will automatically get turned into links. http://www.example.com or <http: www.example.com=""> and sometimes example.com (but not on Github, for example). Some text to show that the reference links can follow later. [arbitrary case-insensitive reference text]: https://www.mozilla.org [1]: http://slashdot.org [link text itself]: http://www.reddit.com</http:>	automaticall http://www.e http://www.e	y get turned i example.com example.com example.com	or and
Code and Syntax Highlighting	Inline `code` has `back-ticks around` it.	Inline code ha	as back-ticks a	around it.
Tables	Colons can be used to align			
	columns. Tables	Tables	Are	Cool
		Col 3 is	right-aligned	\$1600
		Col 2 is	centered	\$2
		Zebra stripes	Are neat	\$1
	There must be at least 3 dashes separating each header cell. The outer pipes () are optional, and you don't need to make the			



	raw Markdown line up prettily. You can also use inline Markdown. Markdown Less Pretty *Still* `renders` **nicely** 1 2 3	Mardonw Still 1	Less renders	Pretty nicely 3
Blockquote	> Blockquotes are very handy in email to emulate reply text. > This line is part of the same quote. Quote break. > This is a very long line that will still be quoted properly when it wraps. Oh boy let's keep writing to make sure this is long enough to actually wrap for everyone. Oh, you can *put* **Markdown** into a blockquote.			
Horizontal Rule	Three or more Hyphens *** Asterisks	Three or mor Hyphens Asterisks	e	
	Underscores	Underscores		



Code and Syntax Highlighting	"javascript var s = "JavaScript syntax highlighting"; alert(s);	<pre>var s = "JavaScript syntax highlighting"; alert(s);</pre>
		s = "Python syntax highlighting"
	```python s = "Python syntax highlighting"	print s
	print s	No language indicated, so no syntax
		highlighting in Markdown Here
	***	(varies on Github).
	No language indicated, so no syntax highlighting. But let's throw in a <b>tag</b> .	But let's throw in a <b>tag</b> .