With jQuery, you can hide and show HTML elements with the hide() and show() methods

$("#hide").click(function(){  
    $("p").hide();  
});  
  
$("#show").click(function(){  
    $("p").show();  
});

The optional speed parameter specifies the speed of the hiding/showing, and can take the following values: "slow", "fast", or milliseconds.

The optional callback parameter is a function to be executed after the hide() or show() method completes (you will learn more about callback functions in a later chapter).

The following example demonstrates the speed parameter with hide():

$("button").click(function(){  
    $("p").hide(1000);  
});

With jQuery, you can toggle between the hide() and show() methods with the toggle() method.

Shown elements are hidden and hidden elements are shown:

$("button").click(function(){  
    $("p").toggle();  
});