

How to Make an Email Button in HTML

Adding an email button to your site seems simple... until you realize there's no `<email>` tag in HTML. You start Googling things like:

- How do I make an email button in HTML?
- Can I use `mailto:` inside a button?
- Why doesn't this open an email window?

Let's clear it up and show you the easy way.

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Here's the code:

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```
<a href="mailto:someone@example.com">Email Us</a>
```

That's it. The `mailto:` link tells the browser or device to open the user's default email client.

Want to include a subject line? Add it like this:

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```
<a href="mailto:someone@example.com?subject=Hello">Email Us</a>
```

Making It Look Like a Button

You can style the link to look like a button using inline styles:

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```
<a href="mailto:someone@example.com?subject=Hi" style="padding: 10px 20px;
```

Not bad. But who wants to hand-code that every time?

Use This Free Tool Instead

Just use my [Email Button Generator](#). It lets you:

- Enter the email address and subject
- Customize the button text, size, and colors
- See a live preview of your button

- Copy the fully styled HTML with one click

The code it generates uses inline styles, so it'll work anywhere — no extra CSS files needed.

Common Questions

What is the HTML tag for email?

There's no `<email>` tag. Use an `<a>` tag with `href="mailto:someone@example.com"`.

How do I create a clickable email link?

Use this:

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```
<a href="mailto:yourname@example.com">Email Me</a>
```

Can I add a subject to a mailto link?

Yes:

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```
mailto:someone@example.com?subject=Your Subject
```

Can I make a mailto link look like a button?

Absolutely — just style it using CSS or use this free [Email Button Generator](#).

Final Thoughts

You could spend time messing with HTML and styles every time you want to add an email button...

Or just use the tool, copy the code, and move on with your life.

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