

Forum:[Hack Forums](#)

Thread: [New To HF?](#)

Omniscient - August 20, 2019, 11:56 am

Do these images help you?

Cooligan - August 20, 2019, 11:59 am

100% yes this would help new members.

I specifically remember me making a thread asking what these icons meant back when I first joined the forum:

Spoiler [\(Click to View\)](#)

Positive ended up replying with a helpful post and I moved on. However with these, threads like that would be avoided.

Sigma - August 20, 2019, 1:12 pm

Yes, this would help new members for sure. Definitely pin this. Or create a slideshow and add it to the menu above.

123 - August 20, 2019, 1:16 pm

This is indeed very helpful for new users who would actually utilise these options to discover new things on HF.

TYourusername - August 20, 2019, 1:37 pm

this is good first time hackforums was changed to only buttons i was little bit confused, a lot but i learned everything in 1-4 days.

Popstar - August 20, 2019, 1:42 pm

Hadn't logged in in a month or two and came back to this new stuff, this is kind of confusing until you get used to it. I like the older stuff better.

Prawnster - August 20, 2019, 1:43 pm

(Aug 20, 2019 01:37 PM)TYourusername Wrote: [\[CITE\]](#) this is good first time hackforums was changed to only buttons i was little bit confused, a lot but i learned everything in 1-4 days.

Yeah, it's pretty easy to pick up, you can hover over the buttons too and it'll display what they are, that's all I had to do when I returned to HF this time lmao

TYourusername - August 20, 2019, 1:44 pm

(Aug 20, 2019 01:43 PM)Mazl Wrote: [\[CITE\]](#) Yeah, it's pretty easy to pick up, you can hover over the buttons too and it'll display what they are, that's all I had to do when I returned to HF this time lmao
yes thats right

but it was little bit confusing for the first day, but easy to learn

Prawnster - August 20, 2019, 1:48 pm

(Aug 20, 2019 01:44 PM)TYourusername Wrote: [\[CITE\]](#) yes thats right

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Also if you ever get lost with what to do, I'm sure a majority of the community is happy to help.
Welcome to HF btw, saw you had problems with your old account so I guess welcome back?

Dragosthethird - August 20, 2019, 1:53 pm

Well, it is helpful for new people. I know it took a few moments for me to realize what the icons were at the top when they were first changed but I think honestly the picture shouldn't be needed everything seems rather straight forward.

DOG - August 20, 2019, 3:01 pm

A friend of mine IRL, registered couple days ago. After using 15min he just gave up and said it's shit and he cannot understand anything. (He was on his phone)

I'm pretty sure for a new member who never used a forum before won't understand anything....

webdev77 - August 20, 2019, 4:40 pm

(Aug 20, 2019 04:37 PM)Beau Wrote: [\[CITE\]](#) This would've been helpful when I returned to HF.
Sticky worthy!

Shame a lot of new people seem to ignore sticky threads though. I would agree that it's helpful though.

Nas - August 20, 2019, 4:42 pm

Really useful thread for those on mobile as they can't put their cursor over an icon to read what it is.

Evanescent - August 20, 2019, 5:52 pm

Honestly, I get confused with the icons on right side.

For some reason I get confused with New Posts and Your threads icons. I have to move my cursor over it and wait till it shows what it is and then click. Not a big issue but new users might get even more confused.

Adolf Hipster - August 20, 2019, 6:16 pm

It helps. A couple of them I was not sure about at first but for the most part, it helped me.

Mix - August 20, 2019, 6:40 pm

Granted the image does help new members, But I know for a fact this could be done a lot neater and cleaner with single images.

Example:

User CP

This icon is in the first icon above the category tabs, on the left-hand side.

Market CP

This icon is in the second icon above the category tabs, on the left-hand side.

ETC.

Omniscient - August 20, 2019, 6:43 pm

(Aug 20, 2019 04:37 PM)Beau Wrote: [\[CITE\]](#) This would've been helpful when I returned to HF.
Sticky worthy!

This thread is now part of the Welcome PM all new members get.

Demaunic - August 20, 2019, 7:20 pm

this helps a lot thank you

adminer - August 20, 2019, 7:25 pm

Now i understand everything

Snooper - August 20, 2019, 8:00 pm

Everything is looks good Omni, glad to see HF look better throughout all these years.

Kill Joy - August 20, 2019, 8:05 pm

This was part of my feedback in the questionnaire. New members probably won't be able to navigate around as easily.

Even last night I spent a minute looking for my latest threads link and remembered it was now an icon. But I'm also just stupid and forgetful, so there's that.

Cooligan - August 20, 2019, 8:08 pm

(Aug 20, 2019 06:43 PM)Omniscient Wrote: [\[CITE\]](#) This thread is now part of the Welcome PM all new members get.

Good idea.

Ensures that all new members that sign up will without a doubt see it.

Bossk - August 20, 2019, 10:59 pm

(Aug 20, 2019 11:59 AM)Cooligan Wrote: [\[CITE\]](#) 100% yes this would help new members.

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I'm still very uncertain on what these icons mean

Temp_reassign - August 20, 2019, 11:20 pm

Lucky bastards. Who would've thought today's HF would spoon-feed new comers eh? Oh well, the help document just got better. Good thinking boss.

Alex Trx - August 21, 2019, 2:51 am

hello i need a whatsapp account hacked. i see that you know a lot about whatsapp. can you help me with this?

2tonstun - August 21, 2019, 3:09 am

my brain just sighed in relief at the sight of this, thank you

Fortunate - August 21, 2019, 3:23 am

(Aug 20, 2019 05:52 PM)Evanescence Wrote: [\[CITE\]](#) Honestly, I get confused with the icons on right side.

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more confused.

Same here. I was confused after the changes, didn't know which was which, and still don't. These images do help for now.

Cooligan - August 21, 2019, 4:25 am

(Aug 20, 2019 10:59 PM)Bossk Wrote: [\[CITE\]](#) I'm still very uncertain on what these icons mean
You can find the table explaining the icons at the bottom of the page in I believe every forum.

