

DynamiX WP Theme Documentation

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Change Log

Child Theme

Child Theme

Child Theme

A child theme is designed to allow you to make changes to the CSS and Functions without affecting the core files, making it easy to modify and still upgrade easily.

Upload the DynamiX-Child folder to the same directory as the DynamiX folder i.e.

<http://yourdomain.com/wp-content/themes/DynamiX>
<http://yourdomain.com/wp-content/themes/DynamiX-Child>

Once uploaded, goto your **WP Admin → Appearance → Themes** and activate the **DynamiX Child theme**.

From here you can modify the DynamiX-Child/style.css via **FTP** or via **WP Admin → Appearance → Editor**.

For example, If you wish to change overall font size of the Theme the following CSS would be added to the DynamiX-Child/style.css file.

```
body {  
font-size: 0.85;  
}
```

It's recommended that you have a copy of the core DynamiX/style.css to view when wanting to change attributes. Whatever is defined in the DynamiX/style.css needs to be re-defined the same way in the DynamiX-Child/style.css file.

e.g. The following is for the header logo description position, found in the core DynamiX/style.css.

```
#header-logo .description { position:absolute;margin-top:33px;}
```

To modify the margin-top value you would add the following in the DynamiX-Child/style.css

```
#header-logo .description { margin-top:40px;}
```

If the change does not apply, the !important rule may be needed. e.g.

```
#header-logo .description { margin-top:40px !important;}
```


Custom Style Sheet

If you are using a custom stylesheet you want to load in, do the following.

For example, if you have created a custom skin (using the custom.css stylesheet) - copy your DynamiX/stylesheet/ folder contents to the DynamiX-Child/stylesheet/ folder contents (overwrite any existing files). And place the following code in the DynamiX-Child/functions.php file.

```
<?php
/**
 * DynamiX Child Theme Functions
 * Load languages directory for translation
 */

add_action('wp_print_styles','dyn_childstyles');

function dyn_childstyles() {
    $childstyledir = get_bloginfo('stylesheet_directory');
    wp_register_style('custom-style', $childstyledir.'/stylesheet/custom.css');
    wp_enqueue_style( 'custom-style');
}
?>
```

Getting Started

Theme Customization

If you wish to customise the Theme using CSS, add your CSS styles to Appearance → Theme Options → Customize → Custom CSS.

Watch the following screencast on how to use Google Chrome to help you customise a web page and place your styles into the Theme settings.

<http://www.youtube.com/watch?v=njDi2PMh688>

Screencast List

This is a full list of screencasts available to help you use the Theme.

DynamiX 3.x Overview

<http://www.youtube.com/watch?v=EsfzNeDPsGs>

Theme / Skin Customizer (Skin Settings)

<http://www.youtube.com/watch?v=arXrE3wujSw>

Page Builder (Visual Composer)

<http://www.youtube.com/watch?v=JKSt-sktTtw>

Add a Gallery (Slide Set Manager)

<http://www.youtube.com/watch?v=XzRgWlopzbs>

Grid Gallery + Category Filtering

<http://www.youtube.com/watch?v=C-pkB8e3oMM>

How to add Video + Installing JW Player

<http://www.youtube.com/watch?v=-li3HnfTmQc>

Using Attached Media Datasource

<http://www.youtube.com/watch?v=ScrwHhgS3yA>

Content Animator in Stage Gallery

<http://www.youtube.com/watch?v=M89tKeKGtWs>

Create Demo Footer Widgets

<http://www.youtube.com/watch?v=oxjiUyfJqj4>

Theme Customization

<http://www.youtube.com/watch?v=njDi2PMh688>

Theme Installation / Updating

Install via the Envato (ThemeForest) Plugin

ThemeForest have introduced a new method of updating / installing your Themes. **Download** the following plugin:

Download: <https://github.com/envato/envato-wordpress-toolkit/archive/master.zip>

This option is the preferred method as it allows you to create **backups** and **upgrade** to future versions.

1. You have the option to either ZIP the plugin (if it's not already) upload via the WordPress admin → **Plugins** → **Add New** or upload the ``envato-wordpress-toolkit`` folder to the ``/wp-content/plugins/`` directory
2. Activate the plugin through the **`Plugins`** menu in WordPress.
3. To establish an Envato Marketplace API connection navigate to the ``Envato Toolkit`` page and insert your Marketplace **username** and **secret API key**.
4. API key in the designated input fields. To obtain your **API Key**, visit your **"My Settings"** page on any of the Envato Marketplaces.
5. Once the API connection has been established you will see a list of themes that can be auto installed. If you don't see any themes and are certain you've done everything correct, there is a good chance the theme author has not updated their theme to be available for auto install and update. If that's the case, please contact the theme author and ask them to update their theme's information.

Note: If you have already installed the theme using an alternative method and wish to use the Envato toolkit plugin, you will need to remove current version of the Theme from the WordPress admin.

You may want to consider a **'maintenance'** plugin whilst you make the change over.

Installing via WordPress Admin

To install a theme correctly, you **MUST UNZIP** the file provided by ThemeForest.

1. Now ZIP (compress) **just** the **DynamiX** folder. (DO NOT include the DynamiX-Wordpress, PSD, Licensing or DynamiX-Demo-Data Folders).
2. The correct theme folder with have the style.css file within the root. i.e. **DynamiX/style.css**

3. The file is now ready to be uploaded via the WordPress admin.
4. Go to **Appearance** → **Themes** and click **Install Themes** tab
5. Click **Upload** and then **Browse** to find your theme
6. Click the **Install Now** button to upload it
7. Now you can activate the Theme.

Install via FTP

To install a theme correctly, you **MUST UNZIP** the file provided by ThemeForest.

1. Locate **DynamiX** folder - i.e. DynamiX-Wordpress/**DynamiX**
2. The correct theme folder will have the style.css file within the root. i.e. **DynamiX/style.css**
3. Open your **FTP client** and connect to your server.
4. Locate the themes directory e.g. **'/wp-content/themes/'**
5. Upload the DynamiX folder to this directory, once the folder has uploaded it should read **'/wp-content/themes/DynamiX'**
6. Log into the **WordPress** admin, go to **Appearance** → **Themes** and activate the Theme.

Updating the Theme

As previously mentioned, the **Envato Plugin** is the best method for **installing / updating** the Theme, it allows you to create **backups** and **upgrade** the theme, however if you wish to upgrade via FTP, you can do the following.

1. Download the latest version from ThemeForest - Goto Account & Downloads and re-download the Theme file.
2. Open your **FTP client** and connect to your server.
3. Locate the theme in the themes directory e.g. **'/wp-content/themes/DynamiX'**
4. Make a backup if needed by downloading the current version of the Theme to your computer.
5. Upload the new **DynamiX** folder to the exact same directory, overwriting the existing files.
6. Once completed the new version will already be active.

How to add a Gallery

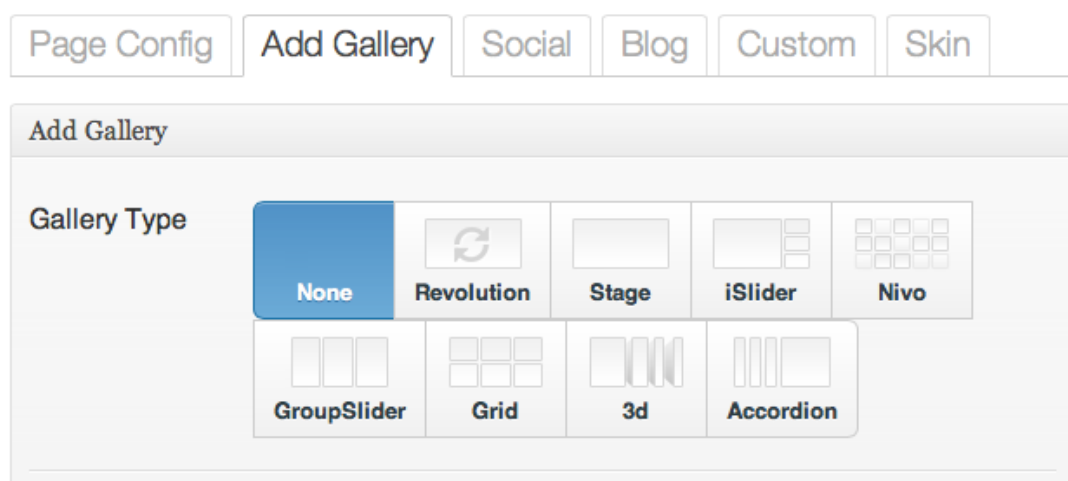
Adding a Gallery to your page

Slider Set Manager Screenshot



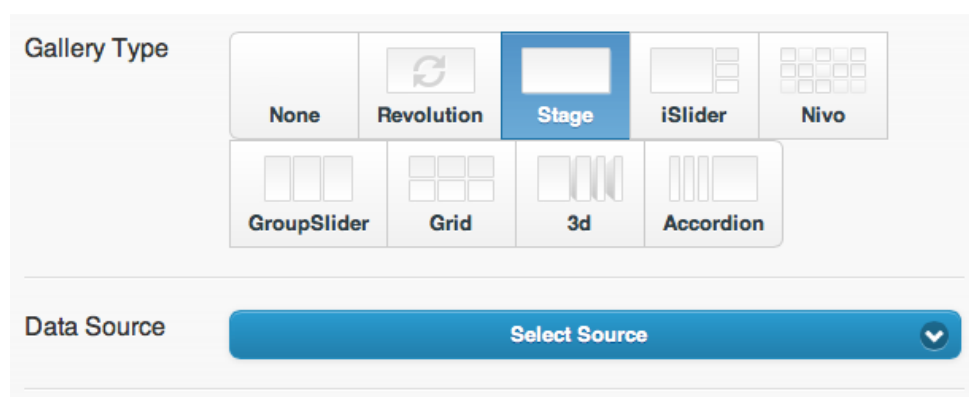
This Screenshot demonstrates adding a Gallery using the Slide Set Manager.

Select Gallery Type



Goto Pages → Add Gallery → Select the Gallery Type you wish to use.

Select Data Source



Goto → Select a Gallery → **Data Source** and select the source type of where your Gallery media is located (Slide Set Manager is the recommended Data Source).

See **Gallery Data Sources** chapter for more information on using Data Sources.

General Settings & Individual Gallery Options

The screenshot displays a settings panel for a gallery. It features several sections: 'Gallery Type' with icons for None, Revolution, Stage (selected), iSlider, Nivo, GroupSlider, Grid, 3d, and Accordion; 'Data Source' with a dropdown menu set to 'Slide Manager Sets'; 'Slide Manager Sets' with a checked checkbox for 'Slide Set One'; 'Image Effect' with a dropdown menu set to 'No Effect'; and 'Lightbox' with a toggle switch set to 'Off'.

Gallery Type	<div><div>None</div><div>Revolution</div><div>Stage</div><div>iSlider</div><div>Nivo</div><div>GroupSlider</div><div>Grid</div><div>3d</div><div>Accordion</div></div>
Data Source	<div>Slide Manager Sets</div>
Slide Manager Sets	<div><input checked="" type="checkbox"/> Slide Set One</div>
Image Effect	<div>No Effect</div>
Lightbox	<div><input type="checkbox"/> Off</div>

Clicking on each Gallery type will present the user with option relating to that Gallery.

Shortcodes / Page Builder

This lesson gives the user a guide to adding shortcodes (**elements**) to a Page / Post using the **Visual Composer**.

Enable Visual Composer

A blue rectangular button with rounded corners and a subtle gradient, containing the text "Visual Composer" in white.

Goto to **Page / Post** → Click **Visual Composer** → Add Element

Updating Visual Composer

To update Visual Composer you must first update the theme to the latest version to ensure you have the latest version of Visual Composer.

Go to Plugins > Deactivate VC > Delete it > Purple box will appearif , click install Visual Composer > You should now have the latest version.

If the purple box does not appear, go to Appearance > Install > Install Visual Composer.

Animation within a Stage Gallery

This feature is now deprecated.

Note! We recommend using Revolution Slider over the content animator due being responsive and having more advanced features.

Important! When using content animator within a stage gallery you must set the Post → Stage Gallery Options → Gallery Image Content to **Image (Text Overlay)**

Important! Ensure the ID's **DO NOT** contain special characters. Underscores _ are allowed e.g. id="hello_text".

Screenshot

Watch the [screenshot](#) for how to add the content animator shortcode to the Stage Gallery.

Example Code

```
[content_animator id="hellotext" effect="slide" margin_top="60" margin_left="0"
margin_right="0" align="center" float="no" direction="up" easing="easeInOutElastic"
delay="200" speed="1200"]
<h1>Hello!</h1>
[/content_animator]
```

```
[content_animator id="contentanitext" effect="slide" margin_top="0" margin_left="0"
margin_right="0" align="center" float="no" direction="left" easing="easeInOutElastic"
delay="400" speed="1600"]
<h2><span style="color: #808080;">... this is the content animator.</span></h2>
[/content_animator]
```

```
[content_animator id="html5image" effect="slide" margin_top="170" margin_left="370"
margin_right="0" align="left" float="yes" direction="left" easing="easeInOutBack" delay="600"
speed="1800"]
```

```

```

```
[/content_animator]
```

```
[content_animator id="css3image" effect="slide" margin_top="170" margin_left="0"
margin_right="370" align="right" float="yes" direction="right" easing="easeInOutBack"
delay="600" speed="1800"]
```

```

```

```
[/content_animator]
```



```
[content_animator id="cooltext" effect="fade" margin_top="150" margin_left="0"
margin_right="0" align="center" float="no" direction="left" easing="easeInQuad" delay="2000"
speed="1600"]
<h2><span style="color: #c0c0c0;">... cool right?</span></h2>
[/content_animator]
```

Phones & Tablets Code

Because of the varying sizes of devices - the content animator is disabled on Phone and Tablets with Galleries. However the following solution has been implmented to display a static image when using a Phone or Tablet device.

Insert this at the bottom of the Post/Gallery Media Post. Change the parameters to suit your needs.

```
[imageeffect type="none" align="aligncenter" alt="phone and table image"
url="YOUR-IMAGE-URL" link="#" width="980" class="show-on-phones show-on-tablets"]
```

Import Demo Data

Note! The demo data does not include all images from the demo, these images are copyright protected and require permission in some cases to use. The required images have been replaced with holding images.

