Markdown Cheat Sheet

Elements Markdown Name **Example/HTML Output** > This is a quote This is a quote **Block Quote** Nested quote >> Nested quote 1. First 1. First 2. Second 2. Second **Ordered List** 1. Numbers 1. Numbers 2. Don't matter 1. Don't matter * Asterisks Asterisks * List List * Nested Nested **Unordered List** Can also use plus sign + Can also use plus sign Can also use dash - Can also use dash ![Alt](https://a.com) **Images** ![Relative](/img.jpg) Must include space - [] Must include space Checklist Extended - [x] Completed Completed | Name | Age | Name Age Kyle 28 | Kyle | 28 Sally 45 | Sally | 45 **Tables** Extended Right Left | Right | Center | Left | Center | ----: | :----: | :--- | Hi Kyle 28 | Kyle | 28 | Hi Sally 45 Bve | Sally | 45 | Bye

Basic Text Elements

Name	Markdown	HTML Output
Headings Ids only allowed in extended markdown	<pre># Head 1 ## Head 2 ### Head 3 {#my-id} #### Head 4 ##### Head 5 ##### Head 6</pre>	<h1>Head 1</h1> <h2>Head 2</h2> <h3 id="my-id">Head 3</h3> <h4>Head 4</h4> <h5>Head 5</h5> <h6>Head 6</h6>
Paragraphs	Will be same paragraph if only one new line used New paragraph if two or more new lines are used	Will be same paragraph if only one new line usedNew paragraph if two or more new lines are used
Line Breaks	Two spaces at end of line will make a line break	Two spaces at end of line will make a line break
Links Automatic linking (last example) only allowed in extended markdown	<pre>[Label](https://url.com) [Relative](/other-page) [Id](#my-id) <https: url.com=""> https://extended.com</https:></pre>	<pre>Label Relative Id https://url.com"> https://url.com https://extended.com"></pre>
	Needs new lines between	
Horizontal Rule	Can use asterisks or underscores *** Must use at least 3 but can use more	Needs new line between <hr/> Can use asterisks or underscores <hr/> Must use at least 3 but can use more <hr/>

Text Styling

Name	Markdown	Example Output
Bold	This is **bold** This isalso bold Use as**teris**ks for mid word bolding	This is bold This is also bold Use as teris ks for mid word bolding
Italics	This is *italic* This is _also italic_ Use as*teris*ks for mid word italics	This is <i>italic</i> This is <i>also italic</i> Use as <i>teri</i> sks for mid word italics
Italics/Bold	This is ***both*** This isalso both Any combo for*both* Use as***teris***ks for mid word emphasis	This is both This is also both Any combo for both Use as teris ks for mid emphasis
Strikethrough Extended	This is ~~crossed out~~	This is crossed out
Highlight Extended	This is ==highlighted==	This is highlighted
Subscript Extended	H~2~0	H ₂ 0
Superscript Extended	x^2^	X²
Emoji Extended	I am happy :smile:	I am happy 😊

Code

Name Inline Code	<pre>Markdown JS Variable: `let x = 1`</pre>	<pre>HTML Output JS Variable: <code>let x = 1</code></pre>
Code Block Technically this is only supported with extended markdown but it should work everywhere. Labeling the language (js in our case) is not as widely supported, but will give syntax highlighting where	```js const x = 3 let y = 4	<pre><pre> <code></code></pre></pre>