Evanescent - August 21, 2019, 5:39 am

(Aug 21, 2019 03:23 AM)Fortunate Wrote: [\[CITE\]](#) Same here. I was confused after the changes, didn't know which was which, and still don't. These images do help for now.

Yeah. I found it convenient when it was written in text.

Cooligan - August 21, 2019, 5:47 am

(Aug 21, 2019 05:39 AM)Evanescent Wrote: [\[CITE\]](#) Yeah. I found it convenient when it was written in text.

While it may have been a little more convenient, I'm sure that over a small period of time we'll all understand the new setup. ?

It's very fluid and clean now.

duplex - August 21, 2019, 5:49 am

I've been thinking about this for some time, but perhaps removing the Game XP:

There's too many vertical lines imo

Posts:

Threads:

B Rating:

Popularity:

?ytes:

Game XP:

Looks better as,

Posts:

Threads:

B Rating:

Popularity:

?ytes:

Otherwise it just becomes a long list of greyness, that's not even including Warning Level:

Posts:

Threads:

Warning Level:

B Rating:

Popularity:

?ytes:
Game XP:

Evanescence - August 21, 2019, 5:51 am

(Aug 21, 2019 05:47 AM)Cooligan Wrote: [\[CITE\]](#) While it may have been a little more convenient, I'm sure that over a small period of time we'll all understand the new setup. ?

It's very fluid and clean now.

Yeah right. It's not a big issue. Most of the times I use it on my mobile phone and it's in text there.

Claw - August 21, 2019, 6:04 am

Imo making a page for newbies such as tutorials would be helpful, making all contract, and those things into one page called tutorial, by the way pictures are well documented.

SIM-3205632 - August 21, 2019, 6:11 am

Didn't even know about the "find user's post" function.

Banter - August 21, 2019, 6:20 am

The Red was a little hard to see, So I made these for the thread.

I Included a Profile one if you need it.

Cooligan - August 21, 2019, 6:35 am

(Aug 21, 2019 06:20 AM)Banter. Wrote: [\[CITE\]](#) The Red was a little hard to see, So I made these for the thread.

I Included a Profile one if you need it.

Banter always coming in with the quality posts. ?

Carl Elias - August 21, 2019, 5:02 pm

So glad to see this! I was off HF for a bit when this change happened, and when I came back, it took me a bit to remember where links were to match the icons. Will without a doubt be helpful to new members!

Condoms - August 21, 2019, 10:41 pm

That's beautiful and would help people a lot.

But you know people will still look at those pictures and be dumber than a rock..

Dr.BrokenGod - August 22, 2019, 7:06 am

Time for me to write a tutorial for new people on how labels work.

MGoncalv00 - August 23, 2019, 3:46 am

For newbies like me, I say thank you for this useful stuff.

b4shler - August 28, 2019, 3:20 pm

newbie here. hope I would learn a lot of things around here@ ?

Goodness - August 28, 2019, 10:11 pm

Wow i actually needed that thanks

Oliver Bel - August 28, 2019, 11:00 pm

Not really. Sort of obvious.

N1ghtm4re - August 29, 2019, 2:03 am

I'm not at all New but this was actually very helpful thanks frank

Strato - August 29, 2019, 2:15 am

Definitely had to hover each and one of them during my first use because from just icons, it's a bit hard to understand what is what.

The bigger concern to me is what's going on with the icons in the text editor when you're writing a post, some of them are pretty weird, for example "Font Color" looks more like "Text Center Position", and insert an image could be changed too.

Renestey - August 31, 2019, 11:11 am

Definitely useful for someone returning after quite a while and stumbling upon this new (rather sweet) theme :)

Darkwin - September 1, 2019, 6:34 am

HF has changed so much i needed this :) Thanks Omni!!

Venture - September 1, 2019, 7:36 am

(Sep 1, 2019 06:34 AM)Darkwin Wrote: [\[CITE\]](#) HF has changed so much i needed this :) Thanks Omni!!Does this mean you're gonna drop some new songs? ?

Xerotic - September 1, 2019, 9:25 am

(Sep 1, 2019 09:10 AM)Contrapak Wrote: [\[CITE\]](#) Might be off topic, but does anyone know how I can get ZERO emails when people respond to my subscribed forums and threads? I checked my email after a couple days and saw my inbox was flooded.

I've made sure everything in my settings says NOT to email me. Maybe I'm missing something?

<https://hackforums.net/usercp.php?action=subscriptions>

Check all threads and make sure at the bottom and you can choose the notification settings for existing thread subscriptions.

Blogger - September 1, 2019, 10:17 am

That is very helpful. Always wondered though, what is the difference between a reply and a quote? Aren't the results the same?

Ex-Exchanger - September 1, 2019, 5:36 pm

yes these help a lot. Really new to the forum and love this

CyberStrike - September 3, 2019, 3:23 am

It definitely helps, it'd be nice to have a "tutorial" like a walk through for new users.

ThumbsUp - September 25, 2019, 8:04 pm

This is a pretty easy way of helping my brain remembering this!

Pikzul - September 25, 2019, 8:08 pm

Helps alot thanks big Omni :D

skygames101 - October 12, 2019, 2:20 am

As a new member of HF this helps me out. I'm not too familiar with all the icons, thank you very much ?

SIM-4398566 - October 20, 2019, 9:57 am

That's very useful for new members although for me, most of it was self explanatory.

Think1st - October 20, 2019, 10:08 am

for new members who joined a small walk through of the site would be nice and helpful (= my friend gave this a try a month ago and was confused its easy to understand after 30min or so but people usually give it tops 10min reviewing the site like my friend.

edit - one of those walkthrough of the sites that are skipable to people who know the site already or have a friend help them understand the site but it would help the brand new users

BellaYella - January 8, 2020, 11:59 am

I understand some of them but not all of them

Prince™ - January 8, 2020, 5:11 pm

Definitely yes! Just stick this thread Omni.

ZuGgY - January 9, 2020, 4:45 pm

Yes, if I were new, they would help.

Roytoy - January 10, 2020, 11:04 am

Icons can indeed be overwhelming for newcomers. Fully support this!

