

# HTML IMAGES

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- In HTML, images are defined with the `<img>` tag.
- The `<img>` tag is empty, which means that it contains attributes only, and has no closing tag.
- To display an image on a page, you need to use the `src` attribute. `Src` stands for "source". The value of the `src` attribute is the URL of the image you want to display.

# SYNTAX FOR DEFINING AN IMAGE:

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- The URL points to the location where the image is stored.
- The browser displays the image where the <img> tag occurs in the document.
- If you put an image tag between two paragraphs, the browser shows the first paragraph, then the image, and then the second paragraph.

# HTML IMAGES - THE ALT ATTRIBUTE

- The required alt attribute specifies an alternate text for an image, if the image cannot be displayed.
- The value of the alt attribute is an author-defined text:

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- The alt attribute provides alternative information for an image if a user for some reason cannot view it.

# SET HEIGHT AND WIDTH OF AN IMAGE

- The height and width attributes are used to specify the height and width of an image.
- The attribute values are specified in pixels by default:

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