

JavaScript Document Object Model (DOM)

Document Model Object (DOM)

- The Document Object Model (DOM) is a programming interface for HTML documents. It provides a structured representation of the document and it defines a way that the structure can be accessed from programs so that they can change the document structure, style and content.

DOM

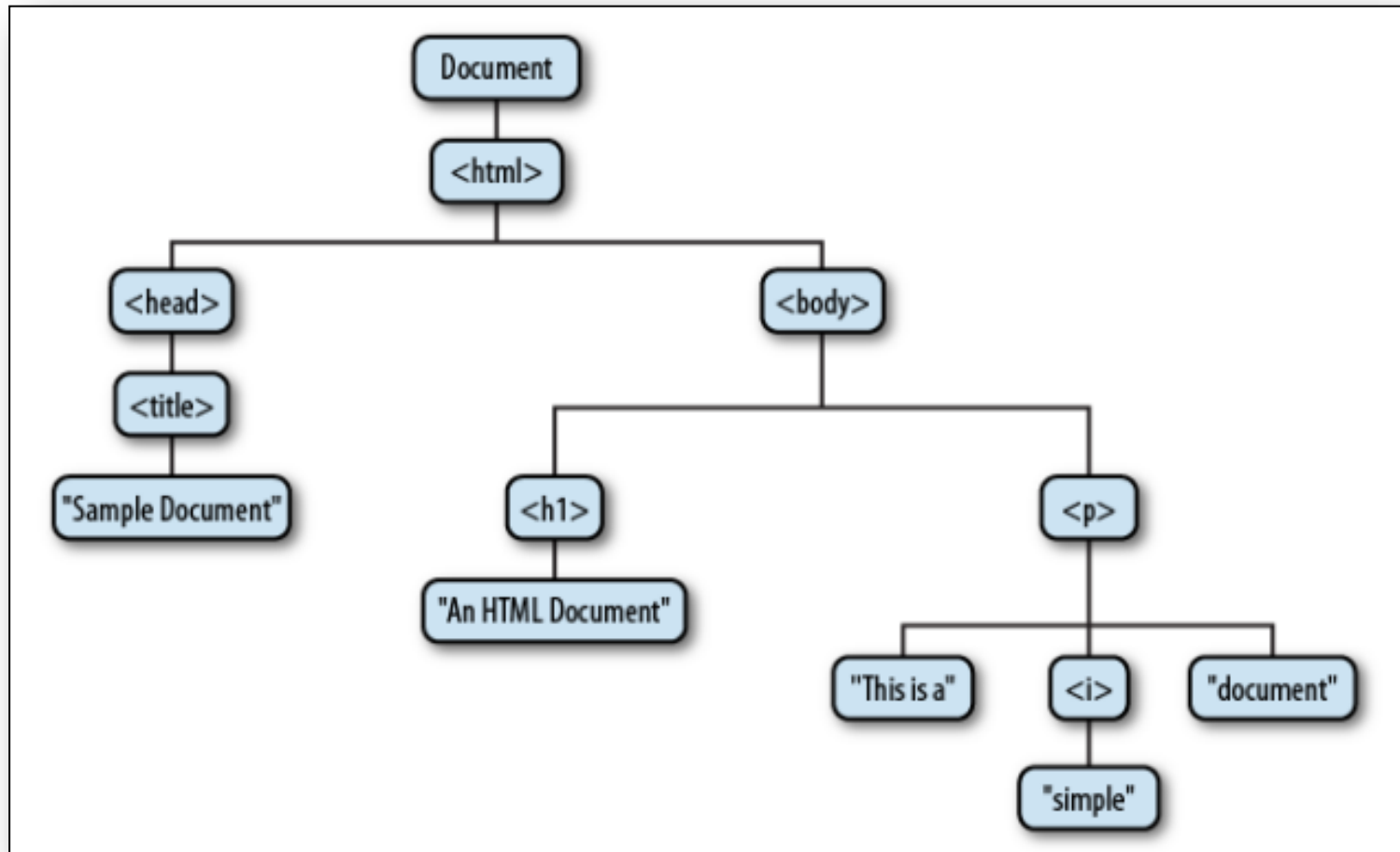
- The document Object Model (DOM) represents a web page in tree structure.
- DOM is a tree of objects each represents a single HTML element or a single literal String on the web page.
- Every node in the DOM has a relationship to its surrounding nodes.

DOM Tree

- The DOM views the HTML document as a tree-structure.
- All nodes can be accessed through the tree. Their contents can be modified or deleted, and new elements can be created.

```
<html>
  <head>
    <title>Sample Document</title>
  </head>
  <body>
    <h1>An HTML Document</h1>
    <p>This is a <i>simple</i> document.
  </body>
</html>
```

Basic HTML structure to illustrate a DOM tree



The tree representation of an HTML document

DOM Tree (cont)

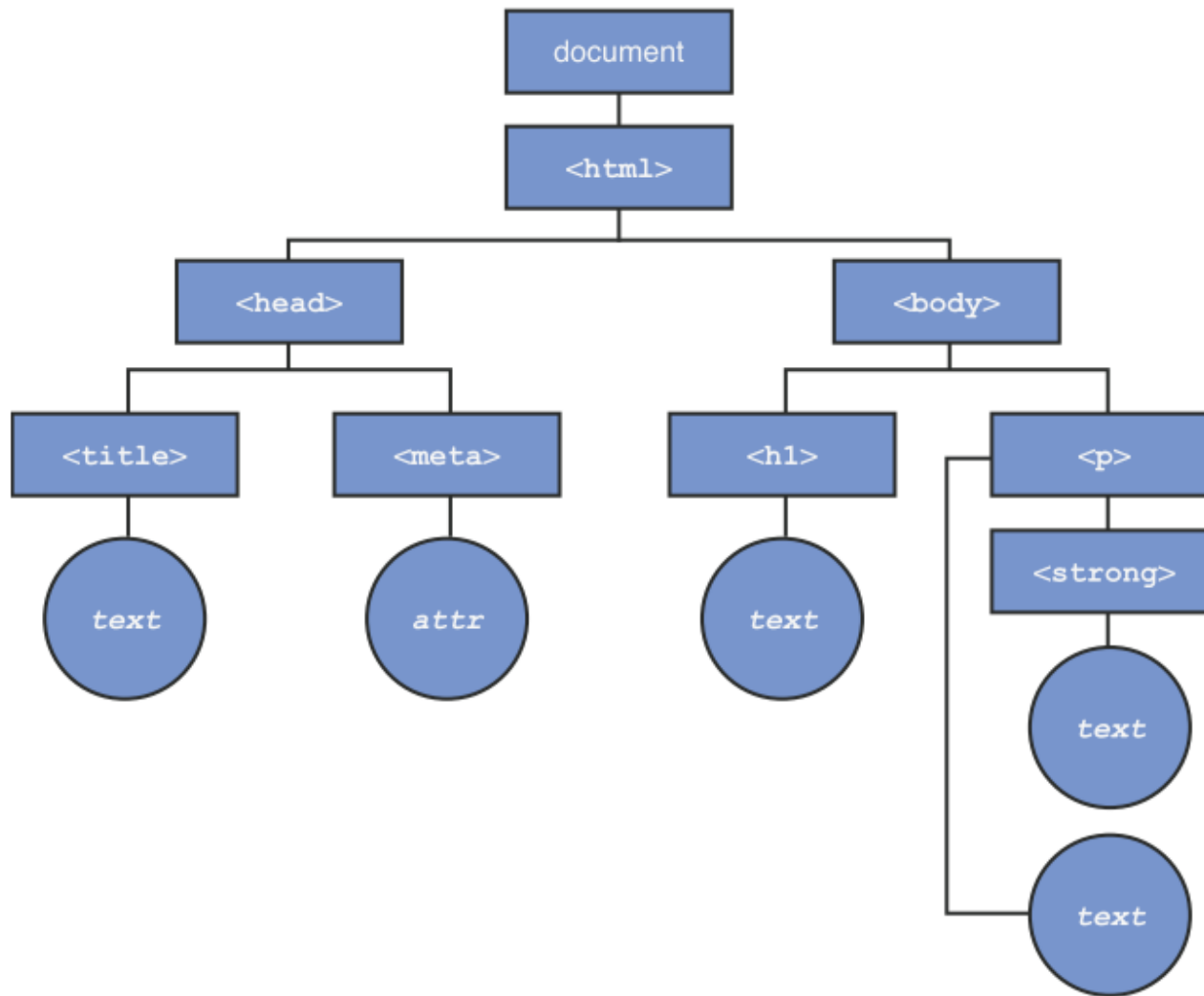
- The DOM is made up of items called nodes , which can have parents, children, and siblings and this determines its position in the tree.
 - **Parent**
A parent node is anything that contains other nodes.
 - **Child**
Children are positioned inside parent nodes.
 - **Sibling**
It is the nodes that are on the same level .

DOM nodes

- The type of nodes in the DOM can be classified to :
 - Nodes that represent HTML elements are called **element nodes**
 - The text inside HTML elements are called **text nodes**
 - Every HTML attribute is **attribute node**.

