

WordPress Cheat Sheet

Basic Template files	
style.css	Style sheet file
index.php	Home page file
single.php	Single post page file
archive.php	Archive/category file
searchform.php	Search form file
search.php	Search content file
404.php	Error page file
comments.php	Comments template file
footer.php	Footer content file
header.php	Header content file
sidebar.php	Sidebar content file
page.php	Single page file

PHP Snippets for Templates	
<?php the_content(); ?>	Content of the posts
<?php if(have_posts()) : ?>	Check if there are posts
<?phpwhile(have_posts()) : the_post(); ?>	Show posts if posts are available
<?php endwhile; ?>	Closes the 'while' PHP function
<?php endif; ?>	Header.php file's content
<?php get_header(); ?>	Footer.php file's content
<?php get_sidebar(); ?>	The date in '08-18-07' format
<?php get_footer(); ?>	Link for the comments on the post
<?php the_time('m-d-y') ?>	Title of a specific post or page
<?phpcomments_popup_link(); ?>	Url of a specific post or page
<?php the_title(); ?>	Category of a specific post or page
<?php the_permalink() ?>	Author of a specific post or page
<?php the_category(', ') ?>	ID of a specific post or page
<?php the_author(); ?>	Link to edit a specific post or page
<?php the_ID(); ?>	Links from the blogroll
<?php edit_post_link(); ?>	Comments.php file's content
<?php get_links_list(); ?>	List of pages for the site
<?php comments_template(); ?>	List of categories for the site
<?php wp_list_pages(); ?>	Url to the next post
<?php wp_list_cats(); ?>	The built-in calendar
<?php next_post_link(' %link '); ?>	url to the next post
<?php previous_post_link(' %link '); ?>	Url to the previous post
<?php get_calendar(); ?>	The built-in calendar
<?php wp_get_archives(); ?>	List of archives for the site
<?php posts_nav_link(); ?>	Next and previous post link
<?php bloginfo('description'); ?>	Site's description

The Loop	
<?php if (have_posts());?>	
<?php while(have_posts()); the_post();?>	
// Post content here (Custom HTML & PHP code)	
<?php else;?>	
<?php endif;?>	

PHP Snippets for Header	
<?php bloginfo('name');?>	Title of the site
<?php wp_title(); ?>	Title of the specific post or page
<?php bloginfo('stylesheet_url'); ?>	The style.css file's location
<?php bloginfo('pingback_url'); ?>	Pingback URL for this site
<?php bloginfo('template_url'); ?>	Location for the site's theme files
<?php bloginfo('version'); ?>	WordPress version for the site
<?php bloginfo('atom_url'); ?>	Atom URL for the site
<?php bloginfo('rss2_url'); ?>	RSS2 URL for the site
<?php bloginfo('url'); ?>	Exact URL for the site
<?php bloginfo('name'); ?>	Name of the site
<?php bloginfo('html_type'); ?>	HTML version of the site
<?php bloginfo('charset'); ?>	Charset paramter of this site

Navigation Menu	
Category Based Navigation	
<ul id="menu">	
<li <?php if(is_home()) { ?> class="current-cat" < ?php } ?>>	
<a href="<?php bloginfo('home'); ?>">Home	
< ?php wp_list_categories('title_li=&orderby=id'); ?>	
	
Pages Based Navigation	
<ul id="menu">	
<li <?php if(is_home()) { ?> class="current_page_item" < ?php } ?>>	
<a href="<?php bloginfo('home'); ?>">home	
< ?php wp_list_pages('sort_column=menu_order&depth=1&title_li="'); ?>	
	

Extra Stuff	
/%postname%/	Custom permalinks
<?php include(TEMPLATEPATH. `/'x'); ?>	Include any file (1)
<?php the_search_query(); ?>	Value for search form
<?php_e('Message'); ?>	Prints out message
<?php wp_register(); ?>	Displays the register link
<?php wp_loginout(); ?>	Displays the login/logout link (2)
<!--next page-->	Divides the content into pages
<!--more-->	Cuts off the content and adds a link to the rest of the content
<?php wp_meta(); ?>	Meta for administrators
<?php timer_stop(1); ?>	Time to load the page
<?php echo get_num_queries(); ?>	Queries to load the page

(1) Replace x with file name (2) Only for registered users