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HTML Paragraphs



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The HTML element defines a paragraph:

```
Example

This is a paragraph.
This is another paragraph.
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```

Note: Browsers automatically add some white space (a margin) before and after a paragraph.

HTML Display

You cannot be sure how HTML will be displayed.

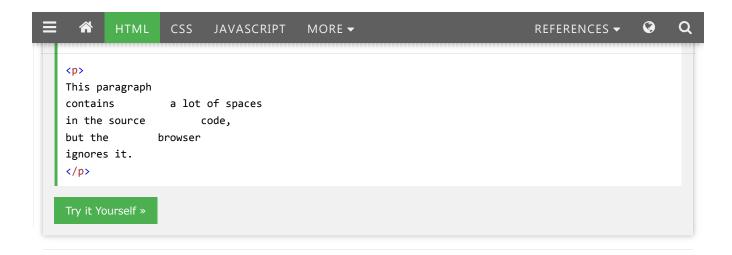
Large or small screens, and resized windows will create different results.

With HTML, you cannot change the output by adding extra spaces or extra lines in your HTML code.

The browser will remove any extra spaces and extra lines when the page is displayed:

```
Example

This paragraph
contains a lot of lines
in the source code,
but the browser
```



Don't Forget the End Tag

Most browsers will display HTML correctly even if you forget the end tag:

```
Example

This is a paragraph.
  This is another paragraph.

Try it Yourself »
```

The example above will work in most browsers, but do not rely on it.

Note: Dropping the end tag can produce unexpected results or errors.

HTML Line Breaks

The HTML

element defines a line break.

Use if you want a line break (a new line) without starting a new paragraph:

```
Example

This is<br/>property and the second of the sec
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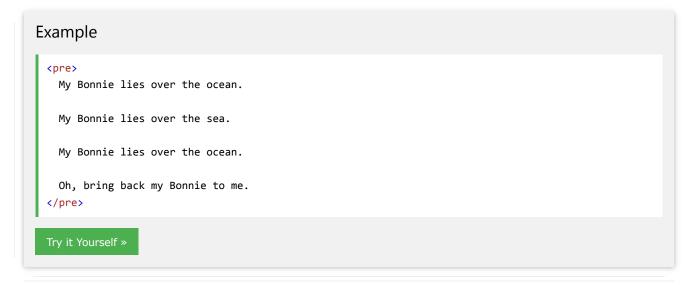
The
tag is an empty tag, which means that it has no end tag.



The HTML Element

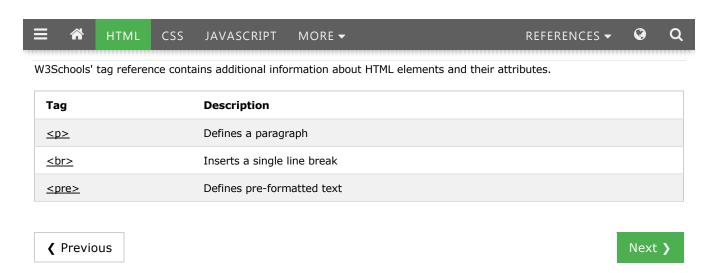
The HTML element defines preformatted text.

The text inside a element is displayed in a fixed-width font (usually Courier), and it preserves both spaces and line breaks:



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