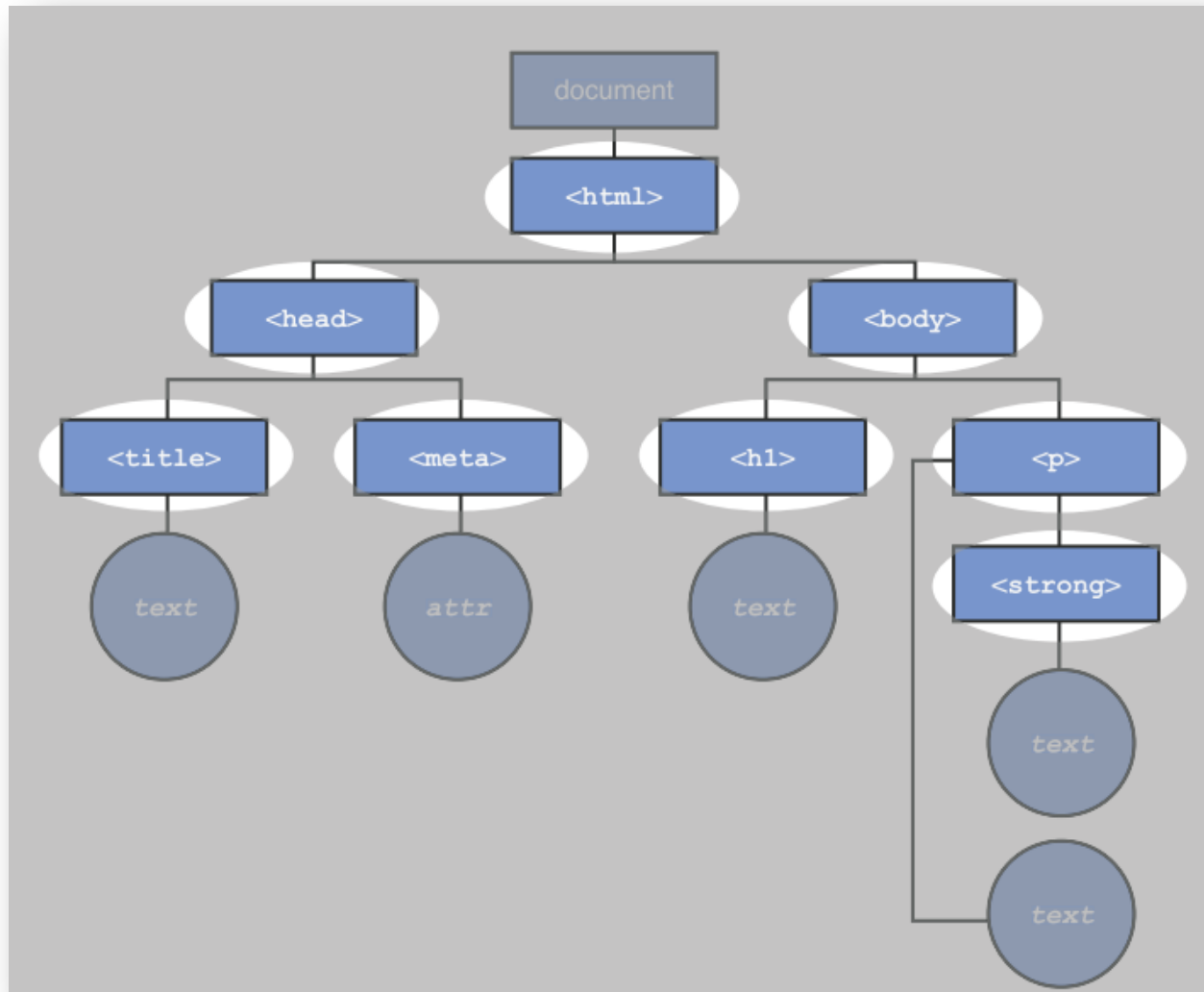
Node Types Example

```
<!--  
node-types.html  
-->  
<html>  
  <head>  
    <title> DOM Nodes example</title>  
    <meta charset="UTF-8">  
  </head>  
  <body>  
    <h1>Hello World!</h1>  
    <p>This is a <strong> basic HTML document</strong></p>  
  </body>  
</html>
```