Lorem Ipsum - January 10, 2020, 11:08 am

Yes it would! It took me a while to understand what was going on with all the buttons, links and rules.

This photo would help indeed, especially for those who aren't as familiar with the forums layout as others might be.

Nate - January 10, 2020, 9:36 pm

You should put this on the part of registration or on the [Help Docs](#)

tydav - January 11, 2020, 7:39 pm

A user interface should be intuitive - you shouldn't have to explain it like this.

Vyrkfrir - January 12, 2020, 2:24 am

The opening posts pictures are extremely clear and concise. No confusion as to what button does what if this is first referenced.

When I came back from my long break, I had to work out what button does what through trial and error since mobile version of HF does have a mouse over description to show what each button does.

Zero - January 12, 2020, 5:19 am

(Jan 10, 2020 10:36 PM)N?te Wrote: [\[CITE\]](#) You should put this on the part of registration or on the [\[url=//hackforums.net/misc.php?action=help\]Help Docs\[/url\]](#)

I don't think it should be there. Aren't tooltips enough?

SIM-4375709 - January 12, 2020, 7:50 pm

Very useful for new members, thanks man.

essamnagy - January 15, 2020, 12:45 pm

100% yes this would help new members

Tyr - January 17, 2020, 12:38 am

Very nice Omni, thank you for posting this. I was a little overwhelmed when I first joined by the amount of features you guys have over here versus the other Forums in which I came from.

Nate - January 17, 2020, 1:59 am

Great edition, I'm sure this will help many new members out. I know I had a difficult time when I joined. I thought the l33t badge was the head of a penis.

Lansky - January 29, 2020, 10:27 am

This helps a lot, thanks.

POLY MATH - January 29, 2020, 12:04 pm

I'm not sure if this was suggested before but a Mobile Version of this would help new members.

Lrrr - January 29, 2020, 1:17 pm

I'm not new to hf, and this image was very helpful

undergeek - January 30, 2020, 1:03 pm

Not a new member here, but image was still useful

Lorem Ipsum - January 30, 2020, 1:10 pm

(Jan 30, 2020 02:03 PM)undergeek Wrote: [\[CITE\]](#) Not a new member here, but image was still useful
You have literally 1 post and you aren't new? Or do you mean the 4 matching IP's?
I'm not trolling or patronising towards you, but I honestly am confused by "not a new member" when having 1 post and an account less than 1 year old?

Subham biswas - February 6, 2020, 10:41 pm

Sir how to redeem game money???

How can I redeem game money to PayPal ??

Omniscient - February 6, 2020, 10:47 pm

(Feb 6, 2020 11:41 PM)Subham biswas Wrote: [\[CITE\]](#) Sir how to redeem game money???

How can I redeem game money to PayPal ??

You can't. It's not real money. It's a game currency only.

Subham biswas - February 6, 2020, 10:47 pm

(Feb 6, 2020 11:47 PM)Omniscient Wrote: [\[CITE\]](#) You can't. It's not real money. It's a game currency only.

What can I do with that

Can I redeem bytes

?? Please tell

Omniscient - February 7, 2020, 10:27 am

(Feb 6, 2020 11:47 PM)Subham biswas Wrote: [\[CITE\]](#) What can I do with that

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Play the game.

And Bytes are the HF internal rewards system. There are lots of features on HF which use Bytes.

Bank5head - February 13, 2020, 3:31 am

Ok I'm going to be here a while

SNAK - February 13, 2020, 4:04 am

What is the reasoning behind disabling the possibility to trade awards for bytes?

Omniscient - February 13, 2020, 10:17 am

(Feb 13, 2020 05:04 AM)Snak Wrote: [\[CITE\]](#) What is the reasoning behind disabling the possibility to trade awards for bytes?

It diminished the value of awards.

Lrrr - February 13, 2020, 10:38 am

(Feb 13, 2020 11:17 AM)Omniscient Wrote: [\[CITE\]](#) It diminished the value of awards.

It's been 10 years since I had my sights set on the blackhatter award and then one guy was selling it for 100 bucks or something.....sorta fucked up the value for me. I am glad this has stopped.

AMGTech - February 13, 2020, 1:25 pm

It says what they do when you hover over them, took me 30 seconds to work it out lol

Maki_Maki - February 14, 2020, 4:03 am

As a new member I can confirm they are helpful to me

thecricketdew - February 23, 2020, 11:33 am

Hello Hf just started the site.

RootForce - February 23, 2020, 7:31 pm

I haven't been on HF in a long time, but I can confirm these images were helpful.

CmdCeech - March 2, 2020, 5:15 pm

Yes they do, thanks for sharing omni

Maskin - March 3, 2020, 1:57 am

As if you need another person saying yes but I'll say yes

Goku - March 3, 2020, 2:29 am

If you need more UI elements to explain a certain UI element than it's a bad UI/UX design.

Not hating this is how I design my websites.

Make use-cases and try different ways to accomplish that use-case and check what the best UI/UX is for that use-case.

Xerotic - March 3, 2020, 9:15 am

(Mar 3, 2020 03:29 AM)Goku Wrote: [\[CITE\]](#) If you need more UI elements to explain a certain UI element than it's a bad UI/UX design.

I generally agree, in situations like this. If navigation needs to be explained then it really isn't navigation. Non-standard icons with lack of accompanying text makes HF navigation difficult, especially for new members. But you have to remember HF started in 2007. Changes have to be gradual otherwise we risk disenfranchising older members.

Omniscient - March 3, 2020, 12:35 pm

Quote:If you need more UI elements to explain a certain UI element than it's a bad UI/UX design.

We continue to work on improvements. Lots of adjustments have been made since this thread was created 7 months ago.

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Goku - March 3, 2020, 3:06 pm

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I do HF credit for having one of the best forum design.

Keep the ideas coming and do it like how you are doing it right now, in steps.

I like seeing small changes and it's easier to revert when things don't work.

