



Theme Installation Instructions

Thanks for downloading the Academy Theme. It's a theme I think you'll enjoy but in order to get it to look just right, there are a few things you'll want to do first.

#1 - Import the content.xml file.

This file includes posts, pages that are used in the demo and they have template styles attached to them. If you have not imported into WordPress before you will need to install the WordPress importer. Once it's installed, click activate and import and then you'll be able to upload the content.xml file.

You'll be asked to assign authors. You can allow the user (me) to be added to your system or you can assign posts to a current user in your system. Leave the download and import attachments box unchecked.

You'll get a message that says that you've failed to import media. Those are the images attached to the posts in the demo. They are included in your child theme folder (check out the img folder inside the assets folder). If you want to use them, simply go to your posts area in WP-Admin, click on each post individually and set the featured image (by uploading one of those photos).

#2 - Go to Settings > Reading

Once you're there, you're going to want to switch your front page displays to a static page. If you've loaded in the demo content, set the home page to Home. Next set your blog page to Blog. It basically works as a link to the page where your feed of posts will be displayed.

Save your settings and return to your site's home page. It should look a little different.

#3 - Go to Global Options > Import/Export

Click the button called Load Child Theme Config. It will ask you to confirm and then reload the page.

This file includes all the information related to your theme. Once activated your site should look exactly like the demo.

Important Notes About Academy Theme

Academy comes with a number of customizations built right into the design. These are done via custom classes. What that means is that there are options for you as the user to add specific styles to different elements of the site. You'll see them as you navigate around the demo but to make things easier for you, here's a list of what's included and how to add them.

To add a custom class to an area of the site simply add it in where it says Custom Classes. You can also use these classes in html if you're comfortable with it. For example:

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<h1 class="align-center">This would align your text in the center of the page</h1>
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Here are some of the custom classes included:

uppercase

Turns all text to uppercase.

italics or emphasis

Turns your font to italic style.

align-right

Aligns the element to the right.

align-left

Aligns the element to the left.

align-center

Aligns the element in the center.

fill theme (white, black, primary, warning, success, error, primary, default, info)

Makes the background the same color as your global link color (or any of these other system colors). Must include "fill theme" as written, including the space and must be in that order (e.g. "fill white", "fill primary", "fill warning").

fs-9 ... fs-100

Sets the font size to anything between 9px and 100px

There are many different button styles included within Academy but to get the style that is included around the theme write the following line:

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<a href="http://yoururl.com" class="plaBtn plaBtn-1 plaBtn-1a">Button Text</a>
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Each of those particular classes adds specific functionality to the button. You can experiment with changing things up for example doing "plaBtn plaBtn-2 plaBtn-2c" to see what happens and the particular effect.

Thanks again for downloading Academy Theme and enjoy your new site!