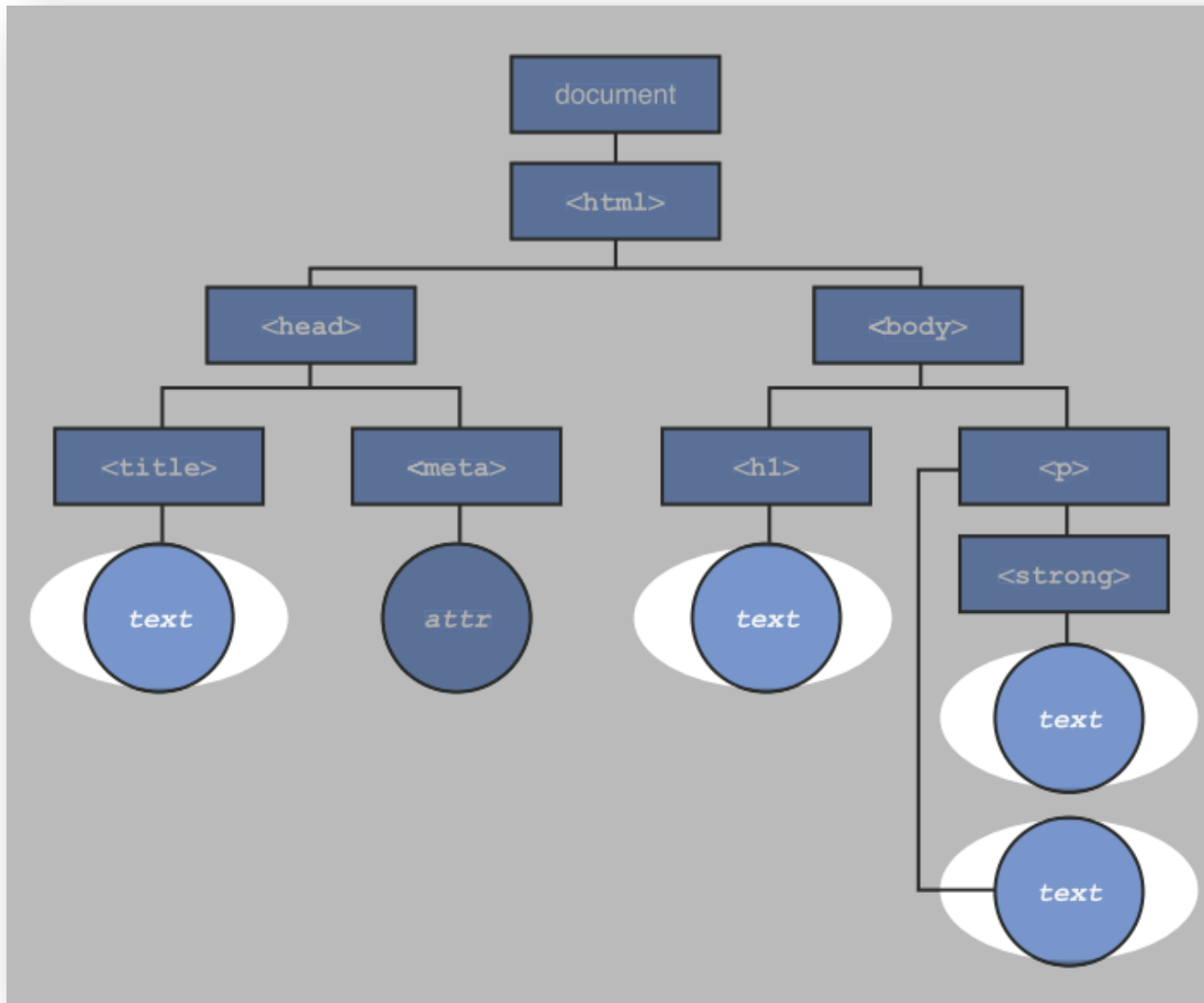



A graphical representation of the Document Object Model

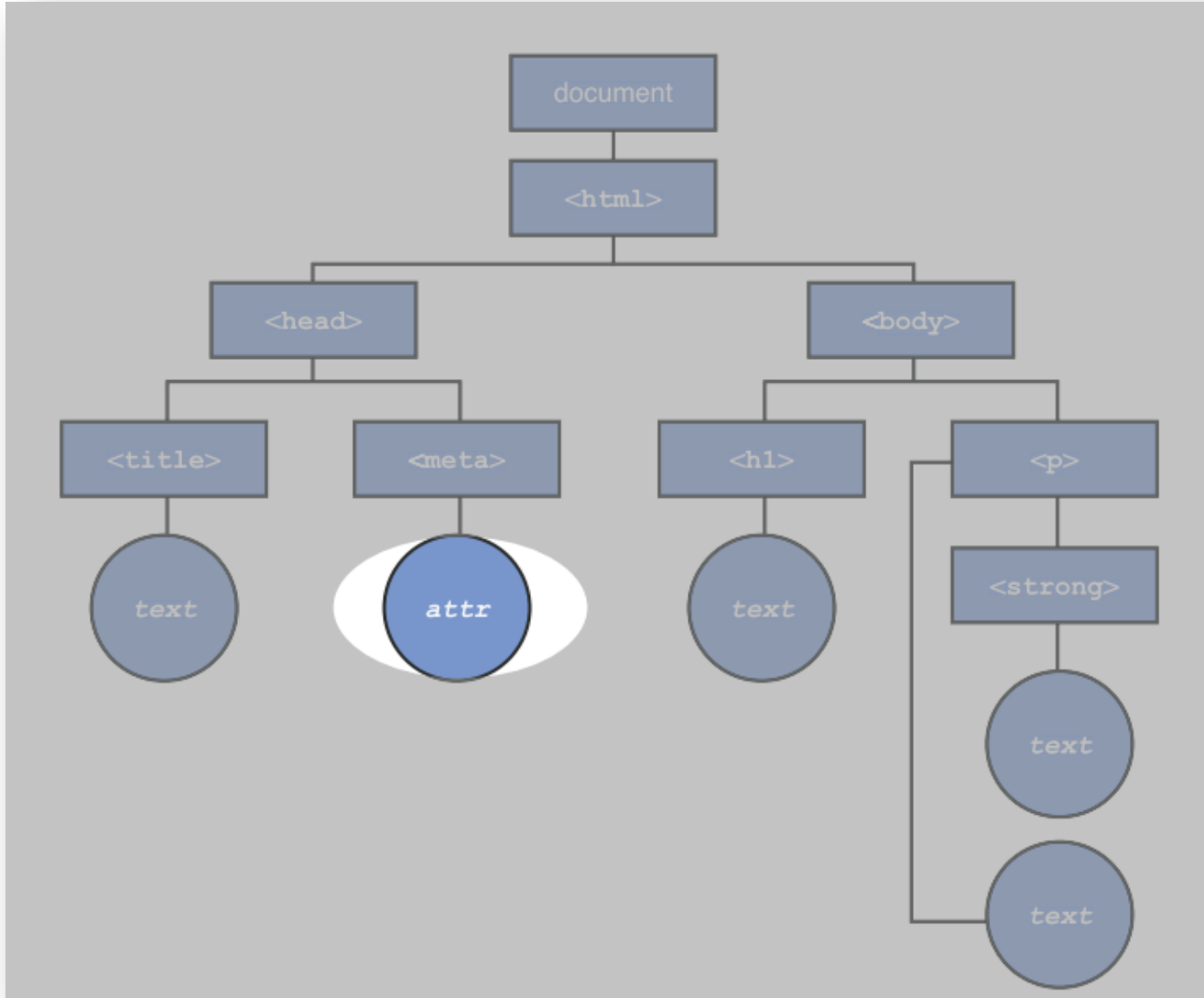
Element Nodes

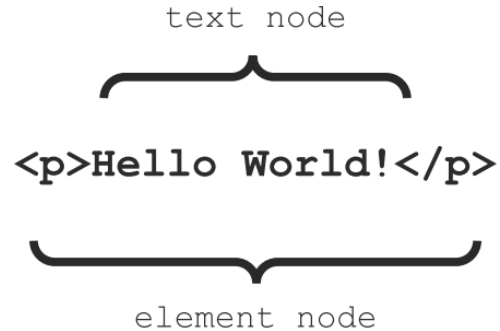


Text Nodes

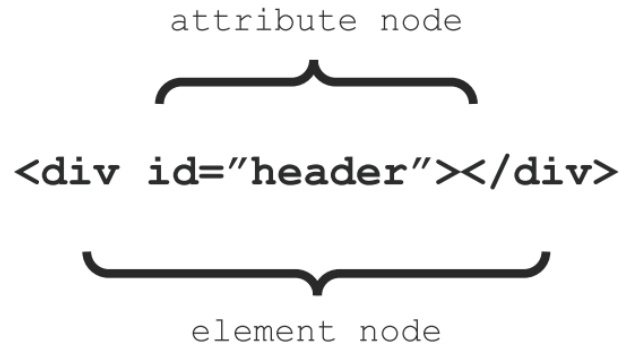


Attribute Nodes





The difference between an element node and a text node



The position of an attribute node in relation to an element node

Selecting Element Node

- Every element node in the DOM tree can be selected using different methods.

Example-2

```
<html>
  <head>
    <title>Working with element node</title>
  </head>
  <body>
    <div>Working with element node</div>
    <p > First paragraph</p>
    <p id = "p-id" > second paragraph</p>
    <p class = "p-class" > Third paragraph</p>
    <p class = "p-class" > Fourth paragraph</p>
  </body>
</html>
```

Selecting Element Node

- Every element node in the DOM tree can be reached using different methods.
- **Selecting by ID**

```
document.getElementById ("p-id")
```



```
<p id = "p-id" > second paragraph</p>
```

- **Selecting by Class**

```
document.getElementsByClassName ("p-class")
```



```
<p class = "p-class" > Third paragraph</p>  
<p class = "p-class" > Fourth paragraph</p>
```

- **Selecting by Name**

```
document.getElementsByTagName ("p")
```

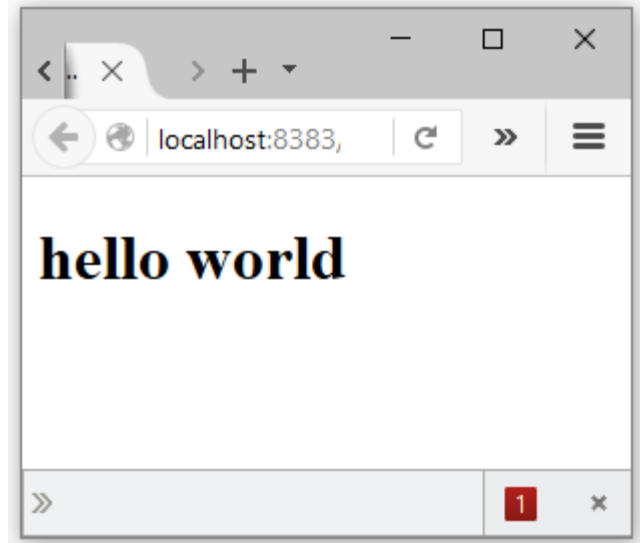


```
<p > First paragraph</p>  
<p id = "p-id" > second paragraph</p>  
<p class = "p-class" > Third paragraph</p>  
<p class = "p-class" > Fourth paragraph</p>
```

Working with Text node

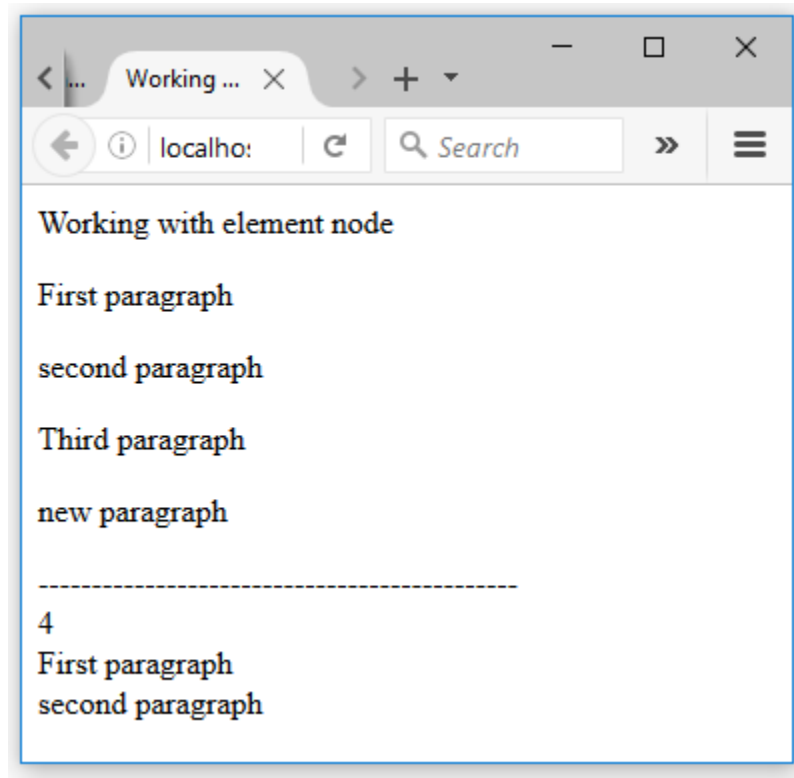
- The method `innerHTML` is used to get and change the content of HTML node.

```
<!DOCTYPE html>
<html>
  <head>
    <title>Working with Text node Example</title>
  </head>
  <body>
    <div id = "div1">To do write content</div>
    <script>
      document.getElementById("div1").innerHTML = "<h1>hello world</h1>";
    </script>
  </body>
</html>
```



• Example-4

```
<!DOCTYPE html>
<!-- element-nodes.html -->
<html>
  <head>
    <title>Working with element node</title>
  </head>
  <body>
    <div>Working with element node</div>
    <p > First paragraph</p>
    <p id ="p-id"> second paragraph</p>
    <p class ="p-class"> Third paragraph</p>
    <p class ="p-class"> Fourth paragraph</p>
    -----
    <br/>
    <script>
      document.write( document.getElementsByTagName ("p").length+"<br>");
      document.write(document. getElementsByTagName ("p").item(0).innerHTML+"<br>");
      document.write( document. getElementById ("p-id").innerHTML+"<br>");
      document. getElementsByClassName ("p-class").item(1).innerHTML="new paragraph";
    </script>
  </body>
</html>
```

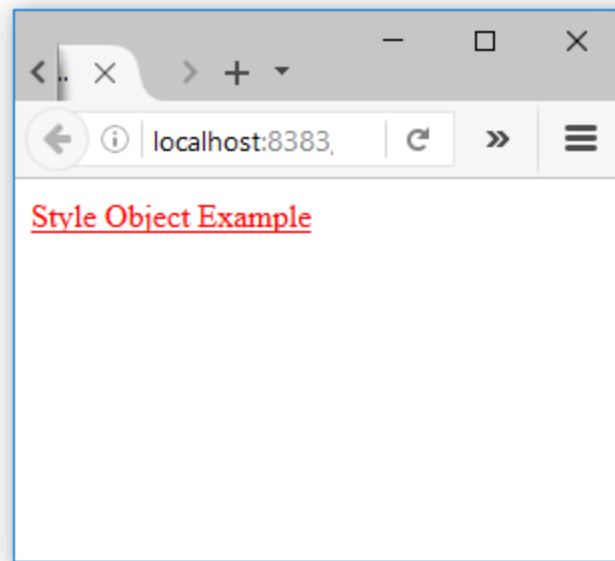


Changing Text node appearance

- Changing the CSS properties with the style property of the text node.
- Changing the class attribute value of the text node.