In the 4 years I've been here I've been generally happy with the changes, I do miss the ol' emojis :c

Kim_Maria_K - March 5, 2020, 11:32 am

I came across HackForums while searching for a 7-Eleven Rewards app hack. I am so glad that I came across this site. I wish I had've known about this site years ago when I was still in my 20's, would've saved me time, patience and nerves!

iNviZ - March 5, 2020, 4:05 pm

(Mar 5, 2020 12:32 PM)Kim_Maria_K Wrote: [\[CITE\]](#) I came across HackForums while searching for a 7-Eleven Rewards app hack. I am so glad that I came across this site. I wish I had've known about this site years ago when I was still in my 20's, would've saved me time, patience and nerves!

Hey well welcome to Hf buddy. Hope you enjoy it here. Great staff and great community.

You have any questions feel free to start a convo with me.

ramadanza - April 22, 2020, 2:46 pm

Thanks for this info, very helpful

SaintJimmy - April 22, 2020, 8:34 pm

Quick question: Why was the UserCP link removed from the forum header? It was at a really convenient place. Now whenever I need to get into UserCP, I have to manually type the link in address bar. Could it be added back please? [Omniscient](#)

Xerotic - April 23, 2020, 12:07 am

(Apr 22, 2020 08:34 PM)SaintJimmy Wrote: [\[CITE\]](#) Quick question: Why was the UserCP link removed from the forum header? It was at a really convenient place. Now whenever I need to get into UserCP, I have to manually type the link in address bar. Could it be added back please?

[Omniscient](#)

Just use the existing link.

SaintJimmy - April 23, 2020, 12:16 am

(Apr 23, 2020 12:07 AM)Xerotic Wrote: [\[CITE\]](#) Just use the existing link.

Thanks for pointing it out. I always over looked at that option, most likely because it said 'Account' instead of UserCP.

Athr - April 23, 2020, 4:39 am

Thank you. Helps me understand the new UI.

Sam Winchester - April 23, 2020, 5:22 am

It helps someone like me who is returning to the site after a long time of inactivity as well. The site has changed a lot since I was last active.

maverickbest33RR - April 23, 2020, 9:12 pm

thank you for the stuff!!

pup_solar - May 10, 2020, 2:53 am

this definitely helps out!

SuperLover - May 11, 2020, 6:57 am

Yes, all this info helps. When I made my account - I was really impressed by the ease of finding information. And the simple way it was all explained. :)

ragedomen - June 6, 2020, 1:21 pm

wasent really helpfull but still something about the side

SoulZeh - June 6, 2020, 1:29 pm

(Jun 6, 2020 01:21 PM)ragedomen Wrote: [\[CITE\]](#) wasent really helpfull but still something about the side

What was it that you didn't find helpful? If you could elaborate I'll try my best to explain or even find threads that have full explanations about it.

Cooligan - June 6, 2020, 5:59 pm

(Jun 6, 2020 01:21 PM)ragedomen Wrote: [\[CITE\]](#) wasent really helpfull but still something about the side

I'm also curious what part was confusing to understand?

This feedback could help future new members.

Nate - June 8, 2020, 11:22 am

You make this in paint?

never the less, this helped me out and I've been here for almost 10 years.

lurdslurv - June 25, 2020, 4:40 pm

Thank you for sharing the post. It really helped. I mean the picture

+Haze - July 4, 2020, 4:07 pm

Although I'm not a new user, I can give some insight that is valuable. So I used to be a very active member but then I became very inactive from the years 2015-2019. During my inactive period, the forum changed so much that I struggle to readjust when I started casually browsing the forum again.

1)

In my opinion, a lot about the forum isn't very intuitive as there are lots of new changes that I find confusing. I actually think the "new" forum has a bit of a learning curve to it. It has so much going on

that for a newbie, I think it would be hard to quickly understand all the different facets of this forum at a glance.

Personally, in my opinion I feel like the forum is doing too much at once, and a lot of features just don't feel coherent. For example, there's just to name a few, but features such as contracts, bytes, games, lottery, scratchcards, vendors, the overlap of chats & messages etc. They all feel like just one tool that does many things.

2)

In reference to this image

<https://i.imgur.com/TouoOj5.jpg>

Some of the things I remember struggle to quickly understand at a glance was the "Your threads" and "Your posts" icon, and this was because the icons are not really representative of what they are. I also think there's a lot going on in the top navbar, there's too many icons and unless you hover over them, it's not always obvious what they do by just looking at them. I think this is usually the problem with icon navbars, sometimes an icon cannot always convey a word.

3)

Also, another thing I find confusing is the new user profile. In my opinion it's too complicated and has a lot going on with it.

For example, <https://prnt.sc/tbxwdr>

I feel like at the beginning, at a glance, I didn't really know what that section was for. It feels too packed with lots of visually overwhelming content.

4) Finally, in my opinion it feels like these new changes were just developed by backend developers that don't really have UI/UX skills. So it would be worth while having a front-end developer and designer that have good UI/UX design skills. In addition, it would be worth having a group of testers. Users that would do "User-acceptance testing", whereby you'd ask them to do a specific task and gauge how they perform and tweak your website according to their feedback.

Overall, I feel like these new changes were being forced onto an "old design" and that's probably everything feels clunky. What might be worth while exploring is completely redesigning the UI of the forum from the ground up. Take a look at for example Discourse and see perhaps how they are handling things.

There's a lot more I can explain and go into detail about, and I know my writing isn't that coherent, because I'm feeling lazy. I can explain in more detail if anyone thinks my feedback would add any value.

Edit: By the way, I intentionally didn't read any of the previous posts on the thread before posting just so I am not influenced by any external factors.

Banter. - July 5, 2020, 12:17 pm

Just incase anyone missed these. Should help anyone finding it hard to see the red.

If requested I can make a more upto date images.

Larrygg008 - July 12, 2020, 9:43 pm

I find this very helpful with the understanding of the icons this very thread has made it more understood.

Michael Capers - August 14, 2020, 10:31 am

I'm new trying to get it fam

super_admin - October 6, 2020, 10:58 pm

yes, this is really useful thread!

