HTML Quick Reference

Opening tag	Closing tag	Purpose / effect
<!--	-->	Add clarifying text to source code or disable rendering of text / not visible in browser
&		Add an ampersand (&) to source / renders a &
©		Add a copyright symbol to source / renders a ©
—		Add an em-dash to source / renders a —
		Add a non-breaking space to source
<a>		Creates a hyperlink or anchor
		Bold text
<body>	</body>	Defines the document body to be displayed in browser
 		Line break
		Emphasize text (usually rendered w/ italics)
<h1>	</h1>	1st level heading (most important)
<h2>	</h2>	2nd level heading
<h3>	</h3>	3rd level heading
<h4>	</h4>	4th level heading
<h5>	</h5>	5th level heading
<h6>	</h6>	6th level heading (least important)
<head>	</head>	Defines the header portion of the HTML document
<hr>		Horizontal rule
<html>	</html>	Defines the document as HTML
<i>	</i>	Italicize text
<img>		Insert an image
		List item (should only be used inside an or)
		Ordered list (used for collections where order is important)
<p>	</p>	Paragraph
<pre>	</pre>	Pre-formatted text / white space and line-breaks in source are respected when rendered
		Strongly emphasize text (usually rendered w/ bold)
<style>	</style>	Defines a stylesheet for current document (can only appear in <head>)
<table>	</table>	Table (should really only be used for tabular data, not layout)
<td>	</td>	Table data-cell
<title>	</title>	Title of the HTML document / important for search-engines appears in top of window
<tr>	</tr>	Table row
<tt>	</tt>	Teletype text / text is rendered using default monospace font
<u>	</u>	Underline text
		Unordered list (used for arbitrary collections where order doesn't matter)