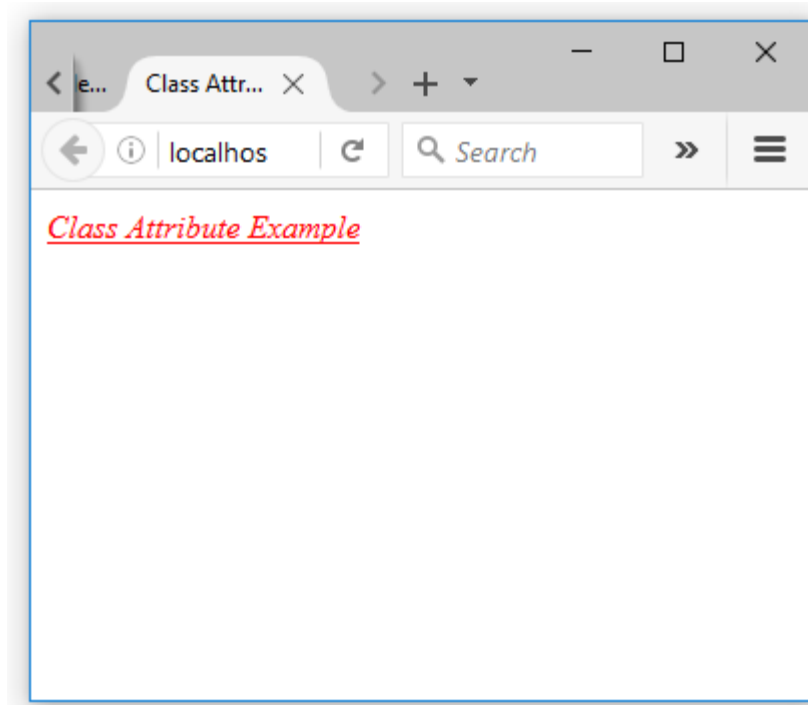
Using Style Property

```
<!DOCTYPE html>
<!--
style-object.html
-->
<html>
  <head>
    <title>Style Object Example</title>
  </head>
  <body>
    <div id="div1">Style Object Example</div>
    <script>
      var div1 = document.getElementById("div1");
      div1.style.color="red";
      div1.style.textDecoration="underline";
    </script>
  </body>
</html>
```



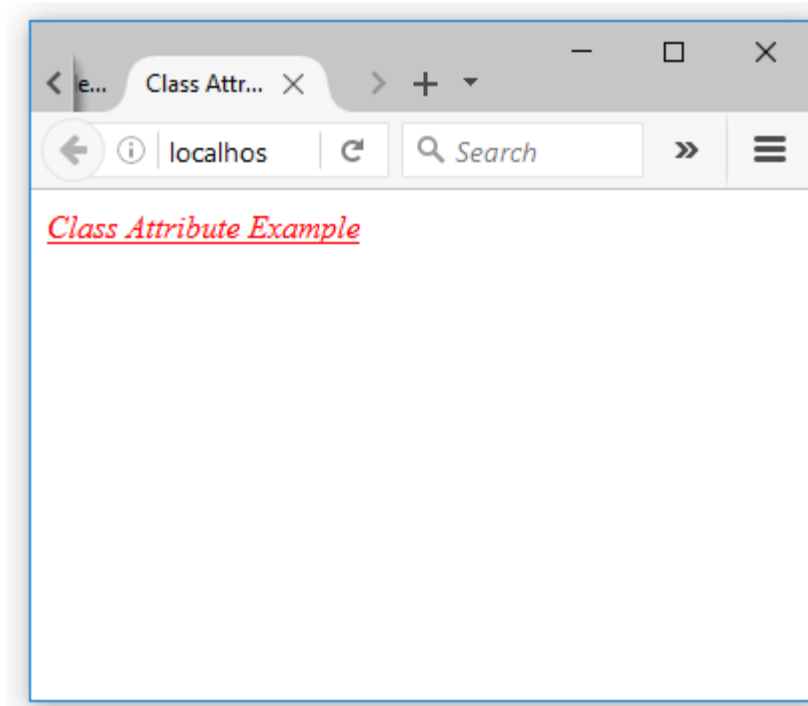
Changing the class attribute

```
<!DOCTYPE html>
<!--
class-attribute.html
-->
<html>
  <head>
    <title>Class Attribute Example</title>
    <style>
      .show {
        color: red;
        font-style: italic;
        text-decoration: underline;
      }
    </style>
  </head>
  <body>
    <div id="id1">Class Attribute Example</div>
    <script>
      var div1 = document.getElementById("id1");
      div1.setAttribute("class", "show");
    </script>
  </body>
</html>
```



Changing the class attribute

```
<!DOCTYPE html>
<!--
class-attribute1.html
-->
<html>
  <head>
    <title>Class Attribute Example</title>
    <style>
      .show {
        color: red;
        font-style: italic;
        text-decoration: underline;
      }
    </style>
  </head>
  <body>
    <div id="id1">Class Attribute Example</div>
    <script>
      var div1 = document.getElementById("id1");
      div1.className = "show";
    </script>
  </body>
</html>
```

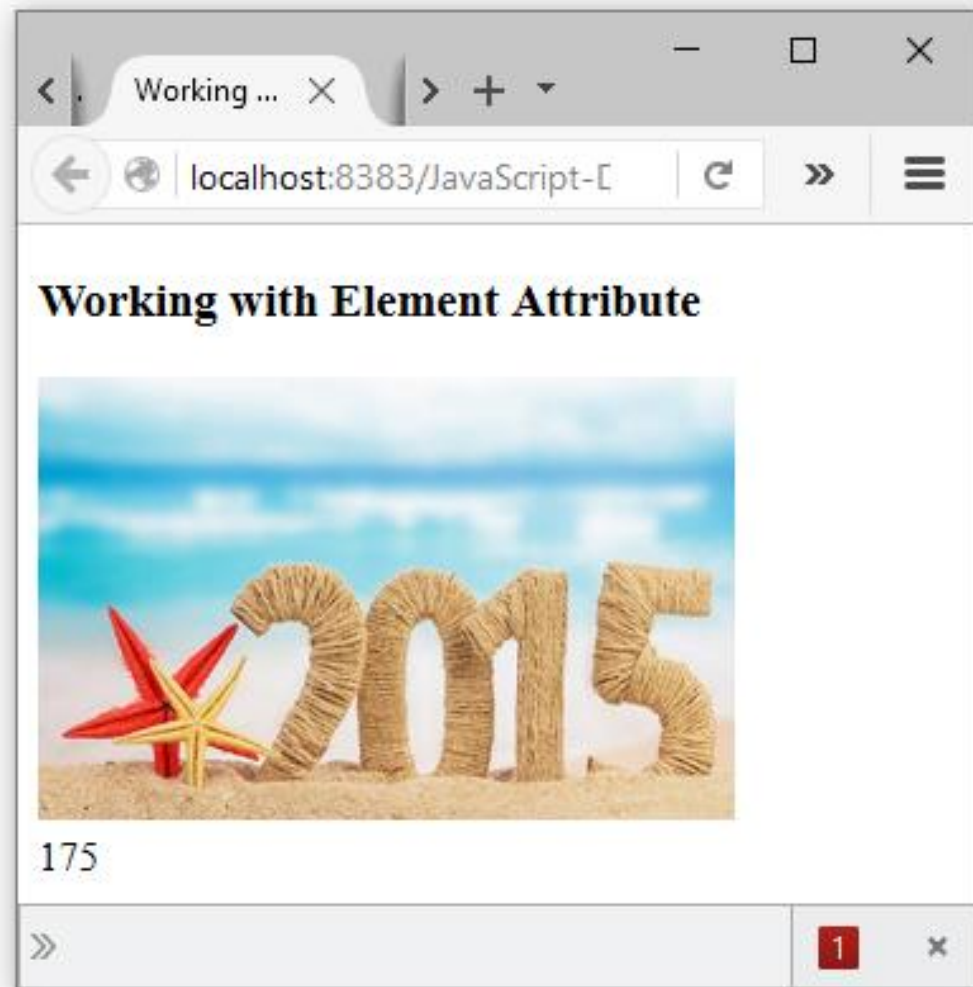



Working with Attributes

- The DOM defines set of methods for getting and setting the values of HTML attributes. Those methods are :
 - `getAttribute()`
 - `setAttribute()`
 - `removeAttribute()`
 - `hasAttribute()`

