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Understanding Paragraphs

You are all familiar with paragraphs. You have seen paragraphs in books and newspapers.

Here's an example of paragraph for you.



An example of paragraph within a newspaper clipping

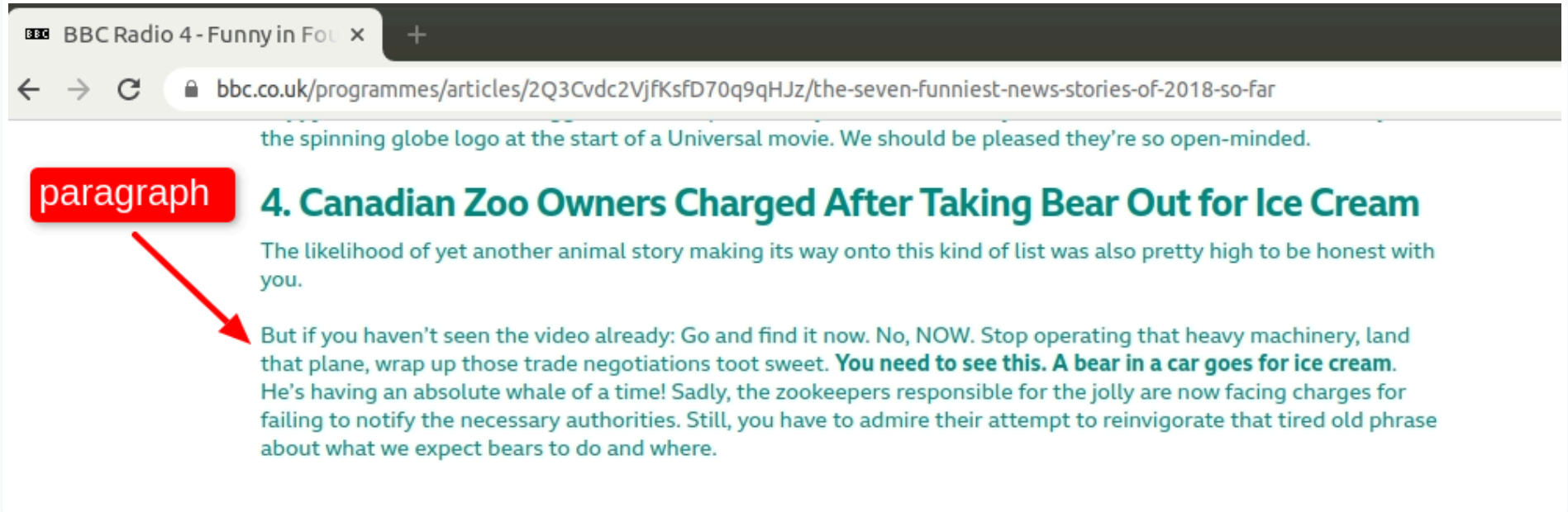
This however is an example of a paragraph within a newspaper.

If you want to create this paragraph within a website, you need to use the paragraph tags.

In HTML it is done using the `p` tag.

Paragraphs always start on a new line and is usually a block of text. The browser removes any extra space and lines when the page is displayed.

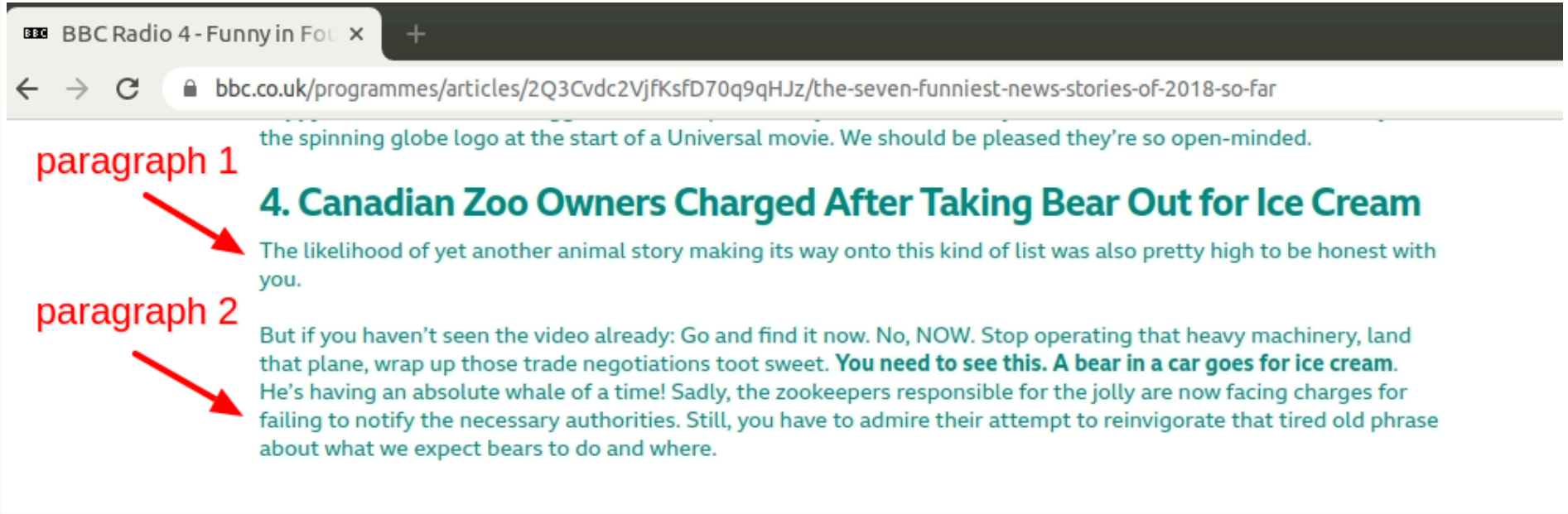
Here's an example of a paragraph within a website.



An example of paragraph within a website

Any normal content that we write in the html pages are usually written as a paragraphs.

Everytime you want to say something new, you can start a new paragraph. Infact you can write as many paragraphs as you want to add.



An example of multiple paragraphs within a website

```
<!DOCTYPE html>
<html>
<head>
  <title></title>
</head>
<body>
  <p>This is a paragraph</p>
  <p>This is another paragraph</p>
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</body>
</html>
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Assignment

1. Create an HTML page. Add a **h3** heading and a paragraph to it. Click to view it in a browser.

Summary

- The HTML **<p>** element defines a paragraph.

```
<p> Hello </p>
```

COPY

- A paragraph always starts on a new line and browsers automatically add some white space (a margin) before and after a paragraph.

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