Locate Demo Data

Unzip the file from ThemeForest - the demo data is located within the folder
DynamiX-Wordpress/Demo-XML/dynamix.wordpress.xml

Select Import

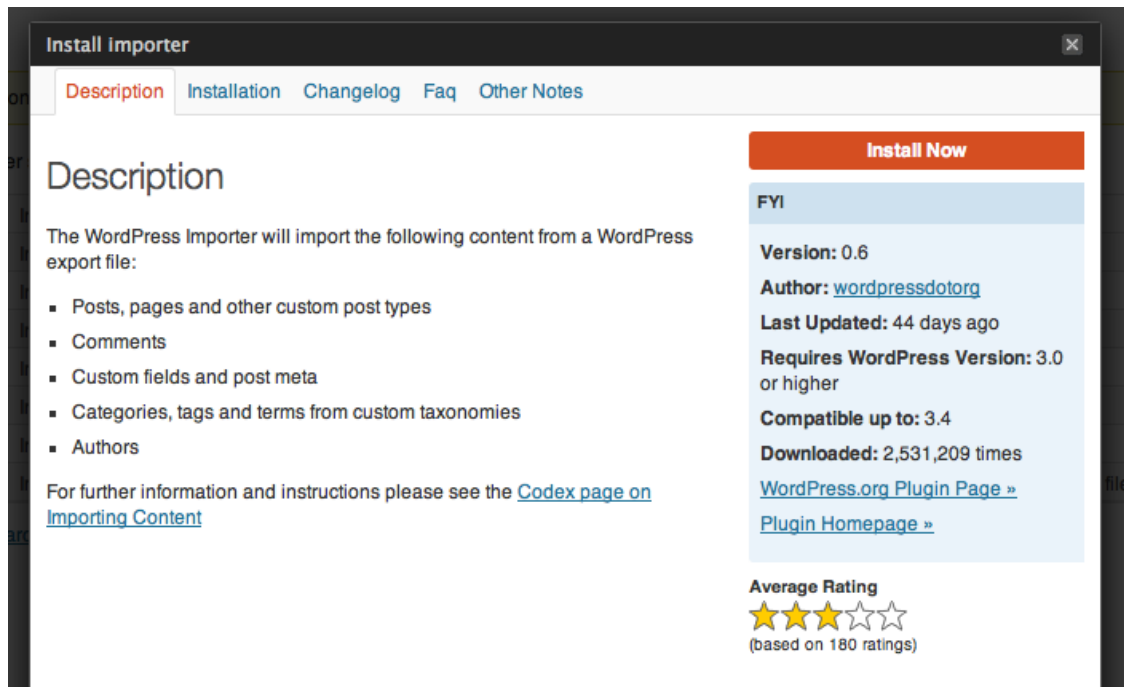
If you have posts or comments in another system, WordPress can import those into this site. To get started, click on the importer you want to install.

Blogger	Install the Blogger importer to import posts, comments, and categories from a Blogger blog.
Blogroll	Install the blogroll importer to import links in OPML format.
Categories and Tags Converter	Install the category/tag converter to convert existing categories and tags from another system.
LiveJournal	Install the LiveJournal importer to import posts from LiveJournal.
Movable Type and TypePad	Install the Movable Type importer to import posts and comments from Movable Type or TypePad.
RSS	Install the RSS importer to import posts from an RSS feed.
Tumblr	Install the Tumblr importer to import posts & media from Tumblr.
WordPress	Install the WordPress importer to import posts, pages, comments, and categories from a WordPress XML file.

If the importer you need is not listed, [search the plugin directory](#) to see if an importer is available.

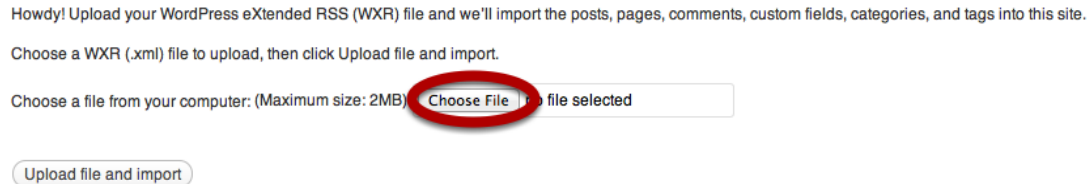
Log-in to your WordPress admin, ensure the Theme is activated. Goto **Tools → Import → Select WordPress**

Install Import Plugin (If required)



If required, download and active the WordPresss Importer plugin. Once activated you may need to repeat steps above.

Choose File



Locate and select the dynamix_demo.xml file -
Dynamix-Wordpress/Demo-XML/dynamix_demo.xml → click the **Upload File and Import** button

Assign Authors and Import Attachments

Assign Authors

To make it easier for you to edit and save the imported content, you may want to reassign

If a new user is created by WordPress, a new password will be randomly generated

1. Import author: **admin (admin)**

or create new user with login name:

or assign posts to an existing user:

admin

Import Attachments



Download and import file attachments

Submit

Assign admin user to an existing user. e.g. admin → select Download and Import file attachments.

Finish

That's it, all demo data has been imported.

1. Set the **home page** via WP → Settings → Reading → A static page → Front Page → set to home.
2. Set the **menu** via WP → **Appearance** → **Menus** → **Theme Locations** → set to Dynamix

Check out the rest of the pages / posts to see how the demo was put together.

Revolution Slider (Demo Home)

You can download the Slides and Settings from the link below.

Please read the readme.txt and follow the instructions for importing the data.

Download:

<http://themeva.com/docs/dynamix/wp-content/uploads/revolution-home-dynamix.zip>

Note: This **does not include the images** used on the demo, they are copyrighted images, to purchase them, see links below:

Phone / Computer images -

<http://graphicriver.net/item/device-mockup-pack/400650?ref=northvantage>

Set a Page as a Home Page

How to set a page as a home page.

Step One

Setting a home page is a WordPress Setting, login to your WordPress admin and navigate to **Settings -> Reading -> Front Page** Displays.

Step Two

Select **Static Page** then select the page you want to appear as the home page from the **Front Page** select menu.

Language Translation

Codestyling Localization

NOTE: You may have to disable Visual Composer for Codestyling Localization to work

This Theme is translation ready, included with the theme is the required files for the translating the theme into any language. It's recommended that you use the **codestyling localization** plugin to help translate the theme.

<http://wordpress.org/extend/plugins/codestyling-localization/>

See the plugin website for **information** on **how to use it**:

<http://www.code-styling.de/english/development/wordpress-plugin-codestyling-localization-en>

The .mo / .po files are located in the **theme/languages/** folder.

Translating The Theme

1. Locate the following folder on your server:
/wp-content/themes/THEMENAME/languages/themeva_default.po
2. Create a copy the .po file, rename it as your language e.g fr_FR.po
3. Ensure you have the **codestyling localization** plugin enabled
4. Goto the WP Admin → Tools → Localization → Themes → Locate Language → Rescan → Scan Now
5. Once the scan is complete, close the dialog box and click **Edit**, your translations should be present on the new version of the Theme.

Migrating Language Files

If you have translated a previous version of the Theme and you wish to migrate the **old translations** into the new version of the theme, follow the guide below:

1. Locate the following folder on your server: /wp-content/theme/**languages/**
2. Copy both .mo and .po files e.g. **de_DE.mo** , **de_DE.po**
3. Upload them to your server within the new theme version **language directory** e.g.
/wp-content/theme/**languages**
4. Ensure you have the **codestyling localization** plugin enabled
5. Goto the WP Admin → Tools → Localization → Themes → Locate Language → Rescan → Scan Now
6. Once the scan is complete, close the dialog box and click **Edit**, your translations should be present on the new version of the Theme.

DynamiX 3.x Overview

The following screencast gives an overview of the new features in 3.0 and some of the differences from DynamiX 2.x.x

DynamiX 3.x Overview Screencast



Upgrading from earlier versions of DynamiX

Please note the following points when upgrading from earlier versions.

1. View the above screencast to see where previous options / admin pages are located.
2. **General:** The DynamiX framework has been completely re-written, great effort was put into making the transition go as smooth as possible, however you may need to make a few tweaks across your site.
3. **Custom CSS:** Because this is a complete re-write, some **custom CSS** will need to be **re-done**, this is because switching to a responsive framework, elements needed to be changed and some removed.
4. **Custom Skins:** Any **custom skins** (apart from custom +) will need to be **re-done** using the Skin Customzier.
5. **Timthumb:** Timthumb has been removed, this means you may have to size some of your images in the admin options / galleries etc.

Convert DynamiX 2.x Shortcodes to 3.x

Learn how to convert existing pages with shortcodes into the visual composer.

Note! This screencast demonstrates with Tersus, however the it's the same process with DynamiX.

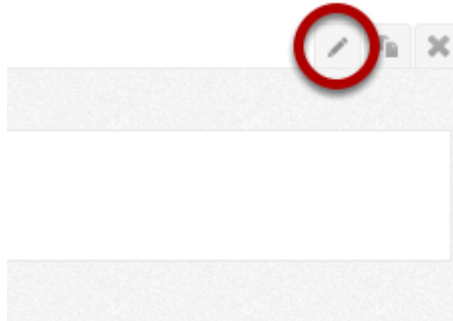
Convert Shortcodes into the Visual Composer

A blue rectangular button with rounded corners and a subtle gradient, containing the text "Visual Composer" in white.

Add a Parallax Image / Color Background

This lesson gives you a guide to adding a parallax image / color to a row background.

Edit the Row



Ensure the Visual Composer is enabled and edit the row you wish to add the parallax background to.

Parallax Background Image

A screenshot of the 'Edit Row' dialog box. The dialog has a title bar 'Edit Row' and a close button. It contains several sections: 1. 'Add Background' section with a dropdown menu set to 'Custom Background'. 2. 'Background Image' section with a red square image selected and a green plus icon for adding more. 3. 'Wide Row' section with a checked 'Enable' checkbox. 4. 'Parallax' section with a checked 'Enable' checkbox. 5. 'Background Color' section with a color picker. At the bottom are 'Save' and 'Cancel' buttons. Numbered callouts 1 through 4 point to the 'Add Background' dropdown, the 'Background Image' section, the 'Parallax' checkbox, and the 'Background Color' section respectively.

1. Set the **Add Background** select menu to **Custom Background**
2. Select a background image from your media library
3. Enable **Parallax** if you wish to apply the parallax effect.
4. Add a **background color** if required.
5. Set a height, if required.

Other features also include Font color, Padding and Bottom margin.

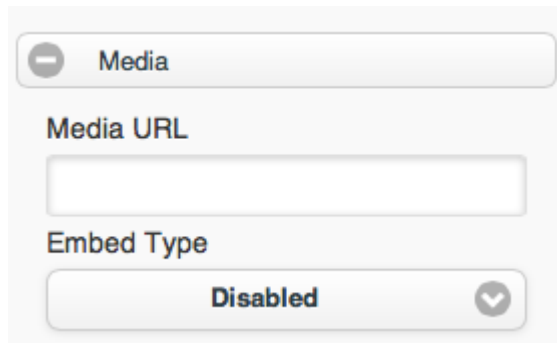
Background Color

If you wish to have a **custom background color**, please follow the steps for Parallax Background Image, without choosing an image or parallax effect.

If you wish to inherit the element background (set within the skin customizer), set the **Add Background** to **Inherit Element Background Color**

How to add Video

Screencast



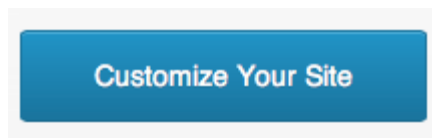
A screenshot of a 'Media' settings panel. At the top is a header bar with a minus icon and the word 'Media'. Below this, the label 'Media URL' is followed by an empty text input field. Underneath, the label 'Embed Type' is followed by a dropdown menu. The dropdown menu is currently open, showing the word 'Disabled' and a downward-pointing arrow icon.

The above screencast demonstrates how to add **YouTube**, **Vimeo**, **Wistia** and **JW Player** videos to galleries, pages and posts.

Theme / Skin Customizer

Create, Set, Edit Skins

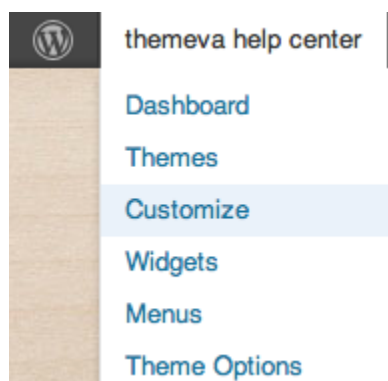
Skin Customizer Screencast



Warning! Due to the WordPress customizer having a compatibility issue with **Tabs** and **Accordion**, do not try to customize a page with either of these present.

To **customize** or **create a new skin**, goto **Appearance** → **Themes** → **Customize** → **Select Skin** → Edit the Skin you want or create a new one.

How to customize a specific page:



Login to WordPress, visit the page you wish to **customize** on the front end (not within the admin) → hover over the **Site Name** in admin menu (top left) → click **customize**.

Note! This option replaces the Skin Settings admin page in earlier versions of DynamiX.

Edit / Create Skin Preset

Select the **Skin to Edit** option to edit an existing Skin. Once selected the Skin automatically loads into the settings.

To create a new Skin, select the **New** button. You must enter a **unique ID** into the **New Skin ID** field.

Set Default Skin

This option allows you to set a default skin pre-set for the entire site. This option can be overridden within Post / Pages → Page / Post Skin Tab.

Duplicate Skin

To duplicate a skin, select the skin you wish to duplicate from the **Select Skin to Edit** select menu, once loaded click the **Duplicate** button → Enter a **unique ID** into the **New Skin ID** → click the **Save** button.

Header

To edit the Header settings, goto **WordPress** → **Dashboard** → **Appearance** → **Themes** → **Customize** → **Header**

Minimum Header Height

Increase the header height by using this option, it sets a minimum height and not a static height, this way if the content exceeds the height it will automatically adjust itself.

Branding Display

Choose to hide the Branding / Logo, this is a global setting and affects the entire site.

Branding / Logo Alignment

Select the alignment of the branding - choose between **Left**, **Right**, **Center**.

Branding / Logo Top Margin

This option allows you to set a top margin value for the branding / logo, increase the value to push the logo down.

Menu Alignment

Select the menu alignment - choose between **Left**, **Right**, **Center**.

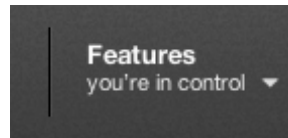
Menu Top Margin

This option allows you to set a top margin value for the menu, increase the value to push the menu down.

Branding Version

This option can be changed on each Skin and allows you to choose between a Primary and Secondary Branding / Logo (ideal if you have a light and dark skin which require different logos).

Divider Line Shade

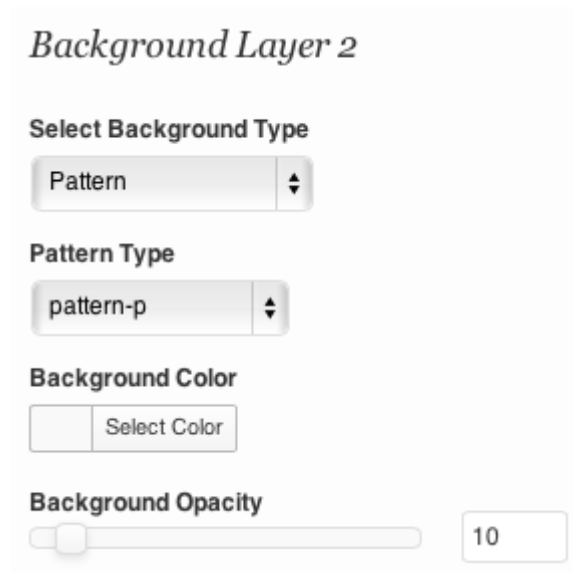


This option sets the **shade of the divider line** within the header area. Depending on the background color, set the shade that suits best.