Starks - October 6, 2020, 11:00 pm

I find them very helpful, especially to new members in the house.

gartfield06 - October 11, 2020, 7:50 pm

Thanks for sharing this info bro, very useful

Ammit91 - October 13, 2020, 9:50 am

hello everyone i just joined this fantastic family

Xerotic - October 13, 2020, 9:59 am

(Oct 13, 2020 09:50 AM)Ammit91 Wrote: [\[CITE\]](#) hello everyone i just joined this fantastic family Welcome. Feel free to make a thread in <https://hackforums.net/forumdisplay.php?fid=364> to introduce yourself to HF.

djrundi - November 2, 2020, 2:14 am

Hi there. I'm not sure I understand how does this work

Tyr - November 3, 2020, 2:04 pm

(Nov 2, 2020 03:14 AM)djrundi Wrote: [\[CITE\]](#) Hi there. I'm not sure I understand how does this work Unsure what you aren't understanding...

Think of it like a cheat sheet for navigating the forums until you eventually get the hang of getting around. That's pretty much what I did when I first joined. I do apologize if there's a language barrier. Sometimes this can be tough. :/

Have you read the official [Help Documents?](#) You can pretty much find everything there that will help you out on your journey. Best of luck to you and welcome to the board.

On a side note, I really think this thread should be pinned in this section but ultimately that's up to the staff and there's probably a reason why it isn't.

Jinu - November 3, 2020, 10:13 pm

This kind of thing should be introduced to the new members as a forum "Walkthrough Tour" after their registration. This will reduce unwanted thread creations.

Sangria - November 19, 2020, 3:21 pm

I wanna say simply thanks :)

Retired Entrepreneur - November 20, 2020, 5:27 pm

The images did not do much for me, because everything is already very obvious as is. I don't know how the mobile experience will be but on desktop everything looks great.

What I don't understand yet is the eggs, but I'm a quick learner which helps.

Nitrix - November 20, 2020, 11:25 pm

(Nov 20, 2020 09:40 PM)xadamxk Wrote: [\[CITE\]](#) Wow that is a great idea. [Xerotic](#) should implement that!

Did you just quote yourself ? ?

That's a great idea though! Definitely would help tons of members!

Omniscient - November 21, 2020, 6:49 am

That introjs looks really cool. I'll speak to Xerotic about implementation.

mrnapolean1 - November 30, 2020, 5:18 am

It also helps for members who have taken a break from HF or have been off the site.

Lucero - November 30, 2020, 8:54 am

I think that Hackforums has done a lot already and is as user friendly as it can get, most forums are not at this level.

Canbefast888 - January 4, 2021, 2:01 am

Oh what ease of mind I have now , thanks to all the great insight and outgoing people , just wanting to enjoy life and coexist.... That's alot in it's self.. nice to be home ?.. I'm interested in everything and all but mostly how to HACK AND TO BE DAMN GOOD AT IT... tired of needing a camera to watch my camera, sorta say... I am grateful to meet everyone.

Lotheyknow - May 17, 2021, 1:03 pm

Does anyone know how to jailbreak a jp5s tablet?

[\$(5)\$] - May 17, 2021, 6:50 pm

(May 17, 2021 01:03 PM)Lotheyknow Wrote: [\[CITE\]](#) Does anyone know how to jailbreak a jp5s tablet?

I am not sure, but you're going to be better off viewing/posting in this subforum -> [Mobile Smartphones](#)

Or from the homepage, click the 'Tech' tab to see the applicable forums.

Omniscient - July 22, 2021, 1:02 pm

This is outdated with our new interface. May need someone to make new images.

flavoral - July 22, 2021, 1:34 pm

(Jul 22, 2021 01:02 PM)Omniscient Wrote: [\[CITE\]](#) This is outdated with our new interface. May need someone to make new images.

A quick updated version that you might able to use as place holder till you make a more detailed one.

Hopefully I didn't forget anything.

Lrrr - July 22, 2021, 11:56 pm

(Jul 22, 2021 10:49 PM)-Scrub Wrote: [\[CITE\]](#) I believe if new members take the time to look at this thread things will be a lot easier for them .

We should add the contest of this thread to the main help doc that way when people spam [help] in introduction the new user will see some very helpful screen shots and information that noobs will want to know.

Djpleochroic - August 13, 2021, 2:09 pm

Hey ppl, Djpleochroic here shouting out to yall members here, have a great day : ?

Missy - January 27, 2022, 11:15 pm

This is way too confusing for me. All I was trying to do was learn how to jailbreak the jp6s tablet. I guess I am too far behind times to be able to do it. I don't even know who to ask for help.

Cyam - January 28, 2022, 5:51 am

(Jan 28, 2022 12:15 AM)Missy Wrote: [\[CITE\]](#) This is way too confusing for me. All I was trying to do was learn how to jailbreak the jp6s tablet. I guess I am too far behind times to be able to do it. I don't even know who to ask for help.

<https://hackforums.net/showthread.php?tid=6177104>

Try asking this guy for help.

Sky - January 28, 2022, 8:53 pm

(Jan 28, 2022 12:15 AM)Missy Wrote: [\[CITE\]](#) This is way too confusing for me. All I was trying to do was learn how to jailbreak the jp6s tablet. I guess I am too far behind times to be able to do it. I don't even know who to ask for help.

Talk to [Joe](#) or [TeamAndroid](#) they'll have exactly what you're looking for.

TeamAndroid - January 28, 2022, 8:57 pm

(Jan 28, 2022 12:15 AM)Missy Wrote: [\[CITE\]](#) This is way too confusing for me. All I was trying to do was learn how to jailbreak the jp6s tablet. I guess I am too far behind times to be able to do it. I don't even know who to ask for help.

Hey I see you're needing help with a jp6. I know it can look confusing but JTS not as bad as it seems. Are you the owner of the tablet or are you asking for someone else?

Joe - January 28, 2022, 9:09 pm

Did someone summon me?

(Jan 28, 2022 12:15 AM)Missy Wrote: [\[CITE\]](#) This is way too confusing for me. All I was trying to do was learn how to jailbreak the jp6s tablet. I guess I am too far behind times to be able to do it. I don't even know who to ask for help.

Check the link in my signature.

Missy - January 29, 2022, 12:42 pm

I don't know if this is where I can get some help or not. I am trying to find someone who can help. I am trying to jailbreak the jp6s tablet. So far I can't find anyone who can help.

