

<hr>: The Thematic Break (Horizontal Rule) element

The `<hr>` [HTML](#) element represents a thematic break between paragraph-level elements: for example, a change of scene in a story, or a shift of topic within a section.

Try it

HTML Demo: `<hr>` [RESET](#)

	HTML	CSS
1	<code><p>§1: The first rule of Fight Club is: You do not talk about Fight Club.</p></code>	
2		
3	<code><hr></code>	
4		
5	<code><p>§2: The second rule of Fight Club is: Always bring cupcakes.</p></code>	
6		

OUTPUT

§1: The first rule of Fight Club is: You do not talk about Fight Club.

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Historically, this has been presented as a horizontal rule or line. While it may still be displayed as a horizontal rule in visual browsers, this element is now defined in semantic terms, rather than presentational terms, so if you wish to draw a horizontal line, you should do so using appropriate CSS.

Attributes

This element's attributes include the [global attributes](#).

`align` Deprecated Non-standard

Sets the alignment of the rule on the page. If no value is specified, the default value is `left`.

`color` Deprecated Non-standard

Sets the color of the rule through color name or hexadecimal value.

`noshade` Deprecated Non-standard

Sets the rule to have no shading.

size Deprecated Non-standard

Sets the height, in pixels, of the rule.

width Deprecated Non-standard

Sets the length of the rule on the page through a pixel or percentage value.

Example

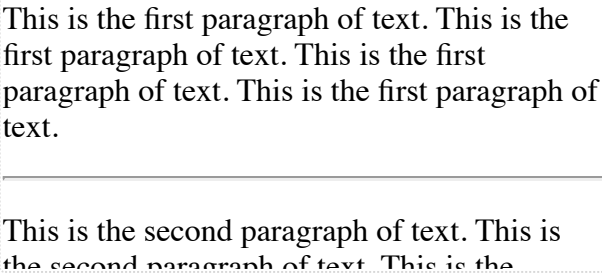
HTML

```
<p>
  This is the first paragraph of text. This is the first paragraph of text. This
  is the first paragraph of text. This is the first paragraph of text.
</p>

<hr />

<p>
  This is the second paragraph of text. This is the second paragraph of text.
  This is the second paragraph of text. This is the second paragraph of text.
</p>
```

Result



Technical Summary

Content categories	Flow content.
Permitted content	None; it is a void element.
Tag omission	It must have start tag, but must not have an end tag.
Permitted parents	Any element that accepts flow content.
Implicit ARIA role	separator
Permitted ARIA roles	presentation or none
DOM interface	HTMLHRElement

Specifications

Specification

HTML Standard
the-hr-element

Browser compatibility

	Desktop						Mobile			
	Chrome	Edge	Firefox	Internet Explorer	Opera	Safari	WebView Android	Chrome Android	Firefox for Android	Opera Android
hr	1	12	1	5.5	≤12.1	3	4.4	18	4	≤12.1
align	1	12	1	≤6	≤12.1	≤4	4.4	18	4	≤12.1
color	33	12	1	≤6	20	10.1	4.4.3	33	4	20
noshade	1	12	1	≤6	≤12.1	≤4	4.4	18	4	≤12.1
size	1	12	1	≤6	≤12.1	≤4	4.4	18	4	≤12.1
width	1	12	1	≤6	≤12.1	≤4	4.4	18	4	≤12.1

See also

- <p>

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<https://developer.mozilla.org/en-US/docs/Web/HTML/Element/hr>

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