

===== Welcome to your new DokuWiki =====

Congratulations, your wiki is now up and running. Here are a few more tips to get you started.

Enjoy your work with DokuWiki,\ -- the developers

===== Create your first pages =====

Your wiki needs to have a start page. As long as it doesn't exist, this link will be red: [\[:start\]](#).

Go on, follow that link and create the page. If you need help with using the syntax you can always refer to the [\[\[wiki:syntax|syntax page\]\]](#).

You might also want to use a sidebar. To create it, just edit the [\[:sidebar\]](#) page. Everything in that page will be shown in a margin column on the side. Read our [\[\[doku>faq:sidebar|FAQ on sidebars\]\]](#) to learn more.

Please be aware that not all templates support sidebars.

===== Customize your Wiki =====

Once you're comfortable with creating and editing pages you might want to have a look at the [\[\[this>doku.php?do=admin&page=config|configuration settings\]\]](#) (be sure to login as superuser first).

You may also want to see what [\[\[doku>plugins|plugins\]\]](#) and [\[\[doku>templates|templates\]\]](#) are available at DokuWiki.org to extend the functionality and looks of your DokuWiki installation.

===== Join the Community =====

DokuWiki is an Open Source project that thrives through user contributions. A good way to stay informed on what's going on and to get useful tips in using DokuWiki is subscribing to the [\[\[doku>newsletter\]\]](#).

The [\[\[http://forum.dokuwiki.org|DokuWiki User Forum\]\]](http://forum.dokuwiki.org) is an excellent way to get in contact with other DokuWiki users and is just one of the many ways to get [\[\[doku>faq:support|support\]\]](#).

Of course we'd be more than happy to have you [\[\[doku>teams:getting_involved|getting involved\]\]](#) with DokuWiki.