- **Example-8**

```
<!DOCTYPE html>
<!-- element-attribute.html -->
<html>
  <head>
    <title>Working with Element Attribute</title>
  </head>
  <body>
    <div>To do write content</div>
    
    <script>
      if (document.getElementById("pic").hasAttribute("width")) {
        document.write( document.getElementById("pic").getAttribute ("width"));
        document.getElementById("pic").setAttribute("width", "275");
      }
    </script>
  </body>
</html>
```



HTML Navigation (Tree Node Traverse)

- The node tree can be navigated using the node relationship.
- With DOM, all nodes in the node tree can be accessed by JavaScript.
- New nodes can be created, and all nodes can be modified or deleted.
- There are two special properties that allow access to the full document:
 - `document.body` - The body of the document
 - `document.documentElement` - The full document

- **Example-9**

```
1  <!DOCTYPE html>
2  <!-- document-documentElement.html -->
3  [-] <html>
4  [-]   <head>
5  |     <title>document.documentElement </title>
6  |   </head>
7  [-]   <body>
8  [-]     <div>
9  |       <p>This example demonstrates the <b>document.documentElement</b> property.</p>
10 |     </div>
11 [-]     <script>
12 |       alert(document.documentElement.innerHTML);
13 |     </script>
14 |   </body>
15 | </html>
```

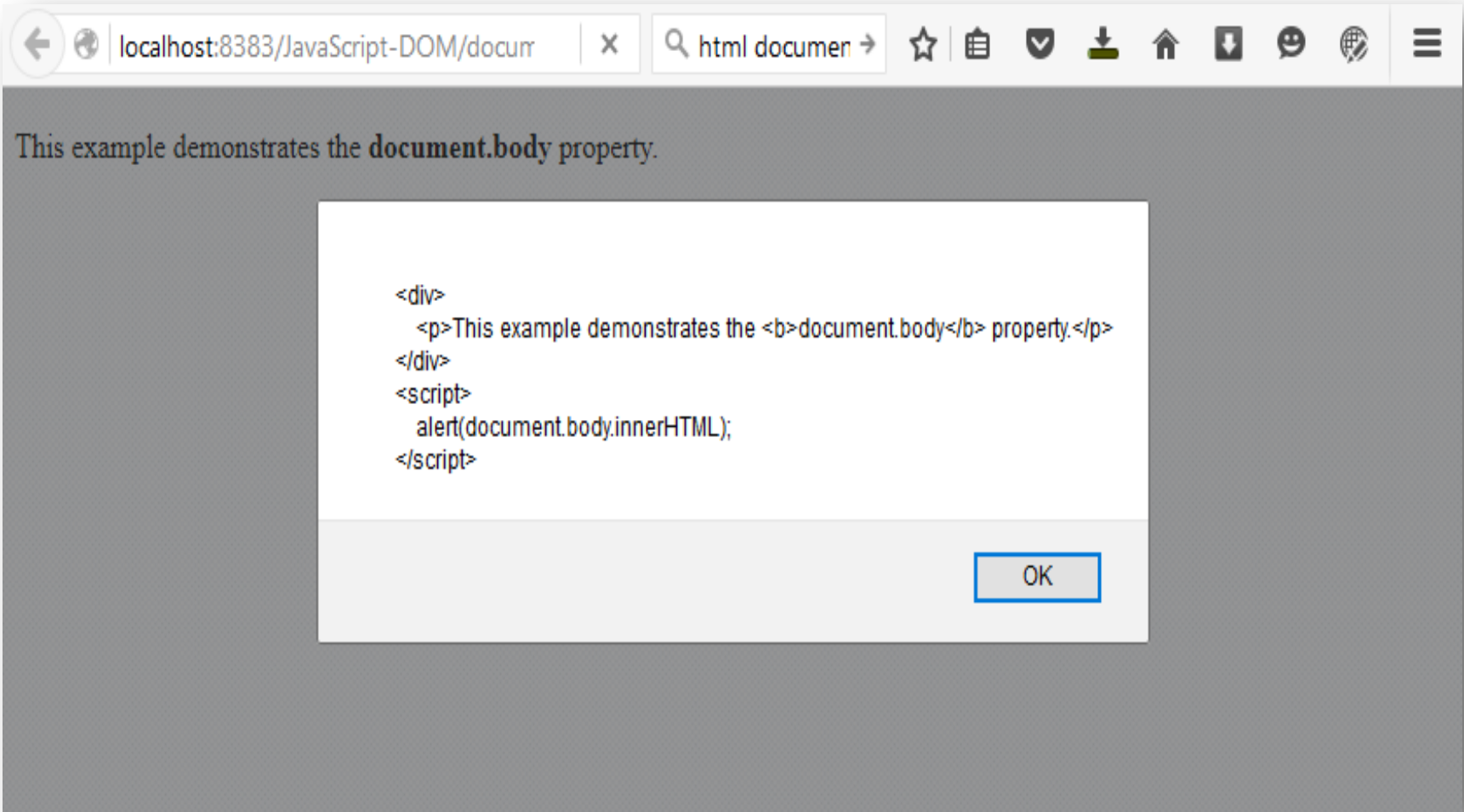
This example demonstrates the `document.documentElement` property.

```
<head>
  <title>document.documentElement </title>
</head>
<body>
  <div>
    <p>This example demonstrates the <b>document.documentElement</b>
property.</p>
  </div>
```

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- **Example-10**

```
1 <!DOCTYPE html>
2 <!-- document-body.html -->
3  <html>
4  <head>
5 |   <title>document.body example </title>
6 | </head>
7  <body>
8  <div>
9 |   <p>This example demonstrates the <b>document.body</b> property.</p>
10 | </div>
11  <script>
12 |   alert(document.body.innerHTML);
13 | </script>
14 | </body>
15 </html>
```

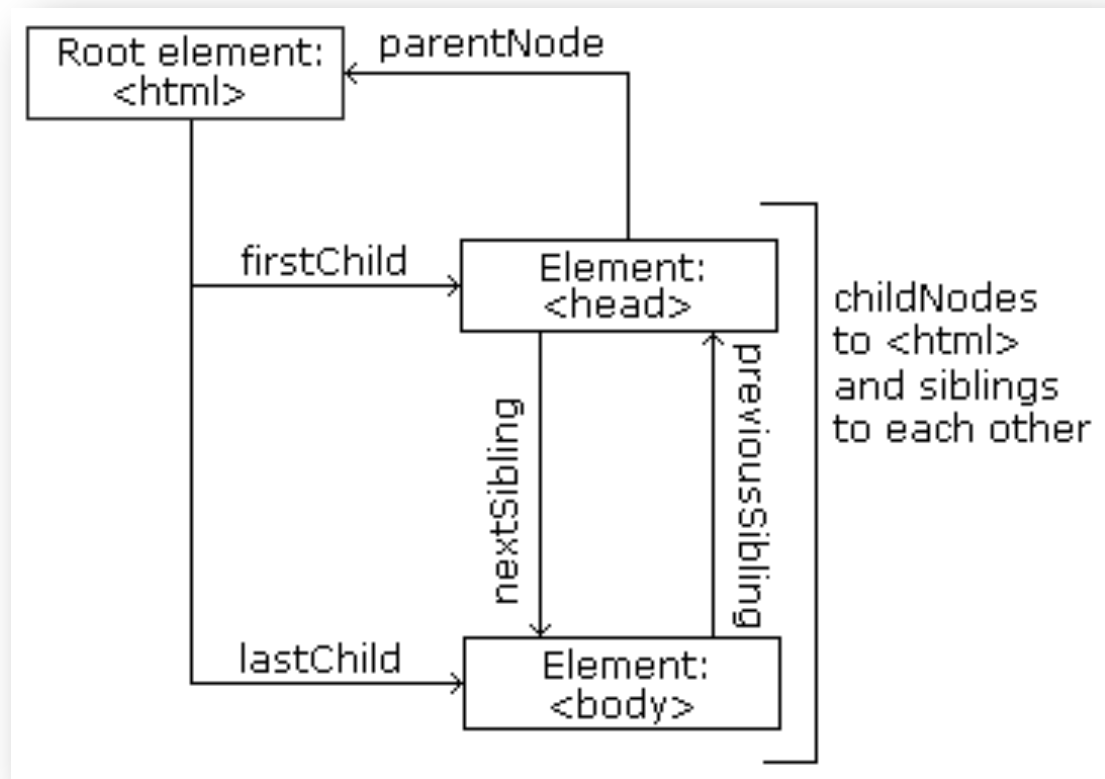
Node Relationships

- The nodes in the node tree have a hierarchical relationship to each other.
- The terms **parent**, **child**, and **sibling** are used to describe the relationships.
 - The top node is called the root .
 - Every node has exactly one parent, except the root (which has no parent)
 - A node can have a number of children
 - Siblings are nodes with the same parent

