



HTML Essentials

Hyperlinks



Overview





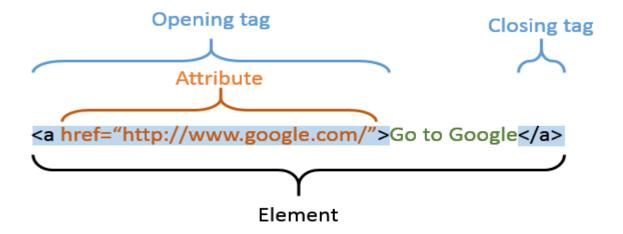
- 1. Anatomy
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1. Anatomy of a link





➤ Anatomy of a link: The <a> tag defines a hyperlink, which is used to link from one page to another.



2. Title





- ➤ The title attribute: Specifies extra information about an element. The information is most often shown as a tooltip text when the mouse moves over the element.
- Block level link: A link can wrap any content, even block level elements, like that

3. URL & Path





- ➤ URL (Uniform Resource Locator): A string of text that defines where something is located on the Web.
- Path: URLs use paths to find files. Paths specify where in the filesystem the file you need is located.

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1 http://www.example.com:80/path/to/myfile.html?key1=value1&key2=value2#SomewhereInTheDocument

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www.example.com
Domain Name
                   /path/to/myfile.html?k
                              n|?key1=value1&key2=value2#S
                                 Parameters
                                    #SomewhereInTheDocument
                                      Anchor
```

3. URL & Path





- Absolute URL: Points to a location defined by its absolute location on the web, including protocol and domain name. An absolute URL will always point to the same location, no matter where it is used.
- ➤ **Relative URL:** Points to a location that is *relative* to the file you are linking from.

A relative URL will point to different places depending on the actual location of the file you refer from

5. Link to part of HTML





- Link to part of HTML:
 - Add an id attribute to your anchor element to give a name to the section of the page.

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<a id="anchor-name">The section name here where you want to jump</a>
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Create a hyperlink using the id of the link target, preceded by #.

The section name here where you want to jump

6. E-mail links

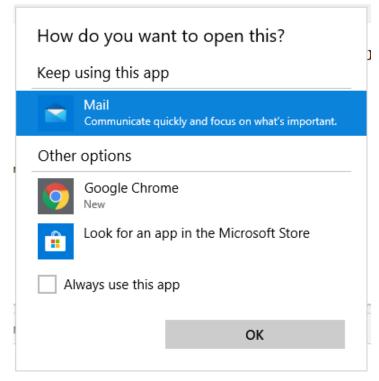




Email link: Open a new outgoing email message instead of linking to a

resource or page.

1 | Send email to nowhere







Thank you