HTML Anchor

The **HTML anchor tag** defines a hyperlink that links one page to another page. It can create hyperlink to other web page as well as files, location, or any URL. The "href" attribute is the most important attribute of the HTML a tag. and which links to destination page or URL.

href attribute of HTML anchor tag

The href attribute is used to define the address of the file to be linked. In other words, it points out the destination page.

The syntax of HTML anchor tag is given below.

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<a href = "..........."> Link Text </a>
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```
<a href="https://www.nasa.gov/">Click for Second Page</a>
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output:

[Click for Second Page](https://www.nasa.gov/)

Appearance of HTML anchor tag

- An **unvisited link** is displayed underlined and blue.

- A **visited link** displayed underlined and purple.

- An **active link** is underlined and red.