

%YAML 1.2

YAML: YAML Ain't Markup Language

source: <https://yaml.org/spec/1.2/spec.html#directive/>

Datastructures:

Sequence:

- first item
- second item
- third item

mapping 1:

scalar 1: scalar 2
scalar 3: scalar 4

sequence of mappings:

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mapping 2:

scalar 5: scalar 6
scalar 7: scalar 8

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mapping 3:

scalar 9: scalar 10
scalar 11: scalar 12

ASCII Art where line breaks are to be kept: |

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V/||V||  
// || ||_
```

Folded text where line breaks are merely aesthetic: >

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it is  
simply  
easier
```

If you want to keep them: >

```
These  
are  
not  
kept  
but
```

```
  this done  
  is kept  
  
another new line
```

How could we implement this?:

[important sample, 20210123155527]:

description: >

This is some sample that I got for doing some thing. Line breaks
will be mostly ignored unless there are two in a row or an indent.

This is the start of a new paragraph. Pretty old-school, right?

I have to say that I am a pretty big fan of this system.

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[unimportant sample, 20210123160218]:

description: >

This experiment just completely fell apart. It would be a waste of my time to process this sample. Woe is me.

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