

Add New Links

How do I add New Links?

You can add or edit links on this screen by entering information in each of the boxes. Only the link's web address and name (the text you want to display on your site as the link) are required fields.

1. Click "Links"

2. Click "Add New"

<input type="checkbox"/>	Name	URL	Categories	Relationship	Visible	Rating
<input type="checkbox"/>	Documentation	codex.wordpress.org	Blogroll		Yes	0
<input type="checkbox"/>	Plugins	wordpress.org/extend/plugins	Blogroll		Yes	0
<input type="checkbox"/>	Suggest Ideas	wordpress.org/extend/ideas	Blogroll		Yes	0
<input type="checkbox"/>	Support Forum	wordpress.org/support	Blogroll		Yes	0
<input type="checkbox"/>	Themes	wordpress.org/extend/themes			Yes	0
<input type="checkbox"/>	WordPress Blog	wordpress.org/development	Blogroll		Yes	0
<input type="checkbox"/>	WordPress Planet	planet.wordpress.org	Blogroll		Yes	0
<input type="checkbox"/>	Name	URL	Categories	Relationship	Visible	Rating

The boxes for link name, web address, and description have fixed positions

The screenshot shows the WordPress dashboard's 'Add New Link' form. On the left is a dark sidebar with navigation options: Posts, Media, Links (highlighted), All Links, Add New, Link Categories, Pages, Comments (1), BuddyPress Invitations, Forums, Topics, Replies, Emails, Appearance, Plugins, Users, Tools, Settings, and Collapse menu. The main content area is titled 'Add New Link' with an 'Add New' button. The form consists of three main sections: 'Name' with an input field and an example 'Nifty blogging software'; 'Web Address' with an input field and an example 'http://wordpress.org/'; and 'Description' with an input field and a note 'This will be shown when someone hovers over the link in the blogroll, or optionally below the link.' Below these is a 'Categories' section with tabs for 'All Categories' and 'Most Used', a checkbox for 'Blogroll', and a '+ Add New Category' link. A red arrow points to the 'Name' input field.

Others may be repositioned using drag and drop. You can also hide boxes you don't use in the Screen Options tab, or minimize boxes by clicking on the title bar of the box.

XFN stands for XHTML Friends Network, which is optional. WordPress allows the generation of XFN attributes to show how you are related to the authors/owners of the site to which you are linking.

Target ▲

- `_blank` — new window or tab.
- `_top` — current window or tab, with no frames.
- `_none` — same window or tab.

Choose the target frame for your link.

Link Relationship (XFN) ▲

rel:

- identity another web address of mine
- friendship contact acquaintance friend none
- physical met
- professional co-worker colleague
- geographical co-resident neighbour none
- family child kin parent sibling spouse none
- romantic muse crush date sweetheart

If the link is to a person, you can specify your relationship with them using the above form. If you would like to learn more about the idea check out [XFN](#).

Further Support

Additional support is on hand should you require help. Contact the Digital Learning Support team at elearning-support@arts.ac.uk



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