Navigating Between Nodes

- The documents can be traversed as trees of Element objects using these methods:

- `parentNode`
- `previousSibling`
- `nextSibling`
- `firstChild`
- `lastChild`

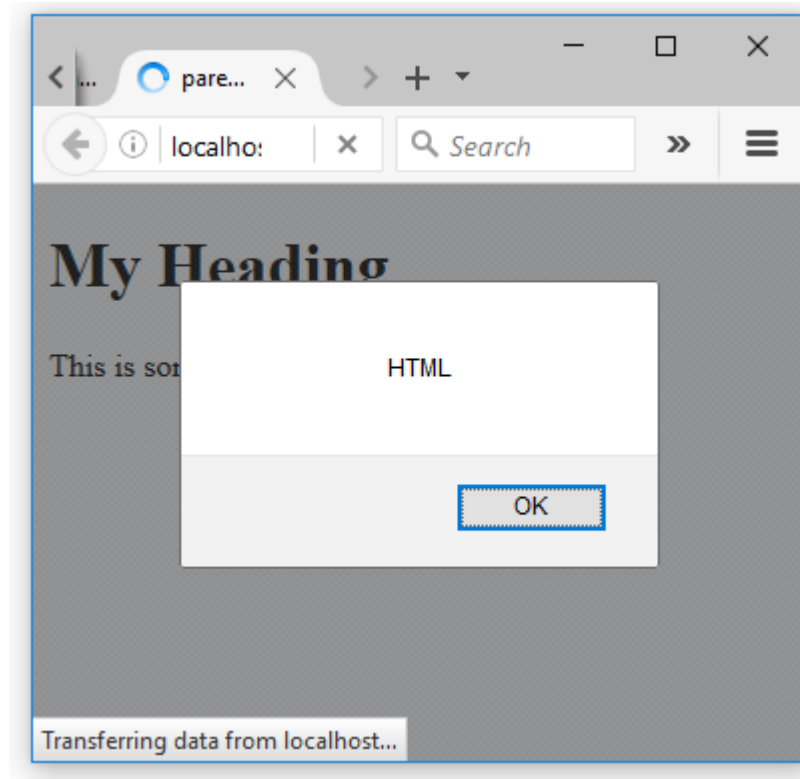


nodeName Property

- The nodeName property specifies the name of a node.
 - nodeName is read-only
 - nodeName of an **element node** is the same as the tag name
 - nodeName of an **attribute node** is the attribute name
 - nodeName of a **text node** is always #text
 - nodeName of the **document node** is always #document

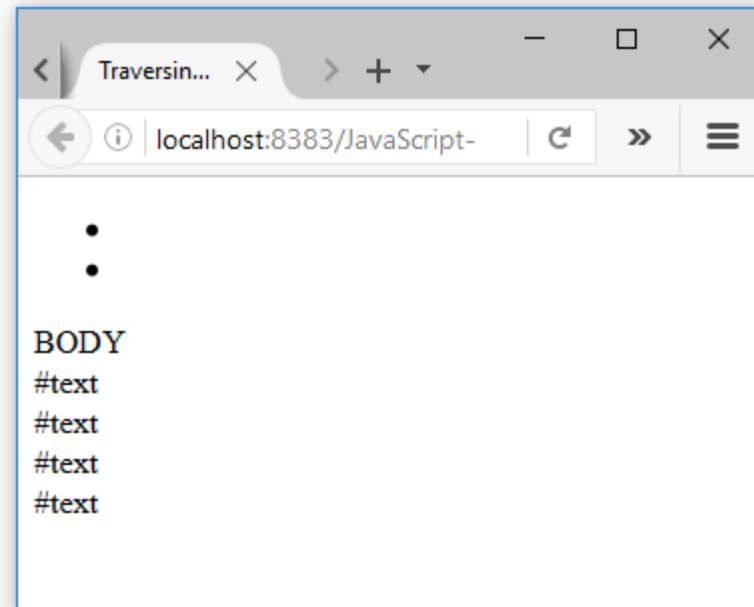
- **Example-11**

```
<!DOCTYPE html>
<!--
parent-node.html
-->
<html>
  <head>
    <title>parentNode Example</title>
  </head>
  <body id="id1">
    <h1 id="heading1">My Heading</h1>
    <p id="paragraph1">This is some text in a paragraph</p>
    <script>
      var parentElement1 = document.getElementsByTagName("body");
      alert(parentElement1[0].parentNode.nodeName);
    </script>
  </body>
</html>
```



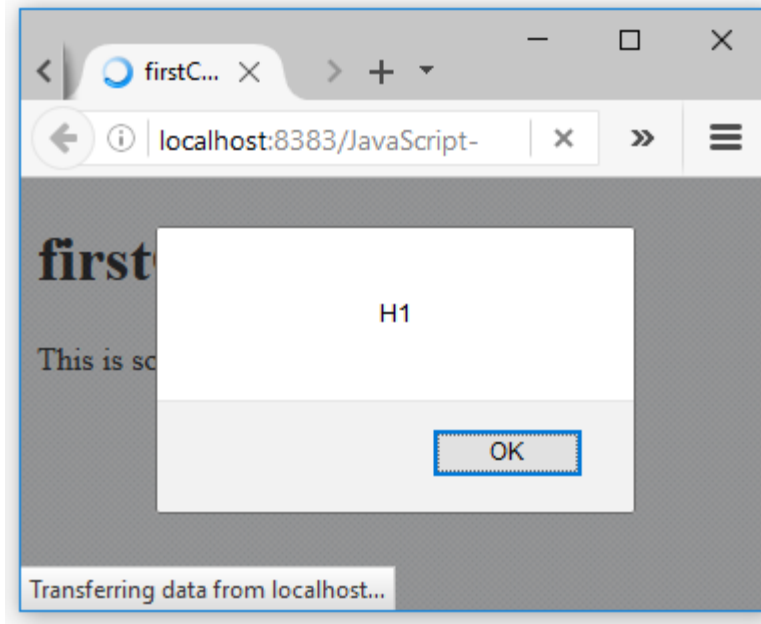
• Example-12

```
<!-- traverse-1.html -->
<html>
  <head>
    <title>Traversing Nodes in the DOM</title>
    <meta charset="UTF-8">
  </head>
  <body>
    <ul id="U">
      <li id="A"></li>
      <li id="B"></li>
    </ul>
    <script>
      var ul = document.getElementById("U");
      //What is the parentNode of the ul?
      document.write(ul.parentNode.nodeName+ "<br>");
      //What is the first child of the ul?
      document.write(ul.firstChild.nodeName+ "<br>");
      //What is the last child of the ul?
      document.write(ul.lastChild.nodeName+ "<br>");
      //What is the nextSibling of the first li?
      document.write(document.getElementById("A").nextSibling.nodeName+ "<br>");
      //What is the previousSibling of the last li?
      document.write(document.getElementById("B").previousSibling.nodeName+ "<br>");
    </script>
  </body>
</html>
```



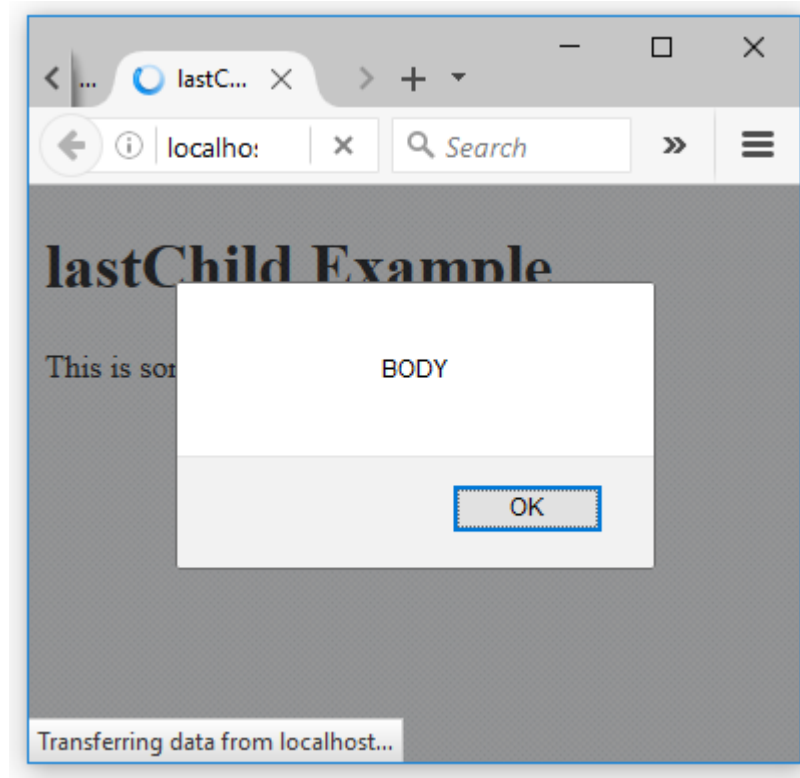
- **Example-9**

```
<!DOCTYPE html>
<!--
firstChild.html
-->
<html>
  <head>
    <title>firstChild Example</title>
  </head>
  <body><h1 id="heading1">firstChild Example</h1>
    <p id="paragraph1">This is some text in a paragraph</p>
    <script>
      var htmlElement = document.body;
      var headElement = htmlElement.firstChild.nodeName;
      alert(headElement);
    </script>
  </body>
</html>
```