Background Layer

This area lets you control the **header background** (layer **one**), choose from the following options:

1. **Color:** Set a solid color / gradient
2. **Image (Positioned):** Set a positioned image, control the positioning and set a background color.
3. **Pattern:** Set a pattern and background color



Background Layer 2

Select Background Type

Pattern

Pattern Type

pattern-p

Background Color

Select Color

Background Opacity

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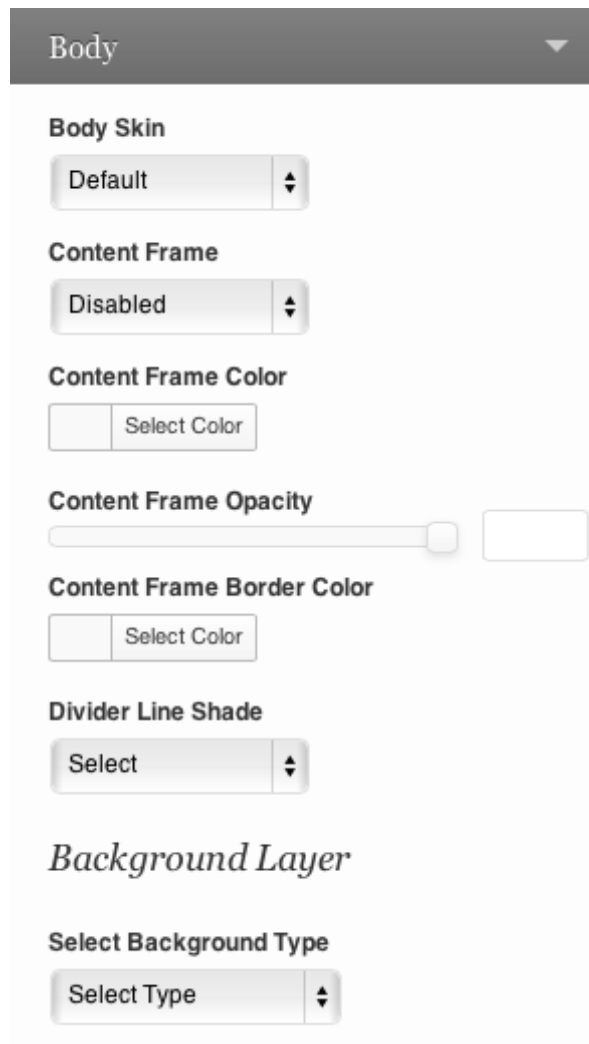
This area lets you control the **header background** (layer **two** - this layer sits on top of layer **one**), choose from the following options:

1. **Color:** Set a solid color / gradient
2. **Image (Positioned):** Set a positioned image, control the positioning and set a background color.
3. **Pattern:** Set a pattern and background color

Body

Edit the main area (body) via **Appearance** → **Themes** → **Customize** → Edit the Skin you wish to customize via **Skin Select** → Switch to **Body** section

Body Skin Settings



The screenshot shows the 'Body' settings panel. At the top is a dark grey header with the word 'Body' and a downward arrow. Below this, the settings are organized into sections. The 'Body Skin' section has a dropdown menu set to 'Default'. The 'Content Frame' section has a dropdown menu set to 'Disabled'. The 'Content Frame Color' section has a color selection box with the text 'Select Color'. The 'Content Frame Opacity' section has a horizontal slider and a corresponding input box. The 'Content Frame Border Color' section has a color selection box with the text 'Select Color'. The 'Divider Line Shade' section has a dropdown menu set to 'Select'. Below these is a section titled 'Background Layer' in italics. The 'Select Background Type' section has a dropdown menu set to 'Select Type'.

Body Skin (inner skin)

This option enables you to switch between **light** or **dark** body skin (inner skin).

Content Frame

This options globally controls the content frame (wraps the main content with a border and background color). To **disable the content frame** globally, set this option to disabled.

Content Frame Color

Set the **color** of the content frame using the color picker.

Content Frame Opacity

Set the **opacity** of the content frame using the slider bar. If your content frame appears transparent within the preview, ensure you drag this bar until a value appears in the adjacent box.

Divider Line Shade



This option sets the shade of the divider line within the main (body) area. Depending on the background color, set the shade that suits best.

Content Frame Border

Set the **border color** of the content frame using the color picker.

Background Layer

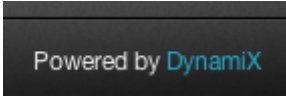
Choose from the following options:

1. **Color:** Set a solid color / gradient
2. **Image (Full Screen):** Set a full screen image
3. **Image (Positioned):** Set a positioned image, control the positioning and set a background color.
4. **Pattern:** Set a pattern and background color
5. **Video / Flash:** Set a video / flash file
6. **Image / Video Cycle:** Set a cycle of media (animated background) by selecting a datasource and entering the ID / name of the source you wish to use.

Footer

To edit the Header settings, goto **WordPress** → **Dashboard** → **Appearance** → **Themes** → **Customize** → **Footer**

Divider Line Shade

A dark gray rectangular box with a thin horizontal line across the middle. Below the line, the text "Powered by DynamiX" is displayed in a light blue font.

This option sets the **shade of the divider line** within the footer area. Depending on the background color, set the shade that suits best.

Forms Background and Border Colors

Forms Background Color



Forms Border Color (top + left)

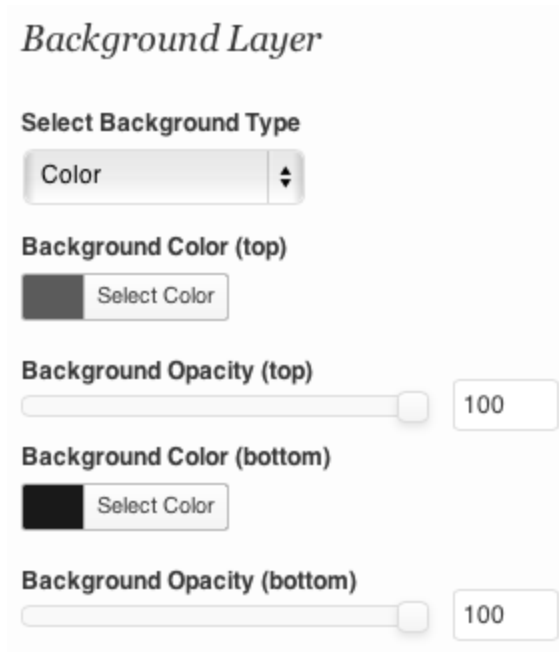


Forms Border Color (bottom + right)



Set the background and border colors for **HTML Forms** within the footer area. Use the color picker for each section to choose the color that suits your footer background.

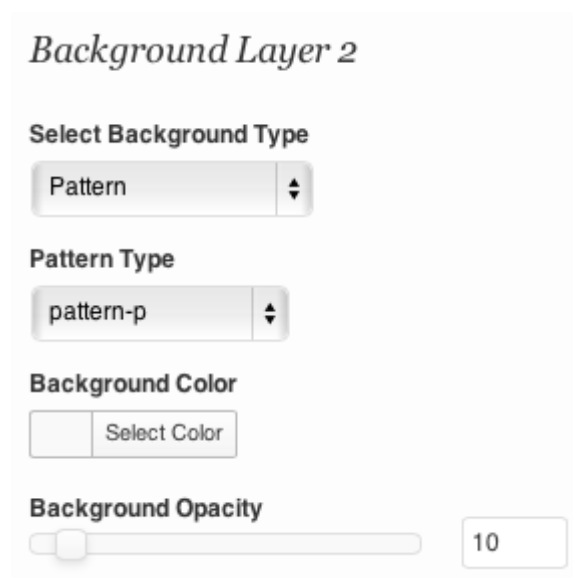
Background Layer



This area lets you control the **footer background** (layer **one**), choose from the following options:

1. **Color:** Set a solid color / gradient
2. **Image (Positioned):** Set a positioned image, control the positioning and set a background color.
3. **Pattern:** Set a pattern and background color

Background Layer 2



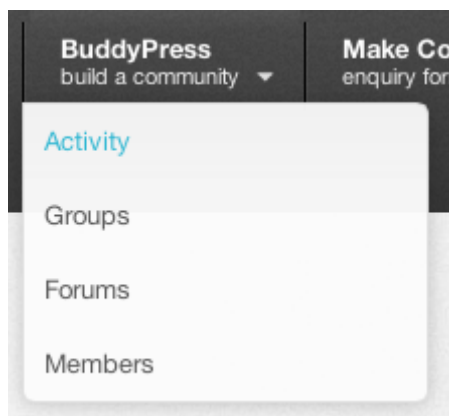
This area lets you control the **footer background** (layer **two** - this layer sits on top of layer **one**), choose from the following options:

1. **Color:** Set a solid color / gradient
2. **Image (Positioned):** Set a positioned image, control the positioning and set a background color.
3. **Pattern:** Set a pattern and background color

Sub-Menu

To edit the Header settings, goto **WordPress** → **Dashboard** → **Appearance** → **Themes** → **Customize** → **Navigation**

Sub-Menu Background and Border Color



Set the background and border colors for **Sub-Menu** (Drop Menu) within the main navigation area. Use the color picker for each section to choose the color that suits best.

Left Align Sub-Menu

Menu Name

Menu Structure

Drag each item into the order you prefer. Click the arrow on the right of the item to re

Home Custom ▼

Full Screen sub item Page ▼

Navigation Label

Full Screen

Title Attribute

CSS Classes (optional)

submenu-left

Move

[Up one](#)

[Down one](#)

[Out from under Home](#)

Original:

[Home](#)

[Remove](#)

[Cancel](#)

If you would like the Secondary Menu of the Sub-Menu to open out to the left instead of the right, you can add the class **submenu-left** to the end drop menu.

To enable CSS classes, go to Appearance > Menu > Screen Options (top right) > Tick CSS Classes.

Add **submenu-left** to Appearance > Menus > Menu Item > CSS Classes.

Font Settings

It's recommend to load existing skin pre-sets to see examples of use.

Font Sizes

Control the General, Heading and Menu font size.

Font Family

Control the Font Family for General, Headings, Menu.

The default Font type is set to **Google**, this option can be switched to **Cufon** within Theme Options → General Settings.

Font Colors

General, Header, Footer

Control the general, link, link: hover and heading font colors for the General, Header and Footer areas. Click into the box and a color picker will be displayed for you to choose the color you require.

General Settings

Responsive Design

If you wish to display the full desktop version of your website on all devices, go to Theme Options → General Settings → Disable Responsive Design

Pages Layout

Pages Layout

Select the default page layout for new pages.

Breadcrumbs

Globally Enable / Disable Breadcrumbs. If you leave this enabled you can disable on individual pages.

Page Comments

Enable commenting on Pages.

Show Author Bio

Enable Author Bio information on Posts only, Posts & Pages or disable globally.

Google + Cufon Font Settings

Font Type

Visit **Appearance** → **Theme Options** → **General** → **Typography** and choose between **Cufon**, **Google** or **Normal** Fonts. By default Google fonts are used, the selected font type will display a pre-selected list of fonts within the **Customizer** → **Font Settings**.

Custom Cufon Font

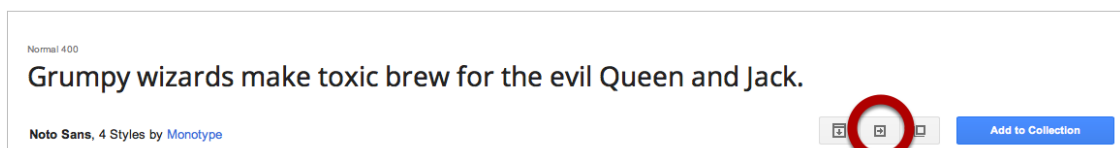
Add a custom Cufon font by downloading a Cufon javascript file from example cufonfonts.com - the file can be uploaded via the **Media Library** - copy and paste the URL into the **Appearance** → **Theme Options** → **General** → **Custom Cufón Font** field.

The new font will appear within the **Appearance** → **Themes** → **Customize** → **Font Settings** → **Headings Font Family** list.

Custom Google Fonts

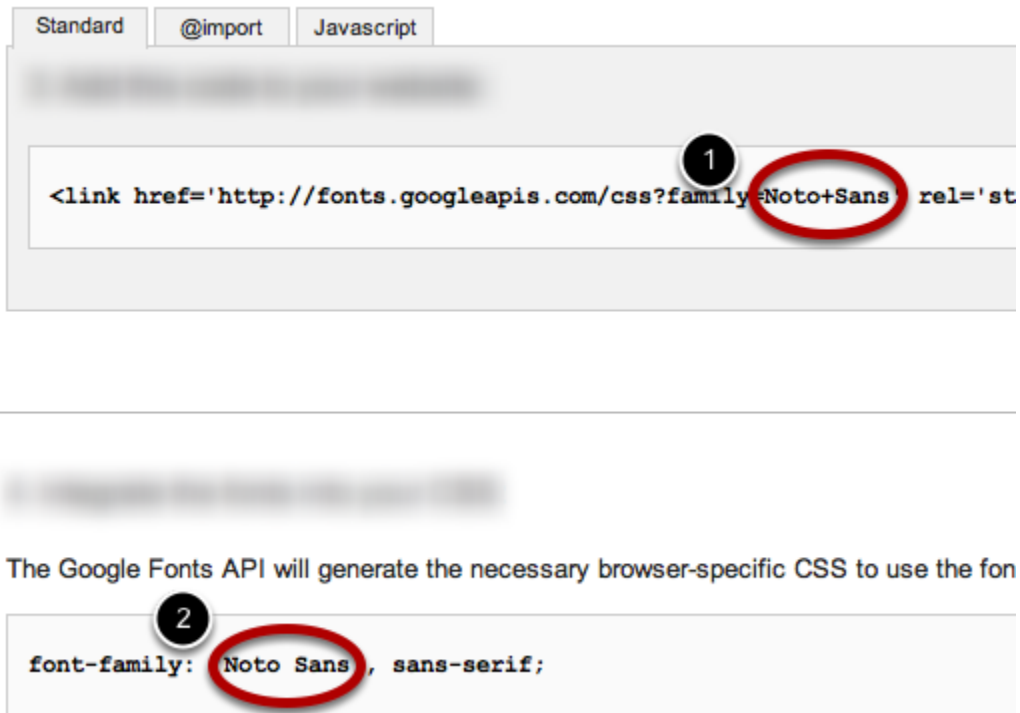
Add upto two custom Google Fonts. Once the fields have been completed the new fonts will appear within the **Appearance** → **Themes** → **Customize** → **Font Settings** → **Headings Font Family**. See the steps below for how to add extra fonts.

Add Google Font Step 1



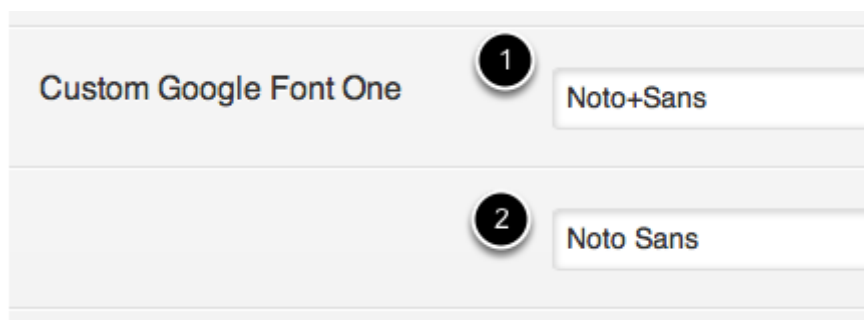
Goto <http://www.google.com/fonts/> → Choose the font you want to use → Click the "**Quick-use**" button (see above).

Add Google Font Step 2



1. Copy the **URL Name** e.g. **Noto+Sans**
2. Copy the **CSS name** e.g. **Noto Sans**

Add Google Font Step 3



Goto your WordPress admin → **Appearance** → **Theme Options** → **General Tab** → **Google Fonts**

1. Paste the **URL Name** e.g. **Noto+Sans** into the URL Name field
2. Paste the **CSS Name** e.g. **Noto Sans** into the CSS Name field

Sidebars

Sidebars

This option allows you to select how many sidebars you wish to create. Default is Two. See Wordpress Admin → Appearance → Widgets once you have entered the amount of sidebars you require.