Does anyone know how to jailbreak the jp6s tablet?

TeamAndroid - January 29, 2022, 1:20 pm

(Jan 29, 2022 01:42 PM)Missy Wrote: [\[CITE\]](#) I don't know if this is where I can get some help or not. I am trying to find someone who can help. I am trying to jailbreak the jp6s tablet. So far I can't find anyone who can help.

Does anyone know how to jailbreak the jp6s tablet?

2 of has told you we could already.

Missy - January 29, 2022, 1:33 pm

I found Joe anonymous guy. I don't know how to talk to him directly yet. I have been incarcerated since 1995 and I am struggling a little to navigate this site. Please forgive me.

It's my tablet. Looks like it's going to be my curse too. I just wanted to take to someone before I get scammed again.

Sky - January 30, 2022, 6:30 am

(Jan 29, 2022 02:33 PM)Missy Wrote: [\[CITE\]](#) I found Joe anonymous guy. I don't know how to talk to him directly yet. I have been incarcerated since 1995 and I am struggling a little to navigate this site. Please forgive me.

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You have to reach a certain amount of posts before you can send Private Messages. Go make some posts around the forum and then you can reply to him. Just be sure to make quality posts, as spam posting can get you in trouble.

We recommend you take the time to read the [HF Help Documents](#) section. The answer to your questions should be contained in there.

hackerm0m - February 3, 2022, 5:12 pm

No but I can't figure out how to change my username. Am I unable to while mobile?

icole - February 3, 2022, 5:19 pm

(Feb 3, 2022 06:12 PM)hackerm0m Wrote: [\[CITE\]](#) No but I can't figure out how to change my username. Am I unable to while mobile?

Try using this link; <https://hackforums.net/usercp.php?action=changenname>

Kuldamor - February 10, 2022, 2:08 pm

This is a very interesting post for me, a beginner. Are here some tips? :P

Vladimir Lenin - February 12, 2022, 8:34 am

Useful info. I guess you are the forum admin. Thanks

Los Zetas - February 14, 2022, 9:56 pm

This helps a lot, thanks.

jamesjacobyte - March 9, 2022, 2:08 am

Hey this is exactly what i needed! thanks a lot for the time/effort, you deffinetly saved me some!

iconv32 - July 9, 2022, 8:19 pm

Thank you so very much for the help to the UI. I am very much appreciative of this :-)

foxwalker - July 17, 2022, 8:32 am

I find it absolutely helpful. The images make it so much easier to navigate.

tripwire - August 14, 2022, 10:33 am

helpful thanks, will check around

source - August 14, 2022, 4:55 pm

This thread should almost be stickied, could help a lot of new members navigate the site!

A few updates could be added to this as well as far as the branch-cite feature and more.

Adding images for mobile users might benefit a lot of people as well, It took me a while to figure it out my self.

Signixgroup - August 15, 2022, 1:45 am

i'm new, really interested in meeting the community here and looking around ??

Omniscient - August 15, 2022, 12:18 pm

It would be fantastic if a member could update these and also provide the mobile versions.

source - August 15, 2022, 3:32 pm

@Omniscient@ Hope this helps a bit , Sorry for large images!

Mobile View Introduction:

Main Navigation:

Spoiler [\(Click to View\)](#)

Navigate Part One and Part Two menus:

Spoiler [\(Click to View\)](#)

Personal:

Spoiler [\(Click to View\)](#)

Market:

Spoiler [\(Click to View\)](#)

Games:

Spoiler [\(Click to View\)](#)

Posts:

Spoiler [\(Click to View\)](#)

I can resize images if they are too large, appears to be fine for viewing on mobile if in spoilers

The newish branch cite feature can be found here

<https://hackforums.net/showthread.php?tid=6158061&highlight=branch>

Jamestown - August 23, 2022, 1:02 pm

New to Hackforums

Thanks

-Jamestown

zTriLo - August 23, 2022, 3:52 pm

Not a new member to HF just new credentials. Whats popping now a days? I got out of prison and forgot my shit lmao.

AccountCenter - August 23, 2022, 3:58 pm

thanks for this thread, it is pretty usefull

firewalla1337 - September 24, 2022, 1:28 pm

Hello,

Thanks for the info!

tdots - November 5, 2022, 4:44 am

thanks a lot admin the hacking link not working on pm tho

ryuk690 - November 5, 2022, 10:19 am

THANKS FOR YOUR WORK IS VERY PROFESSIONAL FORUM

CADA - November 12, 2022, 6:52 am

Thank you admin. Will look it over.

EndryNoNames - November 28, 2022, 8:30 am

Thanks for showing this bro

amorphouz578 - November 28, 2022, 3:06 pm

Thanks for the post. Look forward to using the site

beetlebug - December 5, 2022, 10:47 am

useful thread, was really confused before reading it, lol

amphi - December 6, 2022, 1:04 am

I really dont know where to ask this, but i cant make a thread anywhere now on hf??

is it something with my account? or are these some new rules where not upgraded members cant post

Michael - December 6, 2022, 1:10 am

(Dec 6, 2022 02:04 AM)amphi Wrote: [\[CITE\]](#) I really dont know where to ask this, but i cant make a thread anywhere now on hf??

is it something with my account? or are these some new rules where not upgraded members cant post

Check this out, might give you more information on this:

<https://hackforums.net/showthread.php?tid=6228166>

amphi - December 6, 2022, 1:28 am

(Dec 6, 2022 02:10 AM)Michael Wrote: [\[CITE\]](#) Check this out, might give you more information on this:

<https://hackforums.net/showthread.php?tid=6228166>

Wow what a shit move. Did omni got greedy or did his crypto wallets dropped in value since all the crypto got down and he had to compensate?

Stopping spam my ass!

"We got spam what we do????? Just dont let anyone post anymore!" Great move! Wtf is this an exclusive site now? This will just make users go to the other big forums.

How are other forums stopping spam? Maybe he should learn from them

Omniscient - December 6, 2022, 10:24 am

(Dec 6, 2022 02:28 AM)amphi Wrote: [\[CITE\]](#) Wow what a shit move. Did omni got greedy or did his crypto wallets dropped in value since all the crypto got down and he had to compensate?