- **Example-10**

```
<!DOCTYPE html>
<!--
lastChild.html
-->
<html>
  <head>
    <title> lastChild Example</title>
  </head>
  <body>
    <h1 id="heading1">lastChild Example</h1>
    <p id="paragraph1">This is some text in a paragraph</p>
    <script>
      var htmlElement = document.documentElement;
      var headElement = htmlElement.lastChild.nodeName;
      alert(headElement);
    </script>
  </body>
</html>
```

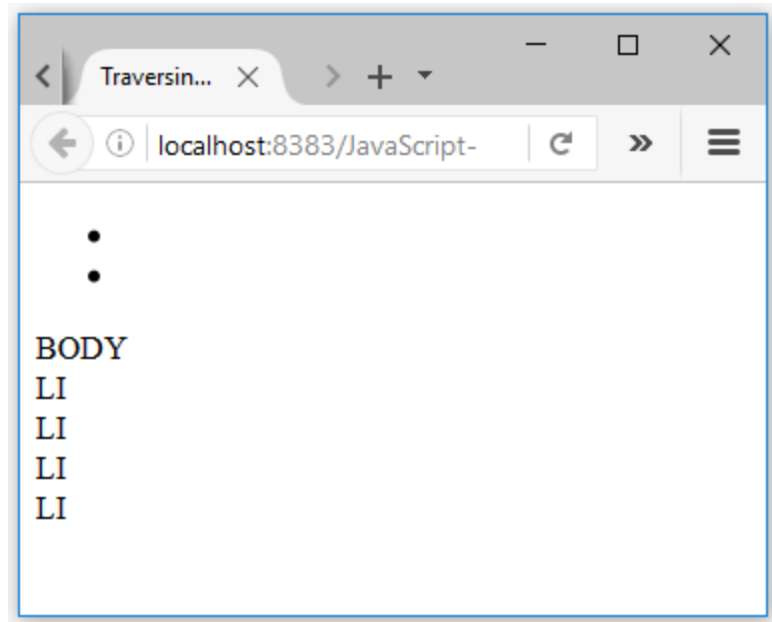


ELEMENT TRAVERSAL

- The following set of methods are used to return the element nodes only.
 - `childElementCount` - Returns the number of child elements.
 - `firstElementChild` - Points to the first child that is an element
 - `lastElementChild` - Points to the last child that is an element.
 - `previousElementSibling` - Points to the previous sibling that is an element.
 - `nextElementSibling` - Points to the next sibling that is an element

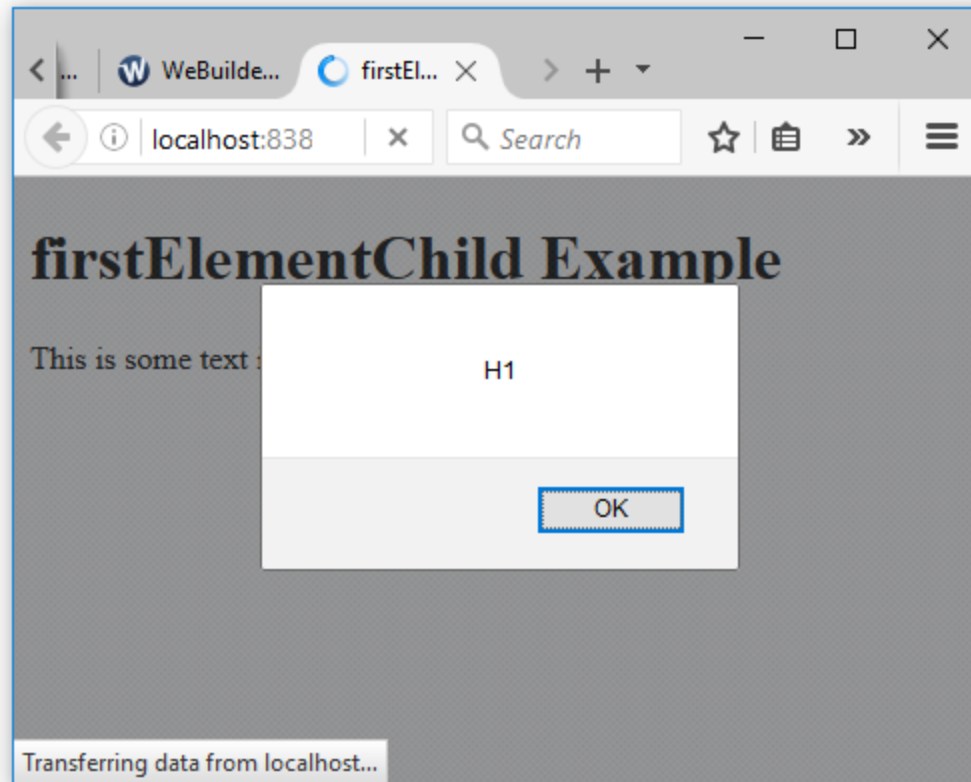
• Example-11

```
<!-- traverse-2.html -->
<html>
  <head>
    <title>Traversing Nodes in the DOM</title>
    <meta charset="UTF-8">
  </head>
  <body>
    <ul id="U">
      <li id="A"></li>
      <li id="B"></li>
    </ul>
    <script>
      var ul = document.getElementById("U");
      //What is the parentNode of the ul?
      document.write(ul.parentNode.nodeName + "</br>");
      //What is the first child of the ul?
      document.write(ul.firstChild.nodeName + "</br>");
      //What is the last child of the ul?
      document.write(ul.lastElementChild.nodeName + "</br>");
      //What is the nextSibling of the first li?
      document.write(document.getElementById("A").nextElementSibling.nodeName + "</br>");
      //What is the previousSibling of the last li?
      document.write(document.getElementById("B").previousElementSibling.nodeName + "</br>");
    </script>
  </body>
</html>
```



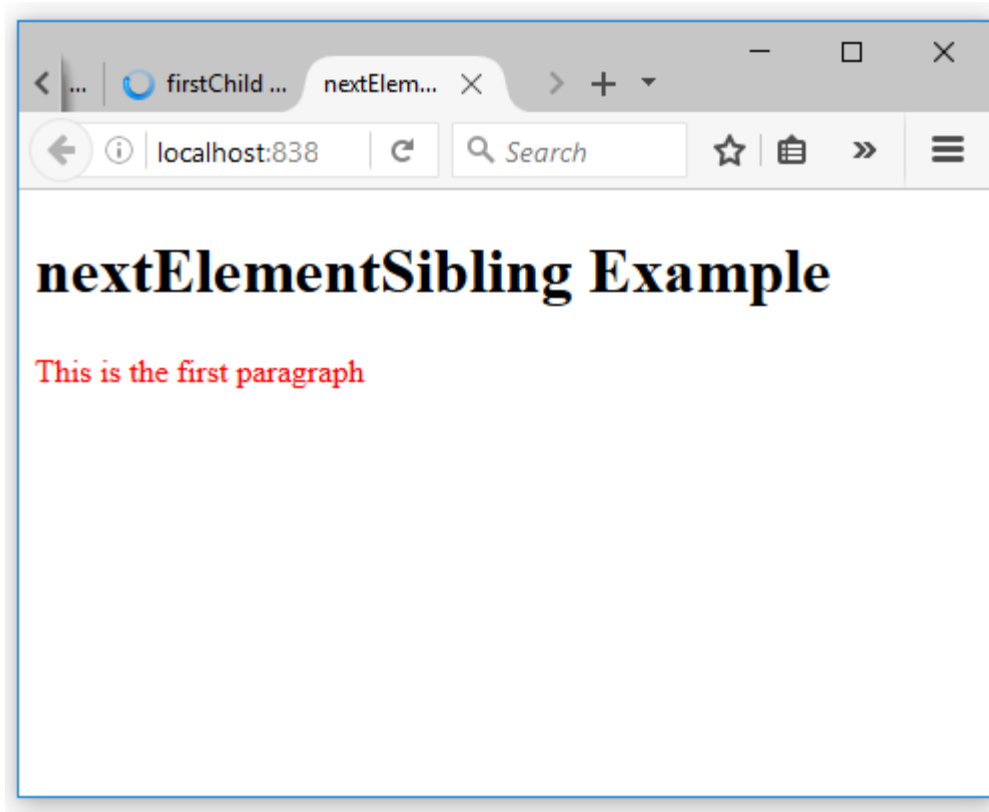
- **Example-12**

```
<!DOCTYPE html>
<!--
firstElementChild.html
-->
<html>
  <head>
    <title>firstElementChild Example</title>
  </head>
  <body>
    <h1 id="heading1">firstElementChild Example</h1>
    <p id="paragraph1">This is some text in a paragraph</p>
    <script>
      var htmlElement = document.body;
      var headElement = htmlElement.firstElementChild.nodeName;
      alert(headElement);
    </script>
  </body>
</html>
```