JW Player Configuration

WordPress JW Player Plugin

To use JW Player with the theme, install the JW Player WordPress plugin.

1. Goto **WordPress admin** → **Plugins** → **Add New**
2. Search for JW Player
3. Click 'Install Now' on '**JW Player for WordPress – Flash & HTML5 Video Player**'
4. Now upload and your video URL's to either:
5. **Slide Sets Manager** → **Media** → **Media URL** or
6. **Posts** → **Gallery / Media** tab → **Media URL** and choose the JW Player **Embed Media** option

Tersus 1.x > 2.0 / DynamiX 2.x

Warning! Tersus 1.x to 2.0 is not compatible with JW Player 6.x, **use the following download** to allow these versions to work with JW Player.

To play most Video / Audio formats with this Theme it's recommended to use the JW Player embed option.

JW Player can be embedded into the Grid, Stage, iSlider, Accordion, Group Slider Galleries and the Video Shortcode.

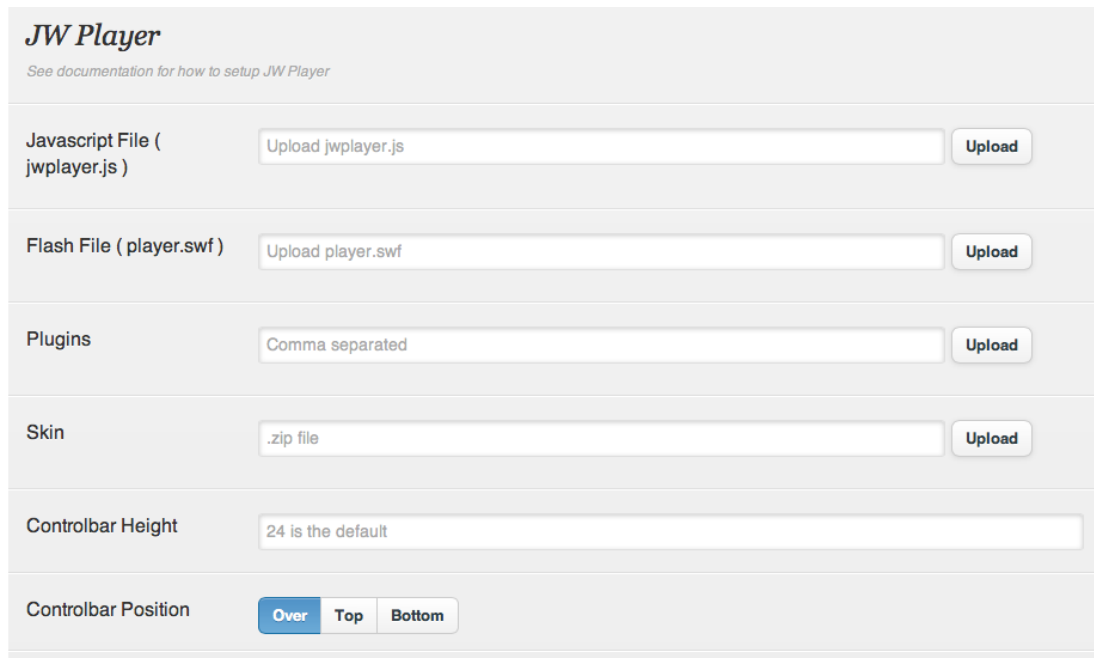
Download: <http://help.northvantage.co.uk/tmp/mediaplayer-5.10.zip>

Within the downloaded zip you will find the following required files:

jwplayer.js and **player.swf**

This [screencast](#) covers how to setup JW Player with the Theme and how to insert a video into the Stage Gallery.

Upload jwplayer.js and player.swf files



The screenshot shows the JW Player configuration interface. At the top, it says "JW Player" and "See documentation for how to setup JW Player". Below this are several fields for configuration:

- Javascript File (jwplayer.js)**: A text input field containing "Upload jwplayer.js" and an "Upload" button.
- Flash File (player.swf)**: A text input field containing "Upload player.swf" and an "Upload" button.
- Plugins**: A text input field containing "Comma separated" and an "Upload" button.
- Skin**: A text input field containing ".zip file" and an "Upload" button.
- Controlbar Height**: A text input field containing "24 is the default".
- Controlbar Position**: Three radio buttons labeled "Over", "Top", and "Bottom". The "Over" button is selected.

1. Login to WordPress → Goto **Appearance** → **Theme Options** → **General** → Scroll to **JW Player Configuration**.
2. Click the **Media Library** Button → Locate the downloaded JW Player files on your computer and Upload **jwplayer.js** and **player.swf** only → Once uploaded **COPY** the URL of both files into the relevant Fields. e.g.

JW Player **Javascript** URL would contain something like: `PATH-TO-YOUR-FILE/jwplayer.js`

JW Player **Flash** URL would contain something like: `PATH-TO-YOUR-FILE/player.swf`

JW Player Video Lightbox

Note: Currently this is not possible with JW Player 6.0.

To play JW Player within lightboxes specify the path of your JW Player flash file (See above for uploading the flash file)

e.g. `/wp-content/uploads/2011/03/player.swf`

Then add the video path using the file variable.

e.g. `?ffile=/wp-content/uploads/2011/03/InsideJob-Sample.mp4`

So the full path looks similar to the following. (note! this is just an example - you'll need to

modify to represent the paths to your own files).

/wp-content/uploads/2011/03/player.swf?file=/wp-content/uploads/2011/03/InsideJob-Sample.mp

Check the autoplay check option within Posts / Gallery Media Posts -> Embed Media / Timeout Options.

Flickr API

Add your Flickr details to enable the option to add Flickr Sets to your Galleries as a datasource. Once the details have been completed and saved the Gallery Data Source will display a Flickr option and display your Flickr Sets to choose from.

Flick User ID

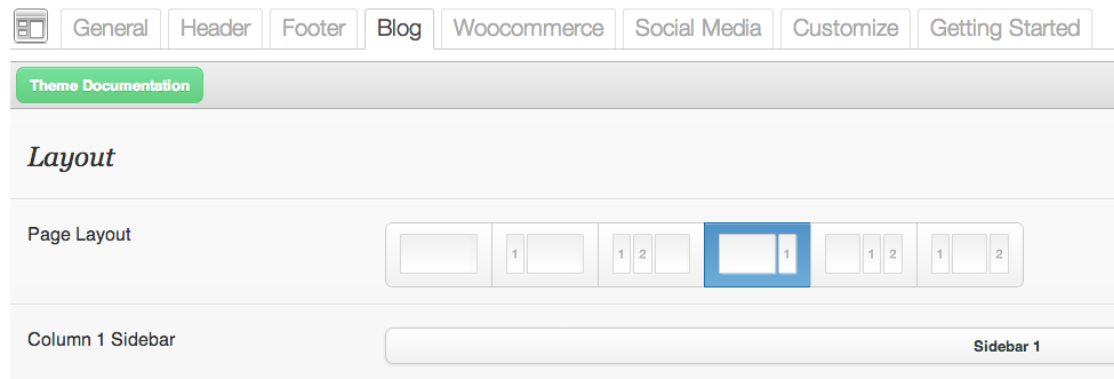
You're required to enter your Flickr User ID e.g. XXXXXXXX@NO2. Use this [tool](#) to find your User ID

Blog Settings

Blog Pages Config

These settings are within **Appearance** → **Theme Options** → **Blog**

Page Layout



Select the default layout for Blog pages. This includes Index and Archive pages.

Column Sidebars

Select a sidebar which is relative to the column. Add more sidebars via the **Theme Options** → **General** tab

Layout Format

Choose between **Normal** and **Grid** format for displaying your Posts.

Grid Columns

If the Layout format is set to Grid, choose the number of columns you wish to display the Posts in.

Post Content

By default this is set to Excerpt Only, to display an Excerpt + Image, set the option here, this setting can be overridden via **Posts** → **Additional** → **Image in Post / Archive**

Display Post Metadata

If you wish to **hide categories**, **dates** and other **metadata**, select the option here.

Post Metadata Align

Choose between displaying the metadata to the **left of the post** or **below the title**.

Blog Page / Single Post Images

These settings are within Theme Options → Blog Settings

Image Align

Select the alignment of the blog image, choose from left, right and center (default).

Image Lightbox

If set to **Off** the Post will link the Image to the set link – Set to **On** the image will display within a lightbox when clicked.

Image Effect

Select the effect you want to apply to the image.

Image Width (Recommended)

Enter a width value for all the images to be set by. This will automatically determine the height of the image if the height field is left blank.

Image Height (Optional)

Enter a height value along with the Width value to crop an image.

NOTE

The settings above do NOT affect Full Post Content Type.

Header Settings

Drop Panel / Search

Drop Panel

Enable or Disable the Drop Panel option. By default the Drop Panel is enabled.

Drop Panel Columns

Select upto 4 columns for the Drop Panel area. Drag and drop widgets into the columns within
WP → Appearance → Widgets → Drop Panel Columns

Search

Enable or Disable the search section, by default this option is Enabled.

Tracking Code / Google Analytics

Tracking / Head Scripts

Place your google **analytics code** or any other code that requires to be placed within the **<head>** and before the closing **</head>** tag into the following location:

Appearance → Theme Options → Header → Tracking Code

Header Infobar Message

If content is added to the Infobar it will automatically appear at the top of all pages. The Infobar can also be enabled for individual pages, see page options.

Content

The content can contain HTML and Shortcodes.

Branding Image

Branding Image

If you wish to upload your logo, please enter the URL of your image via **Appearance** → **Theme Options** → **Header** → **Branding Image URL**.

Alternatively if you haven't uploaded one already select the Upload button and upload your logo to the media library then copy the URL of the image in the box.

If this is left empty the theme will automatically display the Blog Title and Tagline – set in **Settings** → **General**.

Branding Image (Primary) URL

The Primary branding option is your default Branding image. To apply the branding version to a Skin, It can be selected via **Appearance** → **Themes** → **Customize** → **Header** → **Branding Version**.

Branding Image (Secondary) URL

The secondary option is useful if for example, a dark skin setting is present and the primary branding option is not suitable.

Custom HTML / Shortcode

Custom HTML / Shortcode

Enter custom HTML code into the text box and it will appear within the header section of the site.

Wordpress Custom Menu / Extended Menu

Wordpress Custom Menu / Extended Menu

This option is enabled by default and requires WP 3.0 or greater. To configure, goto WP Admin → Appearance → Menus → Create your menu and select your Custom Menu in the top left hand corner (Theme Locations).

Drop Panel Menu Item

To initiate the Drop Panel using WP Custom Menu, got to WP Admin → Appearance → Menus and click "Screen Options" (Top Right) and switch on "CSS Classes". Now create a new Custom Link with the URL left as `http://` and give the link a name e.g. Contact Us.

Once the link is added to the menu, you need to remove the URL and paste `droppaneltrigger` into the CSS Classes field. Now your menu item will act as a drop panel trigger.

Main Menu Description

To add a menu description simply add text to the "Title Attribute".

Extended Menu

The Extended Menu allows the user to have more than one column within the drop down menus.

To enable this feature, make sure the user has 'Wordpress Custom Menus' enabled. If unsure, navigate to 'Header Settings' and find 'Wordpress Custom Menus' and enable it.

After this, navigate to Apperance → Menus.

Click on 'Screen Options' at the top right of the page and check the box for 'CSS Classes'. Close 'Screen Options'

To enable Extended Menus, click on a top menu and add in the correct text, as stated below. CSS Classes can only be added to the top menus.

By default there is 1 column. By adding in the text 'extended-menu' this enables a second column. Add 'three-columns' after this to have a total of 3 columns. E.g extended-menu three-columns. The column width is 200px.

If you want to change the alignment of the menu add a space followed by center or right to align the menu how you require it.

Enabling Descriptions

To enable descriptions, go to 'Screen Options' within 'Menus' and check the Descriptions check box. Go back into General Settings → WordPress Custom Menu → Enable WP Custom Menu Descriptions and check Enable. This will allow descriptions to be shown. Save and continue.

By default, WordPress automatically assigns a description. To remove this, navigate back to Appearance → Menus and expand the desired child menu. Delete the existing description and add your own in. This could be an image gallery shortcode for example. Once descriptions are enabled, each child menu will have a description. The user will have to go through and delete the unwanted descriptions. Not all shortcodes are designed to be placed within the Extended Menus.

Sticky Menu / Navigation

To enable or disable the **sticky menu / fixed header** navigate to the following location.

Appearance → Theme Options → Header → Extras → Sticky Menu

Adding a Favicon

Adding a Favicon

A favicon is the small icon that appears to the left of the address within the address bar.

To add a favicon simply enter the URL of your image. It can be in either .ico or .png format.

Footer Settings

Footer Options

Display Footer

Globally Enable / Disable the Footer area. The footer can also be disabled on individual pages, see Page Options for more information.

Select Number of Columns

By default the Footer is split into 4 columns - this can be adjusted by changing this option.

Lower Footer Options

The Lower Footer can be disabled if required.

This area can contain text and HTML in both left and right sections. This is also an ideal place to enter your Google Analytics Code.

Note. To remove the **powered by Theme** text from the lower right, insert your own text into Lower Footer Right or add a blank HTML element like the following to make it blank.

<p> </p>

Social Media Options

Enable Social Icons Globally

Goto Appearance → Theme Options → Social Media

Enable Social Icons

Social Icons can be enabled Globally via this tab, set the Icon(s), Color and Share Icon. These settings can be overridden on a Page by Page basis.

Social Media Button Links

Goto Appearance → Theme Options → Social

Social Media Button Links

If you want to use the social media buttons, you must add your own URL into the boxes and then enable them within pages.

Leave the fields blank to restore default URL's.

Main RSS Feed

Main RSS Feed

Enter your own RSS feed URL into the box and it will appear on every page.

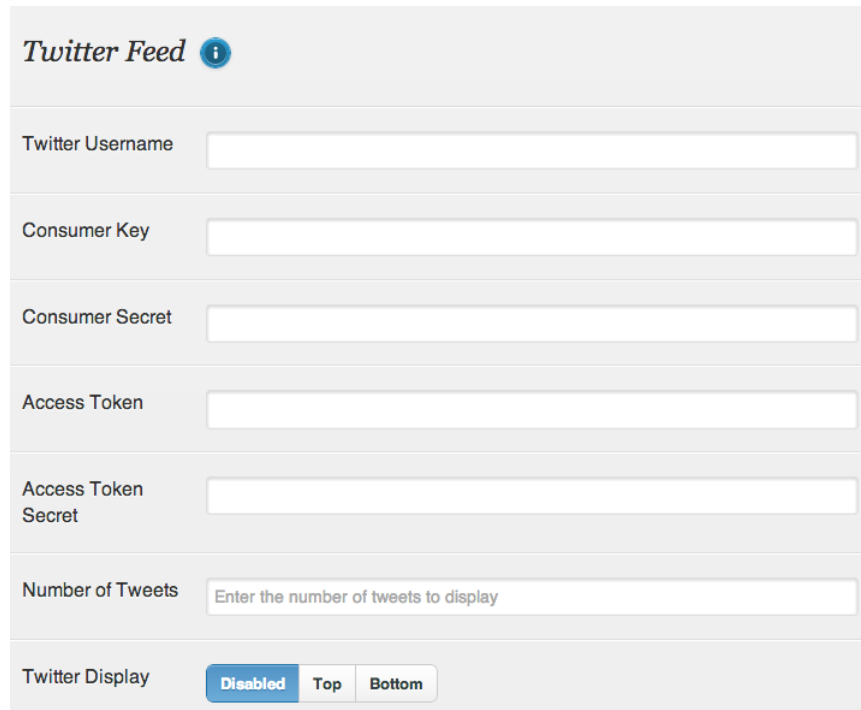
This RSS feed is for the whole website. If you want to have an RSS feed for a specific page, you would need to enter your RSS feed URL into the social media button links, as mentioned above, and then enable it within pages.