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I guess he didn't want to address the scams that have basically stopped too. Scam Spam is way down, almost non-existent now. Means our community is the safest for new members and that HF is a dead zone for scammers looking for fresh victims. No fucks given what this clown thinks.

Hb41 - December 7, 2022, 2:43 am

Thank you for the icon tips.

Qwsd6 - December 12, 2022, 3:12 am

Hey very helpful thanks OP

Insanium - December 14, 2022, 11:06 am

Okay thanks, i havent used this forum in a long time and made a new account on it

SIM-3221368 - December 14, 2022, 2:17 pm

Why am I unable to post in certain sections again?

Omniscient - December 14, 2022, 2:37 pm

(Dec 14, 2022 03:17 PM)Yogobro298 Wrote: [\[CITE\]](#) Why am I unable to post in certain sections again?

You are not upgraded. There are new restrictions.

mycroftcanner - December 15, 2022, 11:43 am

(Dec 14, 2022 03:37 PM)Admin Wrote: [\[CITE\]](#) You are not upgraded. There are new restrictions.

This may be a silly question: Upgrade can be purchased with bytes, right? So how do I post/reply to earn bytes...to upgrade...if I need to upgrade to post/reply?

Nostre - December 16, 2022, 11:29 am

(Dec 15, 2022 12:43 PM)mycroftcanner Wrote: [\[CITE\]](#) This may be a silly question: Upgrade can be purchased with bytes, right? So how do I post/reply to earn bytes...to upgrade...if I need to upgrade to post/reply?

[RE: Non-Upgrade Members Can't Post](#) (Review thread as a whole)

[RE: Yesterday i lost 42k bytes](#)

[MYPS FAQ](#)

You can enter [contests](#) as well to fund your upgrade and view the [Currency Exchange](#) subforum to purchase enough bytes toward an upgrade.

Omniscient - December 16, 2022, 3:37 pm

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purchased with bytes, right? So how do I post/reply to earn bytes...to upgrade...if I need to upgrade to post/reply?

You can post in Social tab. It's possible to be active and earn enough Bytes to get the 60 day I33t upgrade. Or you can just pay \$18 and get the 6 month, which does include a Bytes Bonus Boost and through continued activity you may be able to perpetually earn enough Bytes to re-order the 60 day byte upgrade into L33t.

We will be adding other methods for new members to earn Bytes as well.

massive - December 19, 2022, 3:41 pm

thank you for these informations :)

mycroftcanner - December 19, 2022, 7:42 pm

(Dec 16, 2022 04:37 PM)Admin Wrote: [\[CITE\]](#) You can post in Social tab. It's possible to be active and earn enough Bytes to get the 60 day I33t upgrade. Or you can just pay \$18 and get the 6 month, which does include a Bytes Bonus Boost and through continued activity you may be able to perpetually earn enough Bytes to re-order the 60 day byte upgrade into L33t.

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So here's my situation, specifically. There are a couple threads in which I'd already been participating that I now can no longer post/reply to. And by this logic I should go post in threads in which I have no interest or involvement (which flirts with the definition of spam) in order to return to the thread(s) on the topic(s) which interest me. Or...pay money. Do I have that right?

Omniscient - December 21, 2022, 12:31 pm

(Dec 19, 2022 08:42 PM)mycroftcanner Wrote: [\[CITE\]](#) So here's my situation, specifically. There are a couple threads in which I'd already been participating that I now can no longer post/reply to. And by this logic I should go post in threads in which I have no interest or involvement (which flirts with the definition of spam) in order to return to the thread(s) on the topic(s) which interest me. Or...pay money. Do I have that right?

You have it right.

But let's cut the bullshit.

<https://hackforums.net/showthread.php?tid=6202655&pid=61756114#pid61756114>

Your posts are FUCKING CRAP. You made 2 posts that contributed absolutely nothing. Your most quality post was actually in this thread complaining that you can't shit post in other sections.

Fuck you. Fuck you. Fuck you.

Criticizing my decisions. Fuck you.

You're a piece of shit.

tattootim22 - December 21, 2022, 5:57 pm

this does help but how do i get bytes for this marketplace? also do i only need 10 post to be able to actually post replies on major fourms?

cometido - December 23, 2022, 6:12 am

thanks i need to figure out how make a threat

Nostre - December 23, 2022, 8:02 am

(Dec 21, 2022 06:57 PM)tattootim22 Wrote: [\[CITE\]](#) this does help but how do i get bytes for this marketplace? also do i only need 10 post to be able to actually post replies on major forums? You need to be an upgraded member to post in other forums however, you can make posts in the [Social tab](#) for now.
[Non-Upgrade Members Can't Post](#)

Also, below will give you more information as regards to Bytes.
[MYPS FAQ](#)

(Dec 23, 2022 07:12 AM)cometido Wrote: [\[CITE\]](#) thanks i need to figure out how make a threat You cannot create threads unless you're an upgraded member. You're able to post within the [Social tab](#).

sisko - December 31, 2022, 3:57 pm
Greatly appreciate this, helps alot.

promotifex - December 31, 2022, 6:28 pm
I am a new member, just signed up tonight. I spent the first hour or so fairly confused but I'm very glad to have found this, it is most certainly very helpful. I now have a better understanding of how to actually reply, where I can post and the limitations of my account until I am an upgraded member. Thank You admin for posting this. And if I may say, I'm extremely grateful to be here and I'm eager to learn as much as a possibly can. Happy holidays everyone!

The Pact - January 2, 2023, 6:36 pm
(Aug 20, 2019 11:56 AM)Admin Wrote: [\[CITE\]](#) Do these images help you?

I personally hate everything on the internet changing to symbols, so if I were new I would appreciate it, although it's a little ugly. But I think the helpfulness transcends the ugly. Well it's only ugly because the red clashes with the green font of Hack Forums.

Surfer666 - January 4, 2023, 1:30 pm
To what I see design of forum seems slightly different than in screenshots, but most of it is helpful, thanks!

