

# Messages

## Overview

The Messages feature enables sending messages from one site user to another.

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## To access




Click the **Messages** icon  on the [Admin Panel](#)



or


Access




**<http://example.org/tiki-admin.php?page=messages>**

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