To add a title to your RSS feed, simply type in your desired title into the 'Main RSS Title' box.

Twitter Feed Setup

Configure your Twitter account details via **Appearance** → **Theme Options** → **Social Media** → **Twitter Feed**.

Twitter



The screenshot shows the 'Twitter Feed' section of the WordPress theme options. It features a title 'Twitter Feed' with an information icon. Below the title are several input fields: 'Twitter Username', 'Consumer Key', 'Consumer Secret', 'Access Token', and 'Access Token Secret'. There is also a 'Number of Tweets' field with a placeholder text 'Enter the number of tweets to display'. At the bottom, there is a 'Twitter Display' section with three buttons: 'Disabled' (highlighted in blue), 'Top', and 'Bottom'.

Enter your Twitter account details within this area, after inserting your **Twitter Username**.

If you're **experiencing issues** displaying your Tweets, you will need to setup a **Twitter App** by following the instructions below.

1. First go to <https://dev.twitter.com/apps> and sign in with your Twitter login details.
2. Click the **Create A New Application** button.
3. Fill out the required fields. The name and description fields can be anything. You can leave the Callback URL field empty too.
4. Once created, click **Create My Access Token** button to generate the necessary codes.
5. Click the **OAuth** tab and you will see the 4 items required; **consumer key**, **consumer secret**, **access token**, **access token secret**.
6. Copy and paste the required items into the corresponding Twitter fields within **Appearance** → **Theme Options** → **Social Media** → **Twitter Feed**. (See diagram above).
7. Click Save Options.
8. The Twitter Feed can be enabled site wide use **Twitter Display** or per page, under **Pages** → **Social** → **Twitter Feed**

Note: There is a 10 minute cache on Twitters end, so it may take 10 minutes for your new

Twitter feed to show on your site. If nothing happens after 10 minutes, please clear your browser cache before you post for support.

Page + Post Options

Additional (Post Only)

Additional

Alternative Link

This allows you to link the post to an alternative URL (Within your website or external). e.g. The image advertises a Service – link the image to a Services page.

Disable Link

Disable the Post linking.

Disable Read More

This option removes the "Read More" text but still allows the post image/title to link.

Image in Post & Archive

If you wish to display your Image File as part of the post in the Archive and Single Post pages then select this option. If this option is enabled it will display the image within the post and enable the Lightbox effect. If you have a Video file also associated with the post it will use the Image as a thumbnail and then open the video within the Lightbox.

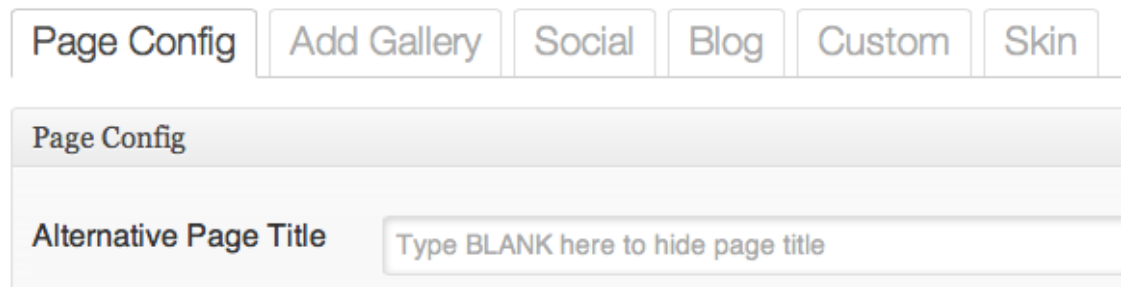
CSS Classes

Add custom CSS Classes to your galleries. e.g. add **target_blank** to open the link URL in a new window.

Page / Post Config

To configure the Page / Post layout, goto the Page / Post → Page Config tab.

Alternative Page Title



The screenshot shows the 'Page Config' tab selected among other options like 'Add Gallery', 'Social', 'Blog', 'Custom', and 'Skin'. Below the tab, the 'Alternative Page Title' field is visible with a placeholder text: 'Type BLANK here to hide page title'.

As the diagram above suggests, enter an alternative Title or enter the text **BLANK** to override / disable the page title completely.

Sub Title

Enter a page Sub Title if required, this will appear directly underneath the main Page Title.

Page Layout

You can the global page layout via Appearance → Theme Options → General → Page Layout, you can also set the layout on a Page by Page basis using this option.

Column Sidebars

Depending on the page layout you select, choose a Sidebar that corresponds to the column. You can add sidebars via Appearance → Theme Options → General

Display / Disable Header

This option allows you to disable the header on that particular page.

Branding / Menu Alignment

Control the alignment of the Branding and Menu for this page only.

Disable Breadcrumbs

Disable the breadcrumbs from displaying on this page only.

Disable Main Content

This option allows you to hide the page content, this is ideal if you wish to just display a Gallery on the page without any other text/content.

Disable Main Frame Background

Use this to disable the main frame which surrounds the page content. Ideal if you wish to format the page differently – You can use the Visual Composer → Styled Boxes → General to add the same border type around selected content.

Disable Footer

Select this option to disable the Footer on this page only.

Breadcrumbs

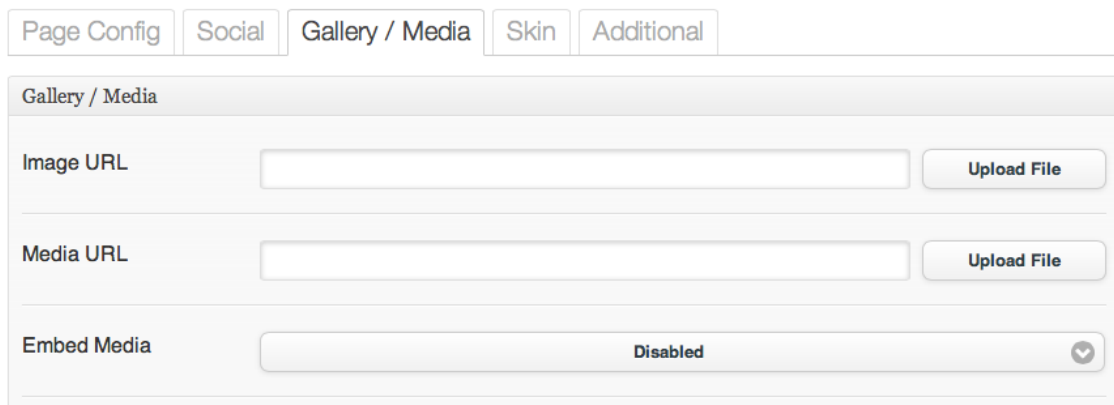
Breadcrumbs can be globally enabled via Appearance → Theme Options → General and disable on a page by page basis using the disable breadcrumbs option

Publish Author Name / Date

Selecting these options will display the Publish Date and Author Name on the page.

Text Resizer

Enable the text resizer on an individual page by switching this option to on.



Page Config Social **Gallery / Media** Skin Additional

Gallery / Media

Image URL Upload File

Media URL Upload File

Embed Media ▼

Note! If you wish to use a particular Post within a Gallery, you can set the various options via this Tab. To use the Post within a Gallery, save the Post into a specific Category and select that Category within Pages → Add Gallery → Data Source → Post Categories.

Image URL

This option only applies if you do not wish to use the **Featured Image** (Post Thumbnail), this option overrides the Featured Image.

Click the **Upload File** button to insert the image URL.

If you do not enter an image into this field and there is no Featured Image set, the Galleries will automatically detect the first image in the post and use that.

Media URL

As with the Image File, click the **Upload File** button to insert the image URL. This can be a local Video / Audio URL, YouTube, Vimeo or other kind.

Embed Media

To display a video on a page or gallery slide, set this option, if lightbox is selected on the Gallery and you wish for the video to play within the lightbox, ensure this option is set to **Disabled**.

Video Ratio

Set the video ratio that best suits your media.

Autoplay Media

Enabling this option will auto play the video within the gallery slide.

Stage Gallery

Slide Timeout

This option overrides the default timeout setting for this slide only. For example if the default time for all slides is 10 seconds and you enter 30 seconds in this option, this slide only will display for 30 seconds.

Gallery Image Content

This option allows you to set how the content is shown in the Stage gallery.

- **Image** - Displays the image only
- **Image / Text Overlay (Left)** - Overlays the post content / description over the image with shaded background
- **Image / Text Overlay (Right)** - Overlays the post content / description over the image with shaded background
- **Image / Title Overlay (Hover)** - Overlays the title over the image with shaded background when hovered over
- **Image / Text Overlay (Hover)** - Overlays the post content / description over the image with shaded background when hovered over
- **Image / Text Overlay** - Overlays the post content / description over the image (to be used with the content animator)

Post Title Overlay

If you wish to overlay the gallery image with the Post Title / Post Sub Title text, select an option from this list. There are various options to suit the image the text is overlaying, including light or dark text.

3d Gallery

Pieces

Number of pieces to which the image is sliced.

Time

Time for one cube to turn.

Transition

Choose from various Tweener effects.

Delay

Delay between the start of one cube to the start of the next cube.

DepthOffset

The offset during transition on the z-axis. Value between 100 and 1000 are recommended. But go for experiments.

CubeDistance

The distance between the cubes during transition. Values between 5 and 50 are recommended. But go for experiments.

Social Options

Social Options

Social Options allows you to add various Social Networking links to your Page or Post. It also allows you to add a **Twitter Feed** to the page – this will cycle through your latest tweets. See Theme Options → Social Media Options → Twitter to configure.

Twitter can be placed either above or beneath the content.

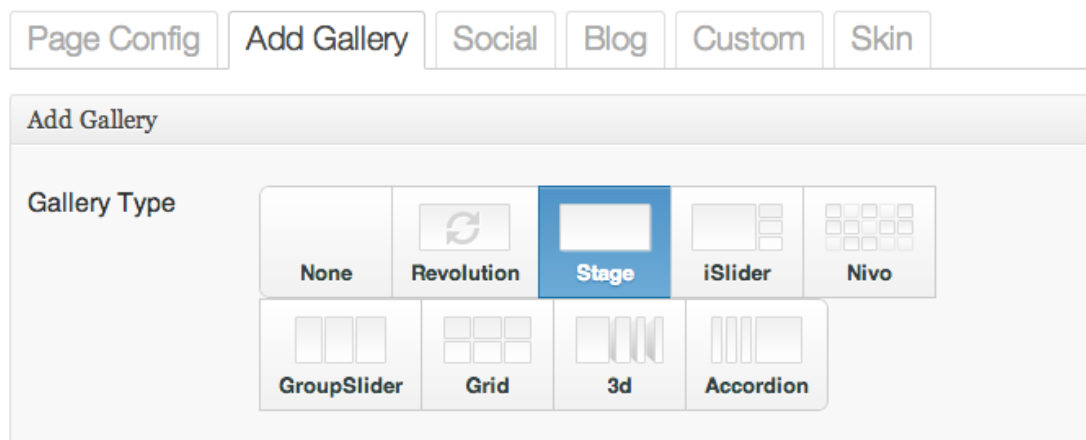
Social Networking icons can also be placed within the content of the Page/Post.

Disable Share Icon

Selecting this option will display the Social Networking icons directly on the page without the "Share" graphic.

Add Gallery (Pages)

Gallery Types



Choose from the following Galleries;

- Revolution Slider
- Stage Gallery
- iSlider
- Group Slider
- Grid Gallery
- 3d Gallery
- Accordion Gallery

Selecting a gallery will present options that relate to that particular Gallery type.

Gallery Data Source

See Gallery Data Sources for more information on each type of data source available (Slide Sets are the recommended option).

Image Effects

Each gallery can be customised by adding Image effects to each image displayed. Add a shadow + reflection, reflection, drop shadow, frame or black & white or no effect.

Enable Lightbox

Depending on the gallery requirements, Lightbox can be enabled – this display the full size image within a lightbox or if a video is defined in the media url for that slide / post it will display the video in the lightbox. Alternatively the image can link to a specific URL.

CSS Classes within a gallery

This feature takes your custom skin and applies it to your specified gallery. Create custom styles using the additional style option within the Skin Manager and copy the style name into the CSS Classes box.

Image Width

It's good practice to enter a width value, the height can be automatically set from this value.

Image Height

If you wish to crop an image, set both a width and height, the image will not distort.

Gallery / Row Height

This option defines the Gallery height or if the Grid Gallery option is select, it acts as a height for the individual row.

Slide Timeout

Timeout to the next slide. Applies to Stage, 3d, Accordion, GroupSlider, iSlider and Nivo galleries. Default is 10.

Gallery Content

This option allows you to choose what to display in those galleries. A choice of Text Image, Title Image, Title Overlay Image, Title & Text Overlay Image, Image Only, Text Only. Title Overlay Image and Title & Text Overlay Image reveal the Title/ Description Text when the image is hovered over.

Stage, Nivo Gallery Navigation

Control your gallery slides with an optional navigation. The user can add Bullet Nav + Left/Right Nav, Bullet Nav or disable all Nav.

Group Slider / Grid Gallery Position

the option is available to display the gallery above or below the main content.

Excerpt Word Limit

Limit the amount of words you want the gallery to display. Default is 55 words.

Limit Number of Posts to Display

Limit the number of posts retrieved from the database. This option also works with Attached Media

Sort By and Order By

Control how the posts are retrieved from the database. This option also works with Attached Media

Accordion Gallery Options

Accordion Auto Rotate

Enable to auto rotate through each accordion panel. Set the timeout using the Slide Timeout option

Accordion Startup Mini Titles

This option is enabled by default, it displays the Title overlaying each image when the gallery has loaded.

Group Slider & Grid Gallery Options

Grid / Group Slider Columns

Enter the number of columns you want to display on a single row.

Grid Gallery Show Posts

For use with Posts only, paginate how many posts to display on a page. 6 is default.

Grid Gallery Category Filter

Enable for animated category filtering. Select more than one Post category or create Gallery Slide Set filter tags (See Slide Set Manager screencast). Pagination will be disabled. Ideal for a portfolio.

If a category is clicked, the gallery is animated to filter only the Images within that category.

Group Slider Image Alignment

Alignment of the Group Slider - Choose from either Centre, Left or Right.

Group Slider Layout Format

Layout Format for the Group Slider - Choose from either Horizontal or Vertical.

Nivo Options

Nivo Transition Effect

Control the transition effect from one image to the next.

Stage Gallery Options

Slide Transition

The animation transition in which the images will change from one to the next.

Tweening

The process of generating intermediate frames between two images. It's recommended to try one or two to see the effect.

3d Gallery Options

Pieces

Number of pieces to which the image is sliced. Default is 15

Transition

Choose from various Tweeners effects.

Transition Time

Time for one cube to turn. Default is 1.2.