Omniscient - January 5, 2023, 9:56 am
Thanks to [Nostre](#) for giving me updated images.

If anyone else wants to make more images for new members go for it on other pages just PM me.

Komodo - January 5, 2023, 11:46 am
Great idea for getting new images to make it easier on new members [Nostre](#)

Comedyschizo - January 6, 2023, 5:06 am
Hey guys! I know that the forum is full of guides and ebooks to make money, but we all know that 99% of them are bullshit.

Here's my situation: I don't expect easy money. I want to learn, I want to learn a skill over a few months and then make money. I don't expect to just push a few buttons and be rich.

But I still need a direction, a guide. What do I do, what should I learn? I'm unhinged at this point I'm

so desperate, so I'm fully on board with black hat things. I'm a 27 year old unemployed with no prospects and no money in a third world country, so I'm willing to learn and do illegal shit as well. Thank you!

indra - January 6, 2023, 8:08 am

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Ratting, Stealing credit cards, run a money laundering scheme, pyramid scheme, a really believable crypto scheme, something illegal irl as in robbing some jewelry stores or banks which would be surprisingly easy with some help and planning if you really do live in a 3rd world country, learn actual hacking and not any of that hollywood bullshit and become a pentester which pays really good for 3rd world standards even if you're a beginner, develop websites as many ppl are inexperienced and overpay and for a 3rd world person it can become very lucrative, and the list goes on...

sonar - January 6, 2023, 2:59 pm

Thanks this helped alot. <3

There is certain threads I cant reply on, Do I need to upgrade my account or something?

Nostre - January 6, 2023, 5:38 pm

(Jan 6, 2023 03:59 PM)sonar Wrote: [\[CITE\]](#) Thanks this helped alot. <3

There is certain threads I cant reply on, Do I need to upgrade my account or something?

Yes, you would need to [upgrade](#) if you want fewer restrictions and more access. You can reply to threads in the [Marketplace](#), [Money](#) and [Social](#) tabs for now. You can learn more about it [here](#). I recommend thoroughly reading the thread as updates were posted as well.

Comedyschizo - January 7, 2023, 3:37 am

(Jan 6, 2023 09:08 AM)indra Wrote: [\[CITE\]](#) Ratting, Stealing credit cards, run a money laundering scheme, pyramid scheme, a really believable crypto scheme, something illegal irl as in robbing some jewelry stores or banks which would be surprisingly easy with some help and planning if you really do live in a 3rd world country, learn actual hacking and not any of that hollywood bullshit and become a pentester which pays really good for 3rd world standards even if you're a beginner, develop websites as many ppl are inexperienced and overpay and for a 3rd world person it can become very lucrative, and the list goes on...

Wow, thanks so much for the reply!

Which one of these would be the most feasible/realistic, while also being very profitable? Stuff like pyramid schemes and money laundering or crypto schemes are way too unrealistic unfortunately.

Andrew45 - January 8, 2023, 3:57 am

(Aug 20, 2019 11:56 AM)Admin Wrote: [\[CITE\]](#) Do these images help you?

Its really help me alot when I registered on this site.

reconrider88 - January 8, 2023, 2:32 pm

is there any reasoning behind why i cant post anywhere now? i used to come in and out from time to time and i came in a couple weeks ago and i cant post anywhere but here it seems now.

strawberrysbaby69 - January 8, 2023, 8:57 pm

This is really helpful thanks

StuffSneak - January 9, 2023, 3:02 am

(Jan 8, 2023 03:32 PM)reconrider88 Wrote: [\[CITE\]](#) is there any reasoning behind why i cant post anywhere now? i used to come in and out from time to time and i came in a couple weeks ago and i cant post anywhere but here it seems now.

You should be able to post everywhere since you are upgraded.

Non-upgraded users are restricted to few sections.

reconrider88 - January 9, 2023, 3:17 am

(Jan 9, 2023 04:02 AM)StuffSneak Wrote: [\[CITE\]](#) You should be able to post everywhere since you are upgraded.

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Yea I realized that once I went back through and read some of the reply here. Thanks though

Omniscient - January 17, 2023, 8:32 pm

Updated the images in first post to reflect better highlighted text color. Thanks to [Cyam](#) for that. Also gonna stick this for now.

OMSPK - January 17, 2023, 8:37 pm

Images are extremely helpful for new members. Even though this thread is a few years old at this point, great job and good thinking.

Omniscient - January 17, 2023, 8:38 pm

(Jan 17, 2023 09:37 PM)OMSPK Wrote: [\[CITE\]](#) Images are extremely helpful for new members. Even though this thread is a few years old at this point, great job and good thinking.

You make a good point. I'll start a new thread.

Nz1W0rm - September 17, 2023, 11:27 am

I'm a newbie here, and it's really helpful for me to know the meaning of the buttons, the original question i wanna know about is how to post a thread, i just tried to post my first thread and it failed

DashPHP - September 17, 2023, 1:07 pm

(Sep 17, 2023 11:27 AM)Nz1W0rm Wrote: [\[CITE\]](#) I'm a newbie here, and it's really helpful for me to know the meaning of the buttons, the original question i wanna know about is how to post a thread, i just tried to post my first thread and it failed

Where did you try and create a thread? Some areas of this forum are restricted to upgraded members only.

Nz1W0rm - September 17, 2023, 1:38 pm

(Sep 17, 2023 01:07 PM)DashPHP Wrote: [\[CITE\]](#) Where did you try and create a thread? Some

areas of this forum are restricted to upgraded members only.

After I push the [+] button to create a new thread, it shows a dialog and tell me nowhere to post, but it solved now

Thatguybob858 - *September 18, 2023, 6:07 pm*

Thanks for the post. Definitely on point

galaxy050 - *October 5, 2023, 5:11 am*

Thanks you for this post !

kyballin - *July 5, 2024, 5:47 pm*

how to dox with phone number and name?

injxector - *December 8, 2024, 4:40 am*

thank u sm for the information

lucz - *January 5, 2025, 7:15 pm*

wow very helpful, much info

SIM-5604220 - *February 13, 2025, 6:09 am*

Very helpful for the mobile & desktop view.