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The Settings page is where you maintain your own account details after you sign in. Open **Your Settings** when you need to change your profile picture URL, username, bio, email, or password. The page is available at `/settings`.

The profile page links your own profile to this task through **Edit Profile Settings**. The settings page supports creating, reading, and updating user information; it does not provide a delete operation.

If you need to...	Go to
Open the settings form	Open Your Settings
Identify a field or control	Understand the Settings screen
Change your account details	Save your settings
Change your password	Change your password
Sign out	Sign out
Review the profile entry point	View a profile

Before you start

Your account settings are personal details associated with the signed-in user. You need to be signed in before opening the Settings page, and you need the details you want to enter before you begin.

Prerequisites

- You are signed in.
- You have the profile picture URL, username, bio, email, or new password you want to enter.
- You know which details you want to leave unchanged.

The form loads the current user's details when that user is available. The page does not use a conditional field rule, so the same five settings fields are part of the form.

Open Your Settings

Use **Edit Profile Settings** from your own profile, or open the authenticated `/settings` route directly.

Steps

1. Choose one entry path:

If you need to...	Select or use
Open settings from your own profile	Select Edit Profile Settings .
Open the authenticated route directly	Open <code>/settings</code> .

Result: The Settings form opens with the five settings fields and its account controls.

Understand the Settings screen

The Settings screen is a single form for your profile details and password. Its fields are the places where you enter the values you want to maintain.

Field	Use it to...	Input type
URL of profile picture	Enter the address of your profile picture.	Text
Username	Enter your username.	Text
Short bio about you	Enter your short biography.	Text area
Email	Enter your email address.	Email
New Password	Enter a new password.	Password

Select **Update Settings** to submit the form. While a submission is in progress, the form fields are disabled. The page also provides **Or click here to logout.** below the form.

Save your settings

Change one or more details in **Your Settings** when needed. Leave a detail as it is when you do not want to change it.

Prerequisites

- **Your Settings** is open.
- You know which values to enter.

Steps

1. Enter the profile picture address in **URL of profile picture** when you want to change it.
2. Enter the account name in **Username** when you want to change it.
3. Enter your description in **Short bio about you** when you want to change it.
4. Enter your address in **Email** when you want to change it.
5. Enter a new password in **New Password** when you want to change it.
6. Select **Update Settings**.
7. Review the returned user's profile.

The password field is included in the form, but an empty password is removed from the update request. A successful update uses the returned user information and takes you to that user's profile.

Note: Leave **New Password** empty when you are not changing the password.

Result: Your settings are submitted, and a successful update opens the returned user's profile.

Choose an account-maintenance branch

The Settings form includes **New Password**, while the separate **Or click here to logout**.

control handles signing out. Use the branch that matches the task you need to complete.

Steps

1. Choose one account-maintenance task:

If you need to...	Select or use
Change the password as its own task	Select Change your password .
Leave the account signed in and update profile details	Select Save your settings .
End the signed-in session	Select Or click here to logout .

Result: You can continue with the account-maintenance task you selected.

When an update goes wrong

The Settings error list contains the server response for an unsuccessful update.

Prerequisites

- **Your Settings** is open.
- You have selected **Update Settings**.

Steps

1. Read the item in the error list.
2. Review the error list after the update response finishes.

The screen renders each server error as `<key> <message>` in its error list.

What you see	What it means	What to do
An item in the error list	The update response contains a server error.	Read the complete item before trying the update again.
The form does not remain available during submission	The form is disabled while the update is in progress.	Wait for the submission to finish before entering another value.

Result: The error item is visible in the error list, and you know to review it before trying the update again.

Know what to do next

After a successful settings update, continue from the returned user's profile. To edit those details again, use **Edit Profile Settings**, which opens `/settings` from your own profile.

If your next task is account security, use [Change your password](#).

If you are finished with the account, use [Sign out](#).

Result: You know whether to continue with the profile, password, or sign-out task.