

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 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 the 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 parameter of the site

PHP Snippets for Templates

<?php the_content(); ?>	Content of the posts
<?php if(have_posts()) : ?>	Checks if there are posts
<?php while(have_posts()) : the_post(); ?>	Shows posts if posts are available
<?php endwhile; ?>	Closes the 'while' PHP function
<?php endif; ?>	Closes the 'if' PHP function
<?php get_header(); ?>	Header.php file's content
<?php get_sidebar(); ?>	Sidebar.php file's content
<?php get_footer(); ?>	Footer.php file's content
<?php the_time('m-d-y') ?>	The date in '08-18-07' format
<?php comments_popup_link(); ?>	Link for the comments on the post
<?php the_title(); ?>	Title of a specific post or page
<?php the_permalink() ?>	Url of a specific post or page
<?php the_category(',') ?>	Category of a specific post or page
<?php the_author(); ?>	Author of a specific post or page
<?php the_ID(); ?>	ID of a specific post or page
<?php edit_post_link(); ?>	Link to edit a specific post or page
<?php get_links_list(); ?>	Links from the blogroll
<?php comments_template(); ?>	Comment.php file's content
<?php wp_list_pages(); ?>	List of pages of the
<?php wp_list_cats(); ?>	List of categories for the site
<?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

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_logout(); ?>	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