Delay

Delay between the start of one cube to the start of the next cube. Default is 0.1.

DepthOffset

The offset during transition on the z-axis. Value between 100 and 1000 are recommended. But go for experiments.

CubeDistance

The distance between the cubes during transition. Values between 5 and 50 are recommended. But go for experiments.

The width of the image for the Stage Gallery should be at least 940px.

Controls X Position

Controls the position of the gallery horizontally the page.

Controls Y Position

Controls the position of the gallery vertically the page.

Text Background Color

Change the background colour of the 3d gallery using the color picker tool.

Text Color

Change the text color of the 3d gallery.

Blog + Templates (Pages)

Page templates can be selected from Pages → Page Attributes → Template. Choose from the following

Blog Template

The **Blog** template and **Grid Blog** (Grid Blog columns can be set in Appearance → Theme Options → Blog) display the latest posts on a page.

Select the categories you want to display from Pages → Blog → Categories.

If you wish to filter post formats, this can be done by selecting the formats you wish to disable.

This template also acts as a normal page and content can be placed above your blog posts e.g. a gallery.

Note! If the blog categories are not working, ensure the WP → Settings → Reading → Posts Page is set to blank.

Sitemap

Select the sitemap template to display Pages, Posts, Categories etc.

Page / Post Skin

The global Skin option is set in **Appearance** → **Themes** → **Customize** → **Default Skin**.

Page Skin

You can override the default Skin option by selecting a Skin via Pages / Post → Skin tab.

Custom Areas (Pages)

Header Infobar

The header infobar allows you to add content to a page which displays directly above the header area. This can be set globally or on individual pages and can contain HTML / shortcodes.

Introduction Text

This allows you to add custom content which is placed directly under the page titles. If the Override Page Title text is set to BLANK it will display the Introduction content only. HTML and shortcodes are supported.

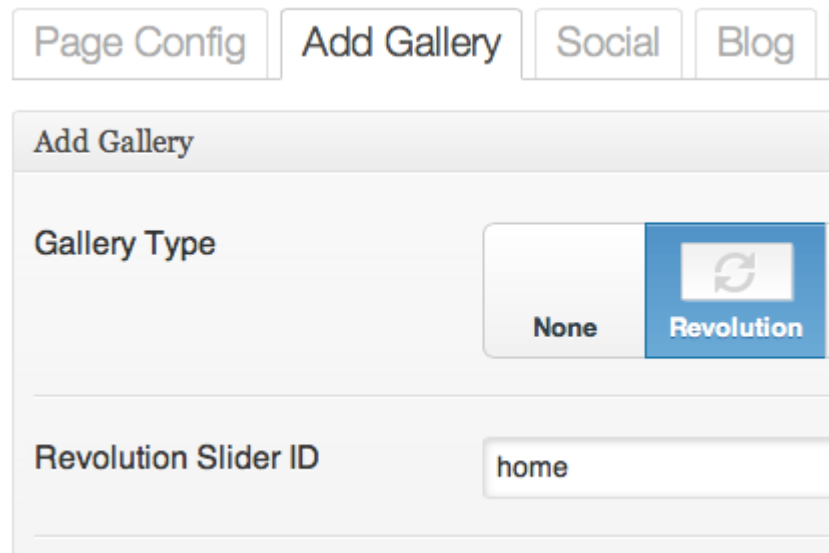
Exit Text

This content is displayed directly beneath the main content area. HTML and shortcodes are supported.

Galleries

Setup a Revolution Slider

Add a Revolution Slider to a Page



The screenshot shows a user interface for adding a gallery. At the top, there are four tabs: 'Page Config', 'Add Gallery', 'Social', and 'Blog'. The 'Add Gallery' tab is selected. Below the tabs, the 'Add Gallery' section is visible. It contains a 'Gallery Type' label and two buttons: 'None' and 'Revolution'. The 'Revolution' button is highlighted with a blue border and a circular arrow icon. Below the buttons, there is a 'Revolution Slider ID' label and a text input field containing the text 'home'.

The screencast above demonstrates how to:

1. Create Slides
2. Add Text, Image and Video elements
3. Set CSS styles
4. **Import demo content** and CSS
5. Assign a Revolution Slider to a page.

Updating Revolution Slider

To import the demo content you will need to update Revolution Slider.

1. Download the latest version of DynamiX from ThemeForest
2. Navigate to Revolution Slider
3. Click the update button
4. Upload the file located DynamiX/plugins/revslider.zip
5. Revolution slider should now be updated and ready to import the demo data.

Revolution Slider (home demo content)

You can download the Slides and Settings from the link below.

Please read the readme.txt and follow the instructions for importing the data.

Download:

<http://themeva.com/docs/dynamix/wp-content/uploads/revolution-home-dynamix.zip>

Note: This **does not include the images** used on the demo, they are copyrighted images, to purchase them, see links below:

Phone / Computer images

<http://graphicriver.net/item/devices-responsive-web-mockups-/2920264?ref=themeva>

Updating Revolution Slider

You can update to the latest version available of Revolution Slider by following these instructions.

Download the latest version of the theme from ThemeForest.

Go to Revolution Slider admin page > Hit the green update button > Click Upload the zip file > Locate the Zip files is found in ThemeName/plugins/revslider.zip.

Page Galleries

See the **How To Add a Gallery** within the Getting Started Section of this documentation.

Page Gallery Types

To create a Page Gallery (Outside of the main content) goto Pages → Add Gallery tab.

Choose from the following Galleries;

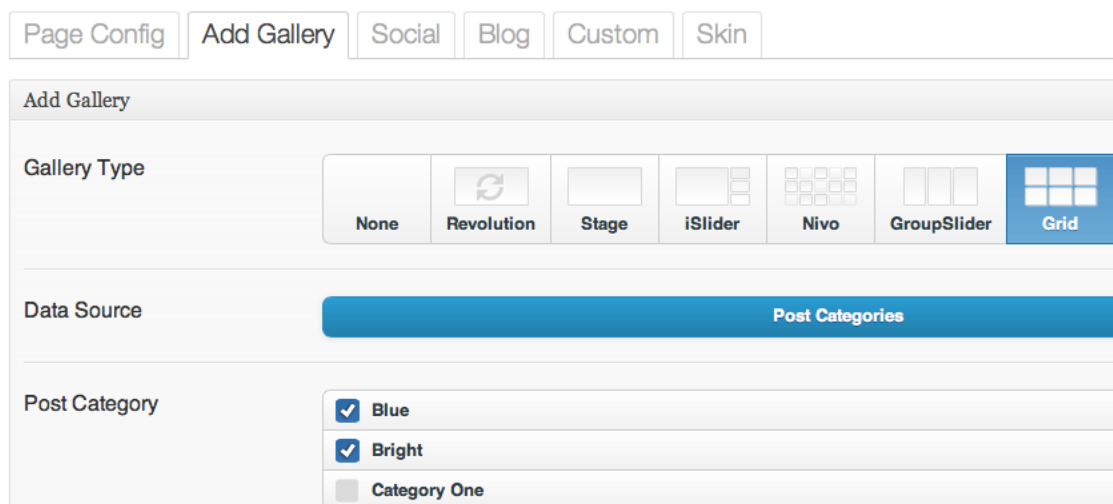
- Revolution Slider
- Stage Gallery
- Group Slider
- Grid Gallery
- 3d Gallery
- Accordion Gallery
- iSlider Gallery
- Nivo Gallery

Once the Gallery type has been selected, a number of options relating to that gallery will appear below it.

Grid + Category Filtering

Using the **Grid Gallery** along with the **Category Filtering** feature, is an ideal method for displaying a portfolio or even filtering products using categories / Slide Set tags.

Portfolio + Animated Filtering Screenshot



The screenshot shows the 'Add Gallery' configuration panel. At the top, there are tabs: 'Page Config', 'Add Gallery' (active), 'Social', 'Blog', 'Custom', and 'Skin'. Below the tabs, the 'Add Gallery' section is expanded. It contains three main sections: 'Gallery Type', 'Data Source', and 'Post Category'. The 'Gallery Type' section has seven options: 'None', 'Revolution', 'Stage', 'iSlider', 'Nivo', 'GroupSlider', and 'Grid'. The 'Grid' option is selected and highlighted in blue. The 'Data Source' section has a single option, 'Post Categories', which is also highlighted in blue. The 'Post Category' section has three options: 'Blue' (checked), 'Bright' (checked), and 'Category One' (unchecked).

Page Config	Add Gallery	Social	Blog	Custom	Skin
Add Gallery					
Gallery Type		<div><div>None</div><div>Revolution</div><div>Stage</div><div>iSlider</div><div>Nivo</div><div>GroupSlider</div><div>Grid</div></div>			
Data Source		<div>Post Categories</div>			
Post Category		<div><div><input checked="" type="checkbox"/> Blue</div><div><input checked="" type="checkbox"/> Bright</div><div><input type="checkbox"/> Category One</div></div>			

The above screencast demonstrates how to setup a **Grid Gallery** using the **Page Gallery** and **Visual Composer** methods, with the **Category Filtering** option enabled.

It also demonstrates how to use both **Post Categories** and **Slide Set Tags** to achieve the filtering function.

Shortcode / Visual Composer Galleries

Visual Composer Shortcodes

To create a Shortcode Gallery (Inside of the main content) goto Post / Page → Visual Composer → and select a Gallery type.

Choose from the following Galleries;

Stage Gallery

Group Slider

Grid Gallery

Accordion Gallery

iSlider Gallery

Nivo Gallery

Each Gallery has individual options to choose from once selected.

For the Revolution Slider, please see the seperate admin page for this Gallery where the shortcode can be found.

Gallery Data Sources

Woocommerce & WP e-Commerce Products

Add Woocommerce & WP e-Commerce Products to Galleries

Product Categories / Tags

Page Config

Add Gallery

Social

Blog

Custom

Skin

Add Gallery

Gallery Type

None

Stage

GroupSlider

Grid

Carousel

Fullscreen Slider

Data Source

Product Categories

Product Categories

☐ City

☐ Portrait

☒ Scenery

Product Tags

☐ Bridge

☐ City

☐ Cows

☐ Field

☐ Girl

For this option to be available you must have the Woocommerce or WP e-Commerce plugin enabled.

Select the Product Category / Tags containing the products you wish to display within the Gallery.

Slide Sets

The recommended method of adding a Images / Media to a Gallery is using the Slide Set Manager. Goto Slide Set Manager → Add New → Select Images from the WP Media Library.

Slider Set Manager Screenshot

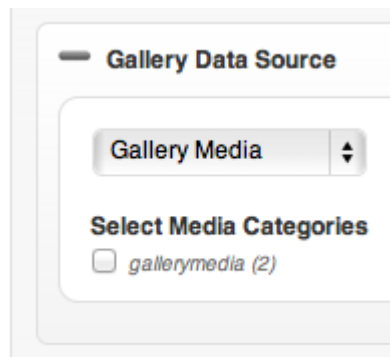


This Screenshot demonstrates adding a Gallery using the Slide Set Manager.

Gallery Media Posts

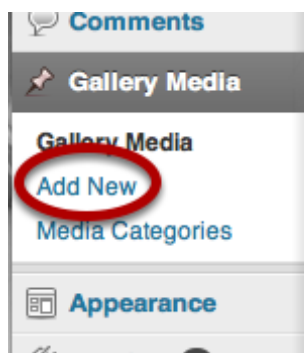
How to use the Gallery Media data source

Gallery Data Source - Gallery Media



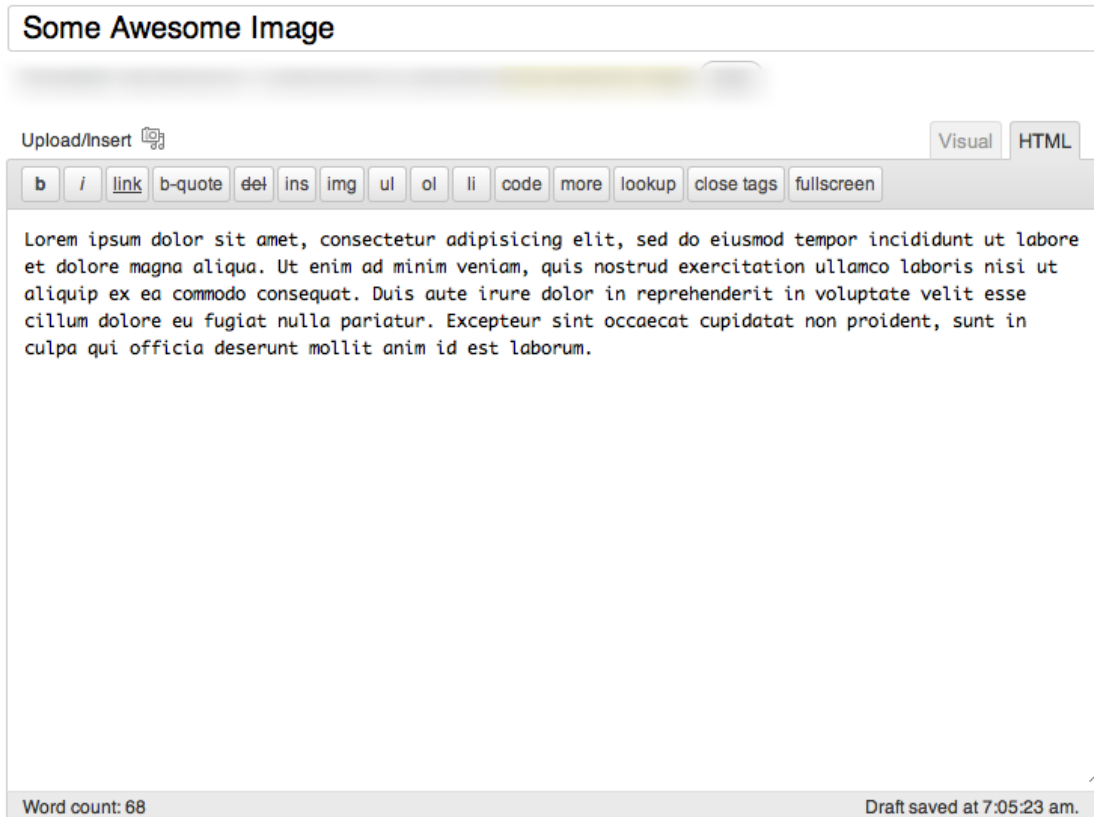
This Theme has a dedicated Gallery Media manager - it works in the same manner as Posts but does not interfere with Blog posts.

Add a Gallery Media Post



Goto Gallery Media → Add New

Gallery Media Post



As with normal Posts / Pages, add a title and then content if required.

Individual vs Attached Media

You can use Gallery Media Post types in two ways.

Individual

Each Gallery Media Post can act as an individual gallery slide e.g. an image. See below for more information.

Pros

You can control each slide specifically with timeout options for Stage, embed Vimeo/YouTube videos etc.

Cons

Slow method if you require to add a vast amount of images.

Attached

Each Gallery Media Post can act as a host to many images/media by attaching the media to that Gallery Media Post. See **Attached Media** for more information.

Pros

A very fast method of adding a vast amount of images/media to a Gallery.