- **Example-13**

```
<!DOCTYPE html>
<!--
nextElementSibling.html
-->
<html>
  <head>
    <title>nextElementSibling Example</title>
  </head>
  <body>
    <h1 id="heading1"> nextElementSibling Example</h1>
    <p id="paragraph1">This is the first paragraph</p>
    <script>
      var h1Element = document.getElementById("heading1");
      var pElement;
      pElement = h1Element.nextElementSibling;
      pElement.style.color = "red";
    </script>
  </body>
</html>
```

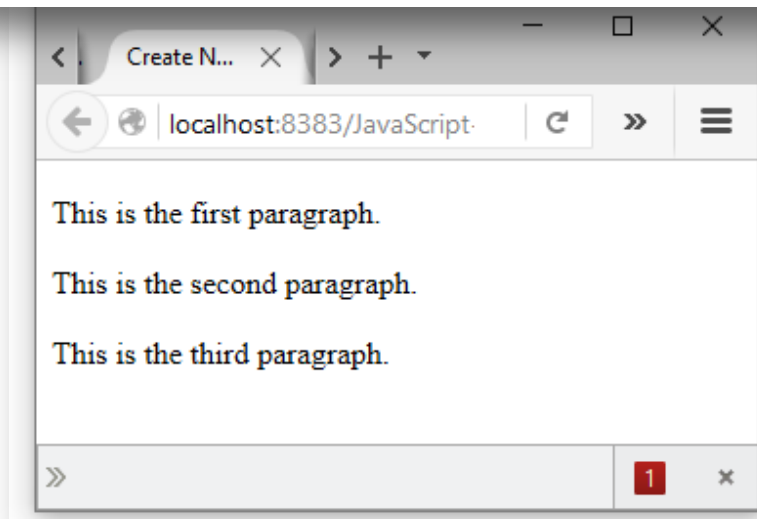


Creating New HTML Elements (Nodes)

- To add a new element to the DOM,
- First create the element node.
- Second append it to an existing element.
 - The `appendChild()` method appended the new element as the last child of the parent.
 - The `insertBefore()` method appended the new element before a selected node.

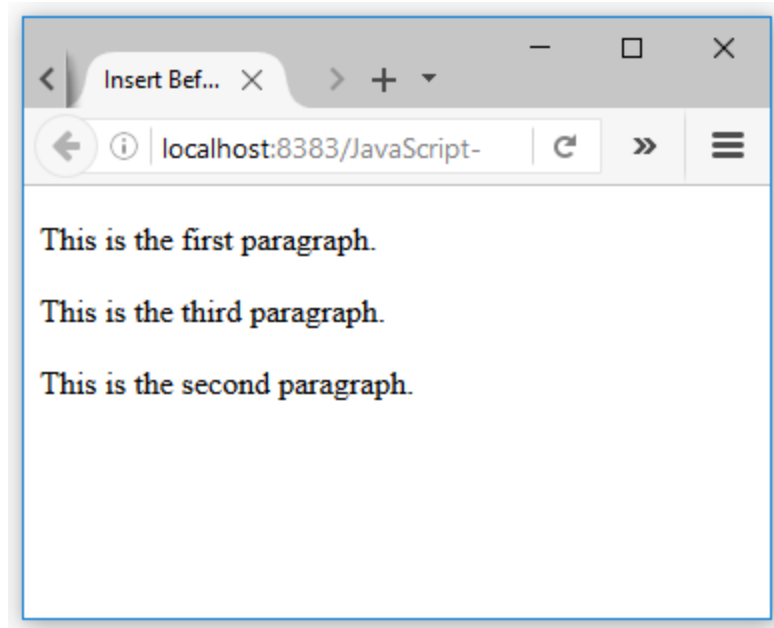
Example-14

```
1 <!DOCTYPE html>
2 <!-- create-node.html -->
3 <html>
4 <head>
5   <title>Create Node</title>
6 </head>
7 <body>
8   <div id="div1">
9     <p id="p1">This is the first paragraph.</p>
10    <p id="p2">This is the second paragraph.</p>
11  </div>
12  <script>
13    var para = document.createElement("p");
14    var node = document.createTextNode("This is the third paragraph.");
15    para.appendChild(node);
16
17    var element = document.getElementById("div1");
18    element.appendChild(para);
19  </script>
20 </body>
21 </html>
```



• Example-15

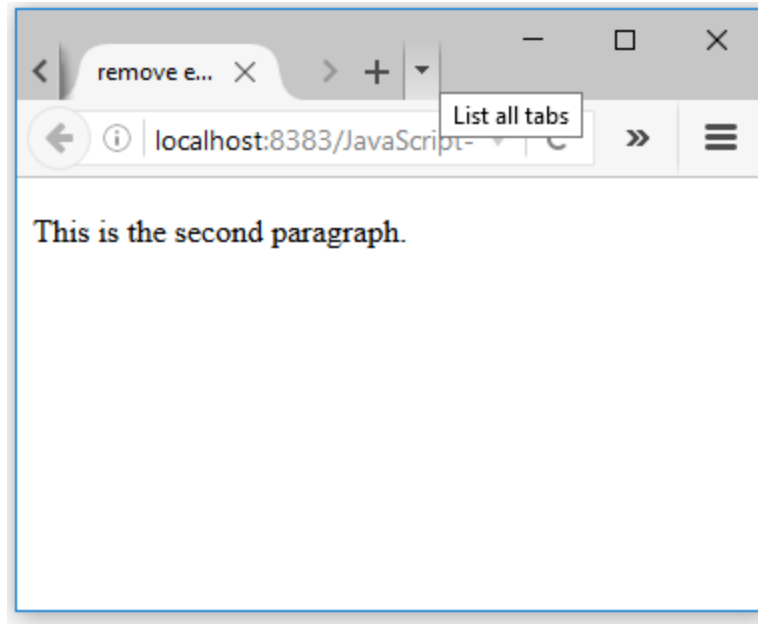
```
<!DOCTYPE html>
<!--
insert-before.html
-->
<html>
  <head>
    <title>TODO supply a title</title>
    <meta charset="UTF-8">
  </head>
  <body>
    <div id="div1">
      <p id="p1">This is the first paragraph.</p>
      <p id="p2">This is the second paragraph.</p>
    </div>
    <script>
      var para = document.createElement("p");
      var node = document.createTextNode("This is the third paragraph.");
      para.appendChild(node);
      var element = document.getElementById("div1");
      var p2 = document.getElementById("p2");
      element.insertBefore(para, p2);
    </script>
  </body>
</html>
```



Removing Existing HTML Elements

- To remove an HTML element, you must know the parent of the element:

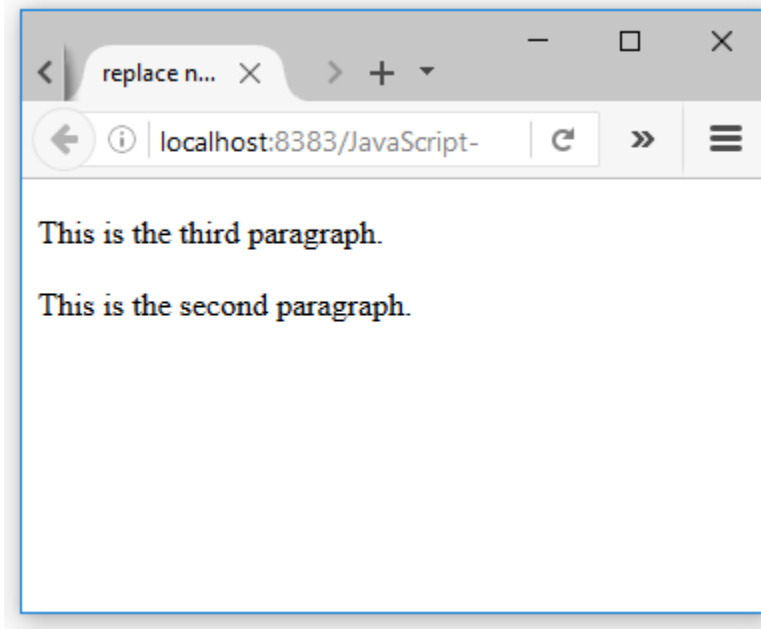
```
1 <!DOCTYPE html>
2 <!-- remove-node.html -->
3 <html>
4 <head>
5   <title>remove element </title>
6 </head>
7 <body>
8   <div id="div1">
9     <p id="p1">This is the first paragraph.</p>
10    <p id="p2">This is the second paragraph.</p>
11  </div>
12 <script>
13   var parent = document.getElementById("div1");
14   var child = document.getElementById("p1");
15   parent.removeChild(child);
16 </script>
17 </body>
18 </html>
```

Replacing HTML Elements

- The `replaceChild()` method is used to replace an element to the DOM

```
1  <!DOCTYPE html>
2  <!-- replace-node.html -->
3  <html>
4  <head>
5      <title>replace node</title>
6  </head>
7  <body>
8      <div id="div1">
9          <p id="p1">This is the first paragraph.</p>
10         <p id="p2">This is the second paragraph.</p>
11     </div>
12     <script>
13         var para = document.createElement("p");
14         var node = document.createTextNode("This is the third paragraph.");
15         para.appendChild(node);
16         var parent = document.getElementById("div1");
17         var child = document.getElementById("p1");
18         parent.replaceChild(para, child);
19     </script>
20 </body>
21 </html>
```



Thanks!