

# HTML br tag

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 [w3schools.com/tags/tag\\_br.asp](https://www.w3schools.com/tags/tag_br.asp)

## Example

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Insert single line breaks in a text:

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<p>To force<br> line breaks<br> in a text,<br> use the br<br> element.</p>
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## Definition and Usage

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The `<br>` tag inserts a single line break.

The `<br>` tag is useful for writing addresses or poems.

The `<br>` tag is an empty tag which means that it has no end tag.

## Tips and Notes

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**Note:** Use the `<br>` tag to enter line breaks, not to add space between paragraphs.

## Browser Support

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### Element

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<code>&lt;br&gt;</code>	Yes	Yes	Yes	Yes	Yes
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## Global Attributes

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The `<br>` tag also supports the [Global Attributes in HTML](#).

## Event Attributes

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The `<br>` tag also supports the [Event Attributes in HTML](#).

## More Examples

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### Example

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Use `<br>` in a poem:

```
<p>Be not afraid of greatness.<br>Some are born great,<br>some achieve greatness,<br>
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and others have greatness thrust upon them.</p>

<p><em>-William Shakespeare</em></p>

## Related Pages

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HTML tutorial: [HTML Paragraphs](#)

HTML DOM reference: [BR Object](#)

## Default CSS Settings

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None.