

Learning to blog

FLICKR

- Go to [Flickr](#) and create an account
- First thing is to create a Yahoo account, follow the directions on the site to do this
- Now, use your Yahoo ID to create your Flickr account, change the Flickr screen name if you wish
- Upload a photo
- Go to the bottom of your Flickr page and look for the Feed link button, click the Feed button. The button looks like this:
- Copy the URL - this is your feed to your Flickr page
- Go to your blog, click on the Dashboard, Presentation, Widgets
- Add a Flickr widget to your sidebar
- Click on the configure icon
- Paste the Flickr URL in the box
- Choose how many photos you want to show at a time
- Click the x
- Save changes
- You will now get an automatic feed on your blog of Flickr photos from your Flickr account



VOD:POD

- Go to your blog Dashboard then click on Presentation. Go to Widgets
- Add the Vod:Pod Videos widget to your sidebar
- Click on the configure icon
- Click on the Start a Pod link to create a Vod:Pod Account
- Enter the name you want to use for your Vod:Pod
- Click Create Pod
- You should now be on your Vod:Pod page, go to the bottom, click Tools
- Follow directions to install the Vodpod Browser button (do this step on any computer you will want to save on to your Vod:Pod account)
- Go back to your blog and add the URL of your Vodpod to the widget
- Your Vod:Pod URL is <http://YOUR VOD:POD ID.vodpod.com/>
- Close the configure box, click on Save changes

When you find a video you want to add to your Vodpod:

- Click on the Save to Vodpod link in Your Favorites
- A Vod:Pod pop-up window will appear
- Choose to which pod to save the video
- Click publish
- The video will show up on your blog in the sidebar

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CLUSTRMAPS

- Go to [ClustrMaps](#)
- Click on Register Here
- Add the URL of your blog in the space provided
- Fill in email and agree to terms
- Click register me and send me my password
- Check your email for the password; copy the password
- Return to ClustrMaps window, click continue
- Paste the password and log in
- Change the password if you wish
- Click Continue
- Copy all the code in box A, leave window open
- Go to your blog's Dashboard, click on Presentation, then click on Widgets
- Drag a Text 1 widget to your sidebar to where you want it in order, click on the configure icon on the Text 1 widget
- Paste the code you copied from the ClustrMaps A box into this Text 1 widget box
- Close the window, Save the Changes
- You will now have a ClustrMap tracking visitors to your site in your sidebar

ODEO

- Create an account at [Odeo](#)
- To add a podcast to your Wordpress blog:
- Find a podcast you want to add to the blog for listening (keep this open in its own window)
- Go to your [Odeo account](#) in another window
- Log in to your account
- Click on Add Audio From the Web
- Fill in Audio Title for podcast
- Copy and paste the podcast URL (for the mp3 file) from the podcast site into the Odeo MP3 URL box
- Click Submit
- Go down to the Place In drop down menu and choose your account
- Click Save
- Copy the Odeo Directory URL
- Add the following code to your post in Wordpress:
- [odeo=**PASTE THE ODEO DIRECTORY URL HERE**]
- When you publish the post, you will have an Odeo player on the post to play the podcast