Cons

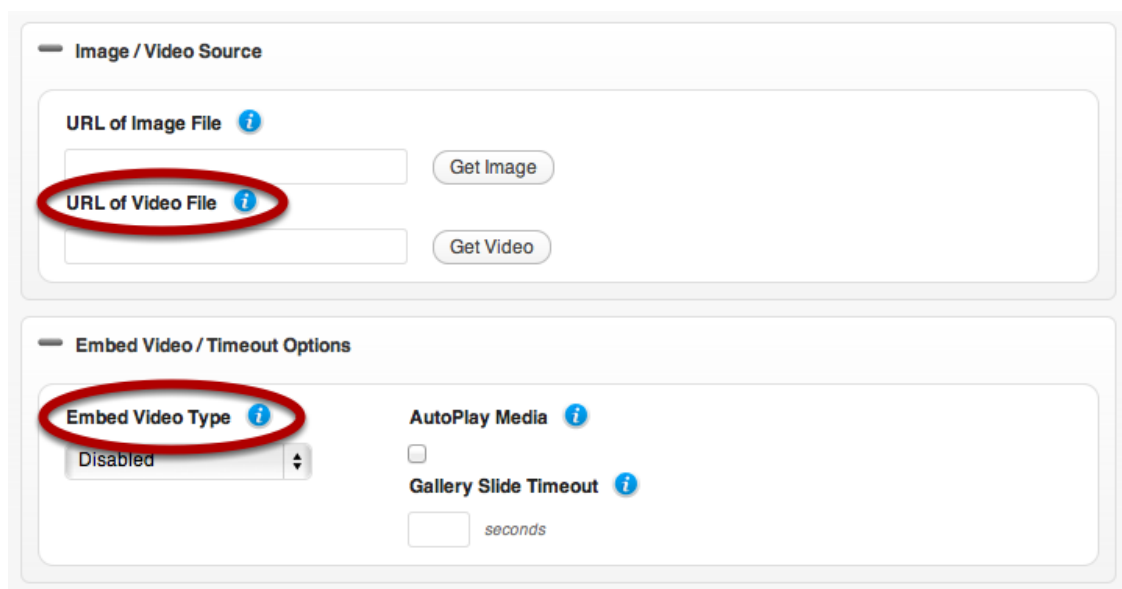
Limited control of individual slides e.g. Only Title and Description can be modified via WordPress → Media.

Individual - Image



Set an image using the **Set Featured Image** option.

Individual - Video

A screenshot of a WordPress interface showing two sections. The top section is titled 'Image / Video Source' and contains two input fields: 'URL of Image File' and 'URL of Video File'. The 'URL of Video File' field is circled in red. Below each input field is a button: 'Get Image' and 'Get Video'. The bottom section is titled 'Embed Video / Timeout Options' and contains a dropdown menu for 'Embed Video Type' (set to 'Disabled'), a checkbox for 'AutoPlay Media', and a text input for 'Gallery Slide Timeout' (set to 'seconds'). The 'Embed Video Type' dropdown is circled in red.

To add a video - enter the URL of your video. This can be a YouTube, Vimeo or locally hosted video (locally hosted requires JW Player setup).

Select the Embed Video Type and a Gallery Slide Timeout (set to the length of the video plus add a couple of seconds for buffering).

Additional Options

Additional Settings

Enter post order number [i](#)

Image Orientation [i](#)

Landscape

Show Image in Post/Archive [i](#)

Default

CSS Classes [i](#)

Link Post to alternative URL [i](#)

Image Crop Settings [i](#)

Crop Image

Disable Post Link [i](#)

Disable Read More Only [i](#)

+ Stage Gallery Options

+ 3d Gallery Options

Fine tune your slide by selecting from the Additional Settings panel and individual Gallery options.

Add to Media Category

Media Categories

Media Categories Most Used

☐ Video

☒ Web

☐ Print

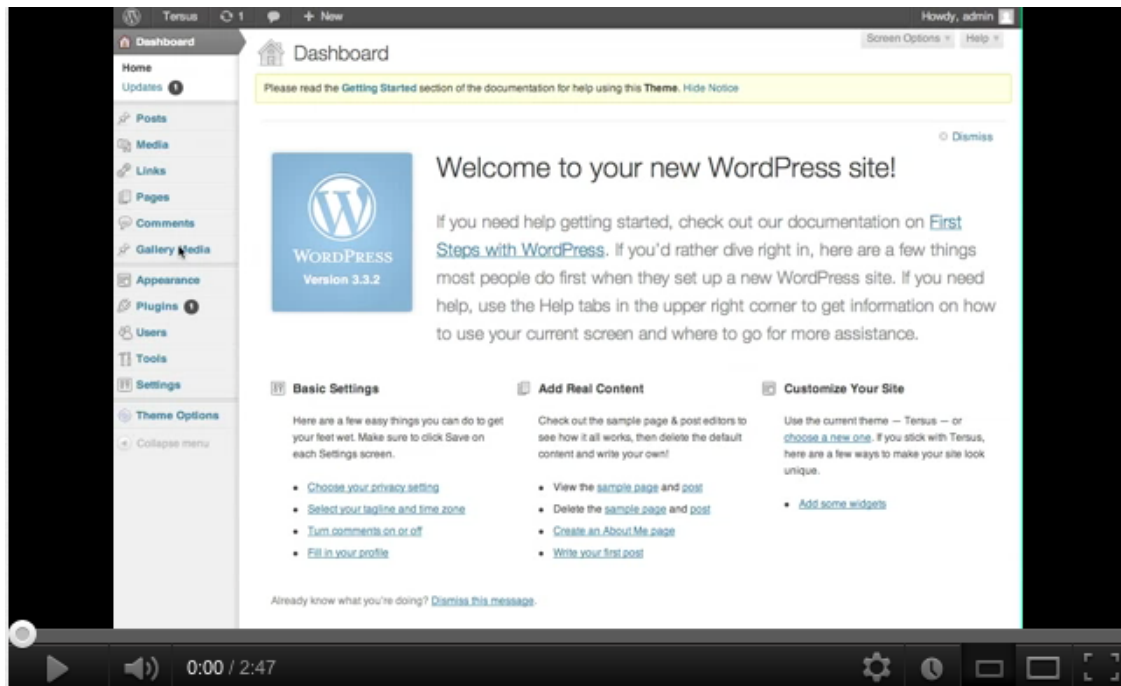
As with normal Posts, create and add the Gallery Media Post to a category and publish the post.

Attached Media

Adding media to a Page, Post, Gallery Media Post

Recommended Install the **Simply Show IDs** plugin (Via WP → Plugins → Add New) to display ID's next to Posts, Pages. By default Gallery Media displays ID's.

Attached Media Screencast



This screencast demonstrates using Attached Media and assigning it to a Stage Gallery.

Gallery Data Source - Attached Media

Data Source	Attached Media
Attached Media ID	306

This allows you to add a Page/Post/Gallery Media Post ID (comma separated for multiple Pages/Posts). e.g. **306,178**

The media must be attached to that Page/Post/Gallery Media Post ID otherwise the media will not show within the Gallery.

Locate Page / Post ID

:/wp-admin/post.php?post=3068&action=edit

To **locate Page / Post ID** - Edit your Page / Post and within the URL you locate the ID of that Page/Post. See diagram above. Alternatively install the **Simply Show IDs** plugin to display ID's next Pages / Posts.

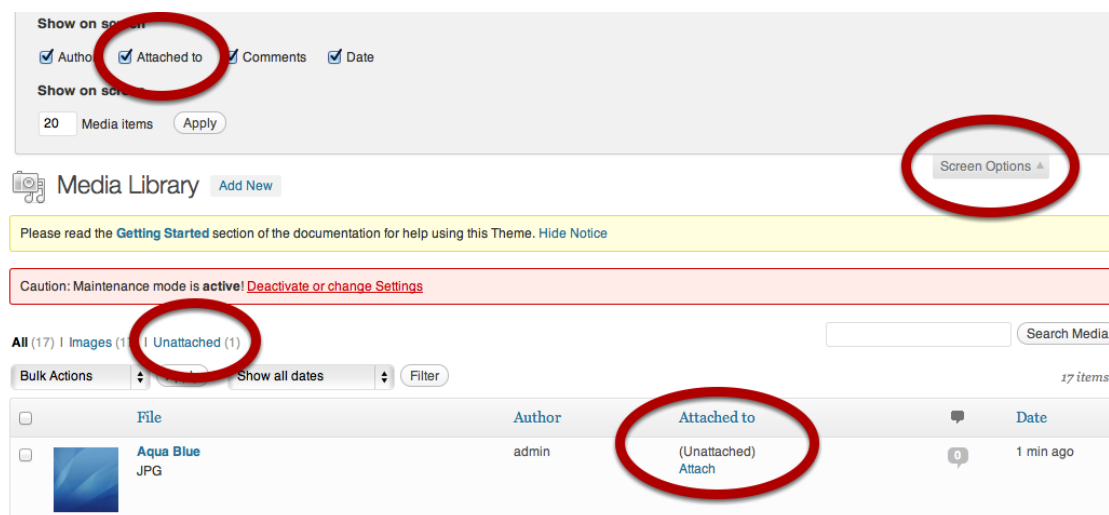
There are two methods to attach media to a Page/Post.

Attached Media - Method 1



Goto the Page/Post and click the **Upload/Insert Add Media** (see icon above) button. Upload the images you want to be attached to that page. Once they're uploaded they become attached to that page.

Attached Media - Method 2



If you have **already uploaded media** - goto the WordPress **Media** page. Ensure you have **Attached to** option enabled via Screen Options (top right of screen).

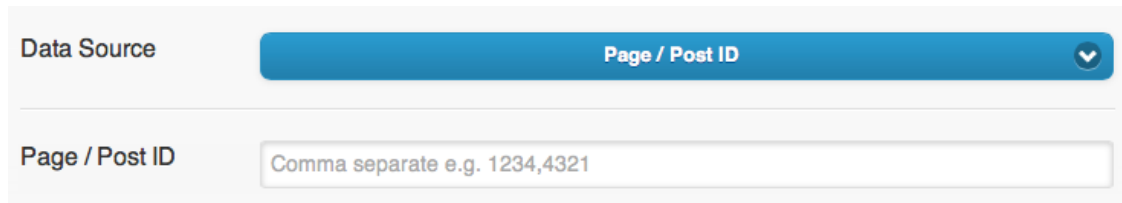
You can attach individual images by clicking **Attach** under the **Attached to** column.

Alternatively click the **Unattached** tab → Check (click select icon) for all the images you want to attach → Bulk Actions → Attach to a post → Apply → Search for your Page / Post → Click Select.

Page / Post ID

Recommended Install the **Simply Show IDs** plugin (Via WP → Plugins → Add New) to display ID's next to Posts, Pages. By default Gallery Media displays ID's.

Gallery Data Source - Page / Post ID



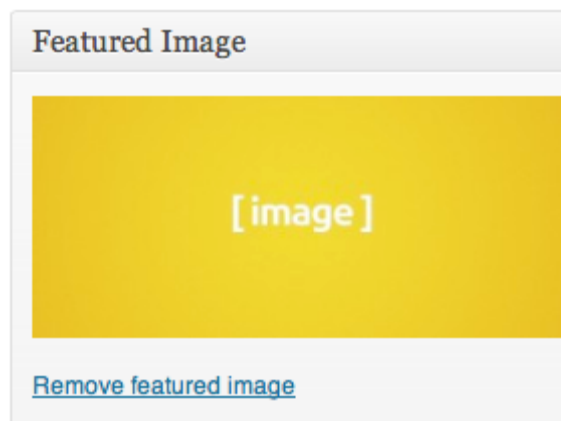
Data Source: Page / Post ID

Page / Post ID: Comma separate e.g. 1234,4321

This allows you to add a Page, Post or Portfolio ID as a data source (comma separated for multiple Pages/Posts). e.g. **306,178**

Each Page, Post, Portfolio ID assigned, must have a **Featured Image** set - see below.

How to add a Featured Image



Goto your **Page**, **Post** or **Portfolio** → Location the **Feature Image** Meta Box → Add an Image.

Once you have set a Featured Image, **locate the ID** of the Page, Post, Portfolio - see below.

Locate Page / Post ID

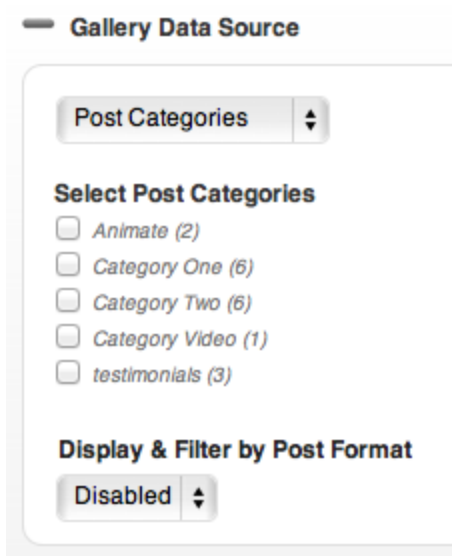
To **locate Page / Post ID** - Edit your Page / Post and within the URL you locate the ID of that Page/Post. See diagram above. Alternatively install the **Simply Show IDs** plugin to display ID's next Pages / Posts.

`/wp-admin/post.php?post=306&action=edit`

Post Categories

Use normal Posts within your Galleries

Select Post Categories



Gallery Data Source

Post Categories ▾

Select Post Categories

- ☐ *Animate (2)*
- ☐ *Category One (6)*
- ☐ *Category Two (6)*
- ☐ *Category Video (1)*
- ☐ *testimonials (3)*

Display & Filter by Post Format

Disabled ▾

If you wish to add your normal Posts to your Galleries → Select the categories containing the posts you wish to add to your Gallery.

If you would like to display Post Formats only, select a **Display & Filter by Post Format** option. This is a great method to display testimonials or status updates.

Flickr

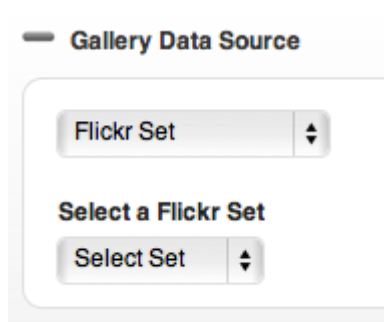
Add a Flickr set to your Gallery

Enable Flickr

Before using Flickr you are required to setup Flickr within Theme Options → General Settings

Note! You are required to register an API key on your Flickr account.

Select Flickr Set



The screenshot shows a settings panel titled "Gallery Data Source". Inside the panel, there is a dropdown menu labeled "Flickr Set" with a downward arrow. Below this, there is a section titled "Select a Flickr Set" which contains another dropdown menu labeled "Select Set" with a downward arrow.

If your details have been entered correctly your Flickr Sets will be available to select.

Warning! Using Flickr Sets can be slower than using locally hosted images.

Shortcode Tips

Font Icons

Font icons are icons that are a font instead of an image so they can be scaled and customized using CSS. These tools are built directly into the themes.

