

## How To Comment on a Blog

Commenting on blogs is really easy and fun, you just have to try!



### Step 1: Identify a blog you want to comment on

Let's use Meylah's blog as the first example. At the bottom of any blog post, you will see a section where you can add comments, click where it says "Add Yours."



**Your Comments**

Join the Conversation!

Note: This blog uses a 2-click comment system to combat spam. After you submit your comment below, you will be prompted to click a second button to complete the posting process.

Name:

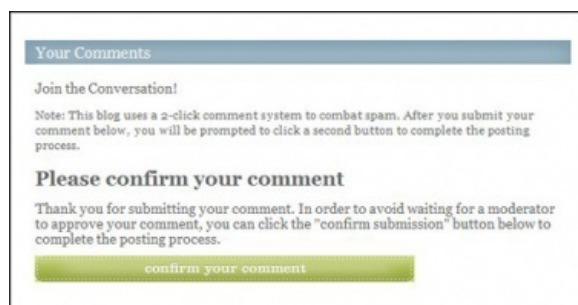
Email:

URL:

Comment:

### Step 2: Fill out the requested text fields & submit your comment

In this case, Meylah's blog uses a common method of inserting your name, email, URL (website name if you have one, if not, don't worry it's not required), and of course, the comment itself in order to add to the conversation. Once you've filled out the text, click the 'Submit your comment!' button.



**Your Comments**

Join the Conversation!

Note: This blog uses a 2-click comment system to combat spam. After you submit your comment below, you will be prompted to click a second button to complete the posting process.

**Please confirm your comment**

Thank you for submitting your comment. In order to avoid waiting for a moderator to approve your comment, you can click the "confirm submission" button below to complete the posting process.

### Step 3: Confirm your comment (if requested by the blog)

To combat spam, there are some blog platforms like Meylah that require a second step to confirm your comment. Don't worry, once you do it once you'll never have to do it again.



## Step 4: Review to make sure your comment actually posted to the site

Sometimes you may get a message from blogs mentioning that your comment is awaiting the moderator. If that is the case, check back in a day or so to see if your comment was posted. Oftentimes this will happen if it is your first time posting a comment to the site and the owner of that site may just be checking to make sure you aren't a spammer.

Now I'm going to demonstrate how to post a comment on another blog platform since commenting sections on blogs can vary from one blog to the next. This sample is from [Blogger](#).



## Step 5: Find the comment link at the bottom of the blog

Sometimes they are small, but once you've found it, go ahead and click where it says "Comments."



## Step 6: Leave a comment in the designated area

Simply type in your comment into the designated area and remember to be thoughtful, helpful and don't promote your own products!

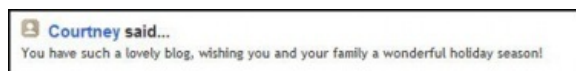


## Step 7: Word verification

You may be asked for word verification to prevent spam, here is an example. If you see this, simply type in the word shown and you will be on your way.

## Step 8: Choose an Identity then publish your comment

This is where it gets a little more complex because the options on the 'Choose an Identity' section can vary quite a bit from one blog to the next. I usually opt for the **Name/URL** option because it is quick and easy and doesn't require a separate login. Sometimes the Name/URL option or Anonymous identity options are not available. In such cases you will be required to either register or login through other identities, such as a **Google Account** or an **OpenID Account**. If you have your own blog, I would recommend making sure you have a Name/URL option available to people wanting to comment on your site as some don't have the other accounts listed and won't bother going through the trouble of commenting.



## Step 9: Verify that your comment was posted

Again, don't sweat it if your comment isn't posted immediately, this usually means that the comment is being moderated, and a message will pop up on the screen letting you know that is the case!

I hope this helps to take the intimidation out of commenting on blogs if you've never done it before! As I mentioned earlier, not all blogs use the same platform to post comments, but most blogs make it very easy. If you try a few, you will have it down before you know it!