

Text Encoding Fundamentals: Oxygen Shortcuts

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in order to ...	in oXygen ...
insert an element	type <, and then scroll through the pop-up list of available element names; note that typing the first few letters of an element's name will select it
insert an attribute	position your cursor before the > of a start-tag (or before the / of an empty-element tag) and type a space, then scroll through the pop-up list of available attribute names; note that typing the first few letters of an attribute's name will select it
validate	press <code>cmd-shift-v</code> (or <code>ctl-shift-v</code> on PCs)
indent (i.e., make pretty)	press <code>cmd-shift-p</code> (or <code>ctl-shift-p</code> on PCs)
make text into an element (i.e., surround it with tags)	select text of interest, and press <code>cmd-e</code> (or <code>ctl-e</code> on PCs), then scroll through the surround window's list of available element names; note that typing the first few letters of an element's name will select it
rename an element	place cursor on either start- or end-tag, and press <code>opt-cmd-r</code> (or <code>alt-shift-r</code> on PCs)
split element	press <code>ctl-opt-d</code>