

HTML (Hypertext Markup Language) Basics

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What is a tag?

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<html>
<head>
<title>My web page</title>
</head>
<body>
<h1>Welcome to my first web page.</h1>
<p>This is where my content will go.</p>
</body>
</html>
```

Open Notepad (Start > Programs > Accessories > Notepad). Save as "mywebpage.html".

Block-level tags (for placing content)

- *Header tags:* <h1> through <h6> (not to be confused with the head tag)
- *Paragraph:* <p>
- *Ordered or unordered lists:* or

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<ul>
<li>List item one</li>
<li>List item two</li>
</ul>
```

Inline tags

Bold:

Italic: (as in emphasis)

Element tags (don't need end tag)

- *Line break:*
 (no end tag)
- *Horizontal rule:* <hr /> (no end tag)
- *Image:*

Links

Add this line to your html file:

```
<p><a href="http://com.washington.edu">Here is a link to my web page</a>. </p>
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Embed

You can display media without having the file by embedding it. Exp. YouTube, Vimeo, SoundSlides.