Adding a font icon

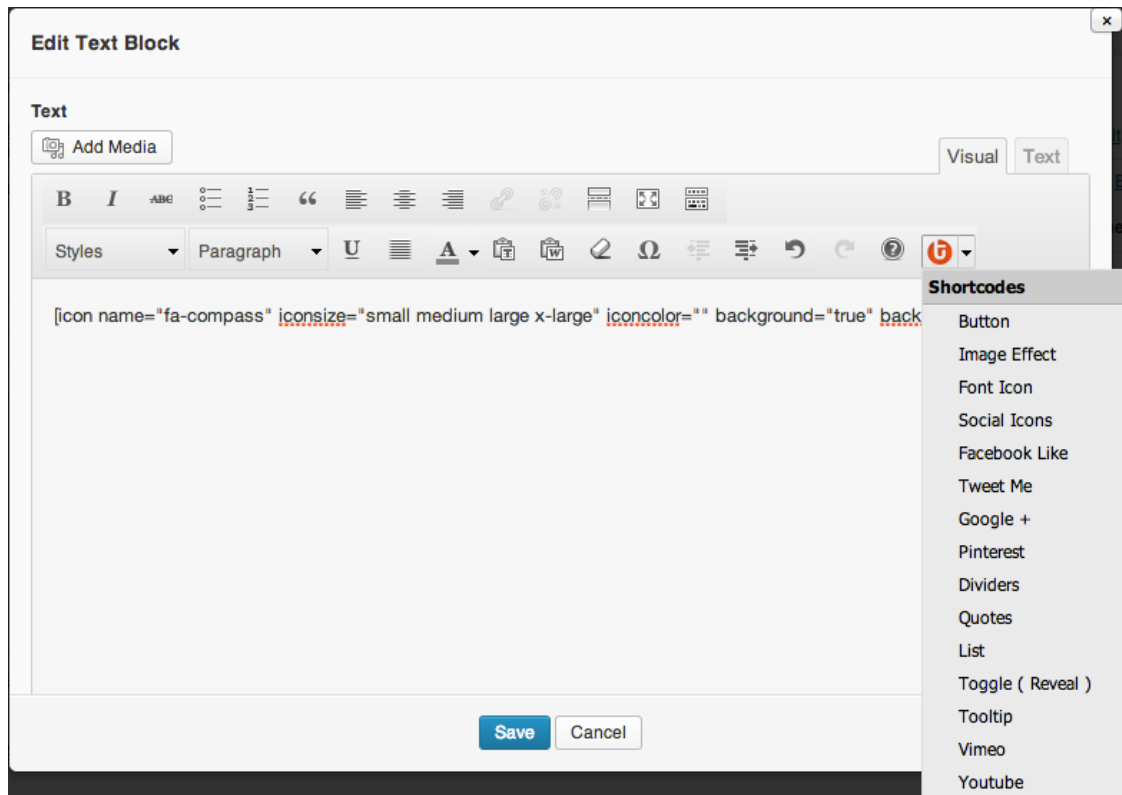
The screenshot shows a dialog box titled "Edit Icon Font" with a close button (X) in the top right corner. The dialog contains several input fields and options, each marked with a numbered circle (1-5) indicating the steps to add a font icon:

- 1** **Icon Name**: A text input field. Below it, a note says "See Font Awesome [icons](#) : Entire Icon Name e.g. fa-compass".
- 2** **Icon Size**: A text input field. Below it, a note says "e.g. small, medium, large, x-large, xx-large".
- 3** **Icon Color**: A color selection button labeled "Select Color". Below it, a note says "If no color is set, the default text color will be used."
- 4** **Background Color**: A checkbox labeled "Enable". Below it, a note says "If no color is set, the default link color will be used."
- 5** **Align**: A horizontal alignment slider.

At the bottom right of the dialog are two buttons: "Save" (in blue) and "Cancel".

1. To add a font icon, choose from the list [here](#) and copy the icon name. E.g **fa-compass**
2. Choose your icon size.
3. Select icon color
4. Enable a background color
5. Alignment
6. CSS Animation

Font icons via shortcode



To add a font icon via a shortcode please follow these steps:

1. Click the themeva icon
2. Choose Font Icon
3. Alter the shortcode to suit your needs

Take out and add in the parts of the shortcode that you need. This is what the demo shortcode will look like.

```
[icon name="fa-compass" iconsize="small medium large x-large" iconcolor=""  
background="true" backgroundcolor=""]
```

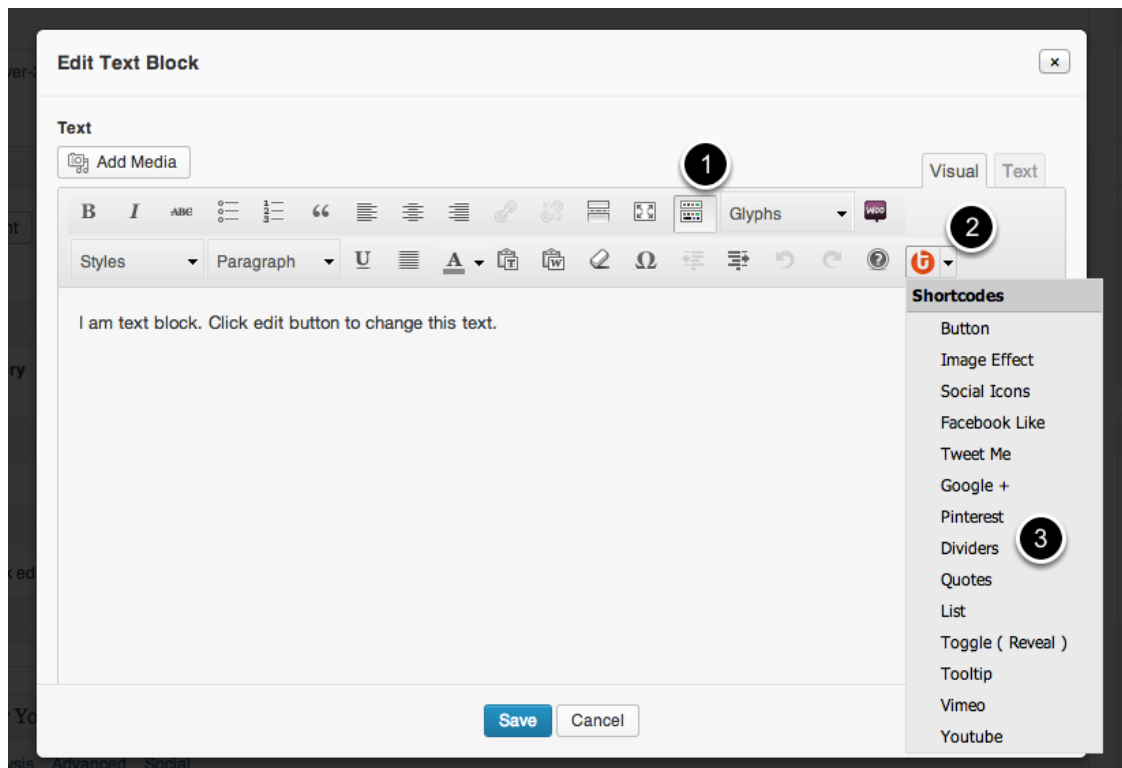
Here is an example of the shortcode cut down to size with a black background, white icon, medium size and a compass icon.

```
[icon name="fa-compass" iconsize="medium" iconcolor="#FFFFFF" background="true"  
backgroundcolor="#333333"]
```

Quick Shortcodes for Text Editor

In some cases it's easier to place shortcodes within a text editor, the quick shortcode select menu has been implemented to help users build up content quicker within the text editor. The following instructions will give you an insight into how it works and how to use it.

Generate Shortcode

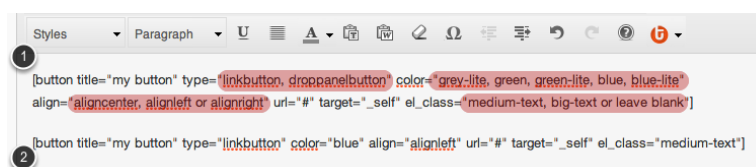


The Shortcode Generator is located within a text block when editing a page.

Edit page > Add a row > Add a Text Block

1. If the orange themeva logo does not show, click the Kitchen Sink icon.
2. Click the themeva logo to show the Shortcode list.
3. Select a shortcode, they will automatically be placed into the Text Block content area.

Edit the Shortcode



1. Once the shortcode has been created, remove the options you do not require. (see highlighted options)

2. Leave one option for each function unless otherwise stated. E.g, align="aligncenter, alignleft or alignright" change to align="alignleft"

Colors:

grey-lite

black

blue

blue-lite

green-lite

green

grey

orange-lite

orange

pink-lite

pink

purple-lite

purple

red-lite

red

teal-lite

teal

transparent

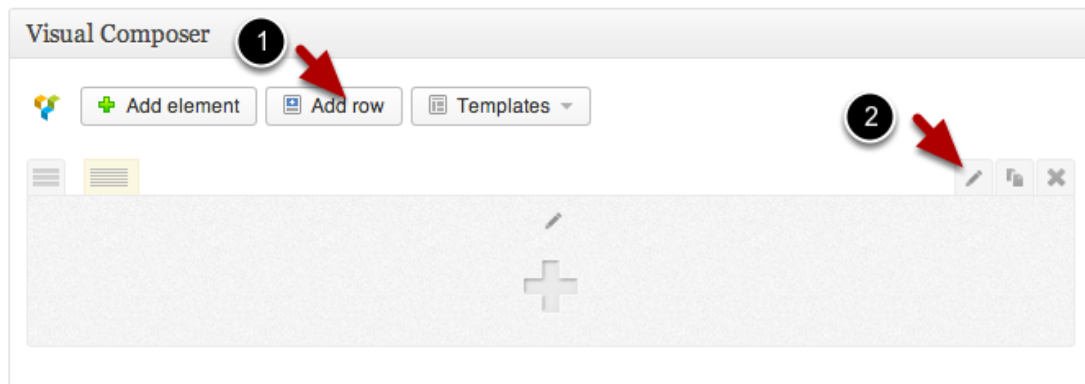
white

yellow-lite

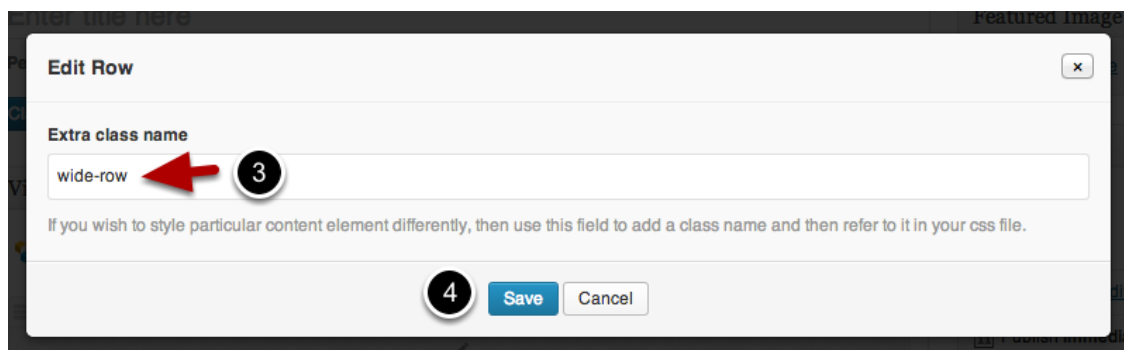
yellow

Wide Row

How to add a Wide Row



1. Click to add a row
2. Click the pencil button to edit the row



3. Add the extra class name: **wide-row**
4. Save and view your page

This will give the row a shaded grey area behind the content. You can then drag elements into the row to build up the row.

To achieve a darker shaded area, add the extra class name: **wide-row dark**

Accordion

Make the Accordion Collapse / Collapsible

Edit Accordion section

Widget title

What text use as widget title. Leave blank if no title is needed.

Extra class name

`collapsible` = collapsible accordion
`collapse` = set initial state as collapsed.

[Save](#) [Cancel](#)

1. **Collapse Panels:** To collapse the accordion panels, add **collapse** to the **Extra class name** field
2. **Make Collapsible:** To make the accordion collapsible i.e. close each panel individually, add **collapsible** to the **Extra class name** field

Buttons

Increase Text Size

To increase the size of your button text, add one of the following classes via the **Visual Composer** → **Button** → **Extra class name**

- medium-text
- big-text
- large-text
- xlarge-text
- supersize-text

Customize

Mobile CSS

Add Mobile CSS

If you wish to add mobile CSS (responsive mode needs to be enabled) you can do using this field.

Javascript

Add Javascript

If you wish to add jQuery or javascript to your site, use this field. It will load the script at the end of the page in the footer.

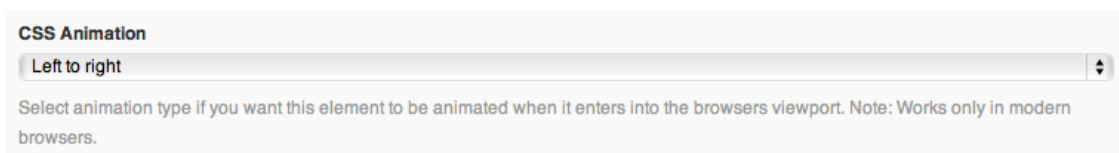
Add Custom CSS

Custom CSS

This option is ideal if you want to customize the theme. Custom CSS allows you to add CSS to the theme and is not affected by Theme upgrades.

CSS Animation

Add CSS Animation to Visual Composer Elements



Note! This feature only works with **modern browsers**.

Where applicable in the Visual Composer, you can add CSS Animation. Edit or Create a new element and look for the **CSS Animation** option - select the animation type you wish to apply to the element.

Manually Add CSS Animation to Visual Composer CSS Classes field

The following CSS Classes (*text in italic*) can be added to any **Visual Composer** element that has a **CSS Classes** field.

Left to Right Effect

wpb_animate_when_almost_visible wpb_start_animation wpb_left-to-right

Right to Left Effect

wpb_animate_when_almost_visible wpb_start_animation wpb_right-to-left

Top to Bottom Effect

wpb_animate_when_almost_visible wpb_start_animation wpb_top-to-bottom

Bottom to Top Effect

wpb_animate_when_almost_visible wpb_start_animation wpb_top-to-bottom

Appear From Center

wpb_animate_when_almost_visible wpb_start_animation wpb_appear

BuddyPress / bbPress

BuddyPress / bbPress Setup

Note! You DO NOT need to install any template compatibility plugins.

BuddyPress / bbPress Plugin

This Theme supports the BuddyPress and bbPress Plugin, this allows you to use your WP site as usual but with the added features of BuddyPress and bbPress. To activate the plugins, download the BuddyPress / bbPress plugin via the Wordpress Admin → Plugins → Add New.

See the <http://buddypress.org> and <http://bbpress.org> site(s) for help setting up.

BuddyPress / bbPress Page Layout

To set the Page layout of BuddyPress and bbPress, goto Appearance → Theme Options → BuddyPress / bbPress tab → Page Layout

NOTE

No support is given for how to use or install BuddyPress – the only support given is for any CSS issues.

Woocommerce / WP e-Commerce

Woocommerce / WP e-Commerce Setup

Woocommerce / WP e-Commerce Plugin

This Theme is designed to integrate with the Woocommerce & WP e-Commerce plugins. Download and activate the Woocommerce or WP e-Commerce plugin. Once activated the Theme will automatically enable functionality.

A cart icon will appear top right of the Header section and a new Gallery Data Source is activated to allow products to be placed with Galleries.

Support

Please be aware no support is given for the actual WP e-Commerce plugin, any issues please use their support forums.

Sources & Credits

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Visual Composer

<http://codecanyon.net/item/visual-composer-for-wordpress/242431>

Cufón text replacement script

<http://cufon.shoqolate.com/generate/>

Advanced Excerpt

<http://basvd.com/code/advanced-excerpt/>

Help Center

Help Center

Contact Details

If you are experiencing any difficulties with this theme please join the support forum:

Visit: <http://help.themeva.com>

If you're experiencing difficulties joining use the contact form via
<http://themeforest.net/user/themeva>

ENJOY!! :)