

Chapter 4: Paragraphs

Column	Column
<code><p></code>	Defines a paragraph
<code>
</code>	Inserts a single line break
<code><pre></code>	Defines pre-formatted text

Paragraphs are the most basic HTML element. This topic explains and demonstrates the usage of the paragraph element in HTML.

Section 4.1: HTML Paragraphs

The HTML `<p>` element defines a **paragraph**:

```
<p>This is a paragraph.</p>
<p>This is another paragraph.</p>
```

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:

```
<p>This is      another      paragraph, extra spaces    will be    removed    by browsers</p>
```