

Beginners Guide to Creating a WordPress Portfolio (Tutorial)

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Examples:

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Steps:

1. Sign Up (<http://wordpress.com>)
2. [Examples of portfolios in education](#)
3. [Choosing a template](#)
4. [Naming your site](#)
5. [Subscribe By Email Widget](#) (PSD70 Blogs)
6. [Comments \(Discussion\)](#)
7. [Writing a post](#)
8. [Adding tags to posts](#)
9. [Adding a picture to a post](#)
 - a. Use this site for media: <http://search.creativecommons.org>
 - b. Citation for a picture: <http://www.screenr.com/tmQ>
 - c. Greasemonkey :: Add-ons for Firefox <http://bit.ly/hyLxm1>
 - d. Flickr CC Attribution Helper for Greasemonkey <http://bit.ly/gsTdUO>
 - e.
10. [Adding a video \(YouTube\)](#)
 - a. Use this video: <http://www.youtube.com/watch?v=iwGFaITRHDA&feature=related>
11. [Adding a page/subpage](#) (portfolio)
12. [Adding widgets](#)
13. Other?

Bloggng Prompts:

Bloggng Prompts for Teacher Candidates - Google Docs <http://bit.ly/frRJpo>

Classroom Blogs and Bloggng Ideas <http://bit.ly/eYCrqf>

37 Interesting Ideas for Class Blog Posts <http://bit.ly/f1i2bc>

Other links:

[What does the "portfolio portion" of our blog look like?](#)

[Opportunities for creativity in blogs](#)

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Google Reader - Educational Blogs <http://bit.ly/hSN64O>

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