

Web 2.0 Tools & More

Tool	Description	Website
Bookmarking		
delicious	A social bookmarking service that allows users to tag, save, manage and share web pages from a centralized source.	http://delicious.com/
Digg	Digg items you like as you surf the Web: articles, images, videos, almost anything. If others "digg" your submission they help make it popular, putting on the front page for more users to see.	http://digg.com/
Scholar	Social bookmarking for education, Scholar lets you bookmark sites to share within Blackboard. Found a great article on a study topic? Now you can share it with your class easily.	http://blackboard.mmc.edu
Social Networking		
Facebook	Share anything and everything; from your status to your photos, videos, links, games, events, and more. Currently the world's #1 social networking site.	http://www.facebook.com
Jaiku	Twitter alternative with very similar features. Not quite as popular, but growing.	http://www.jaiku.com/
LinkedIn	Social networking for business, LinkedIn is a network of trusted contacts that can be an asset in your career and business life.	http://www.linkedin.com
MySay	Posts audio updates rather than texts that your followers can listen to via phone, e-mail, or web.	http://www.mysay.com/
Tumblr	Simple to use platform; users can share text, photos, quotes, links, chats, or even videos	http://www.tumblr.com/
Twitter	Post status updates of 140 or less characters via the web, SMS, e-mail, or dedicated applications like Seismic or TweetDeck.	http://www.twitter.com

Desktop Sharing

CrossLoop	A free screen-sharing tool	http://www.crossloop.com/
Yuuguu	Yuuguu is instant screen sharing, web conferencing, instant messaging tool	http://www.yuuguu.com/home
TeamViewer	TeamViewer establishes connections to PCs and servers via the Internet. It is free for non-commercial, personal use.	http://www.teamviewer.com/index.aspx
ShowMyPC	ShowMyPC provides free and premium tools for Instant Collaboration to all users. Software includes Desktop Sharing, Screen Recording, Remote PC access.	http://showmypc.com/

Blogging

CoverItLive	CoverItLive is live blog “free” software with options for additional pay-per-use features.	http://www.coveritlive.com/
Blogger	Free blog site which is easy to use and integrates with Google Reader.	http://www.blogger.com
Wordpress	Immensely popular free blog site that can get you up and blogging in seconds. Wordpress also offers premium features for a subscription fee.	http://www.wordpress.com
LiveJournal	Free blog site with over 25 million subscribers, LiveJournal is one of the world’s most respected blogging platforms with a truly global reach.	http://www.livejournal.com

Polling

Doodle	Doodle is an online scheduling tool. No registration or installation required.	http://www.doodle.com/
Survey Monkey	Create and publish custom surveys in minutes, and then view results graphically and in real time. Free or premium subscriptions available.	http://www.surveymonkey.com
Zoomerang	Create fast, easy online surveys in seconds, send by email or web link. Education pricing on Pro membership.	http://www.zoomerang.com

File Sharing

Drop.io	Drop.io is an easy to use, online collaboration and file sharing service that provides users with a simple, real time and private way to chat and share images, video, audio, documents and other digital content through unique, user-created and controlled sharing points called 'drops.'	http://drop.io/
Drop Box	An easy way to store, sync, and, share files online. There's no complicated interface to learn and no worries about which operating system you use. 2GB of storage with free membership with paid membership storage upgrades.	www.dropbox.com
Google Docs	Google now lets you upload up to 1GB of any type of file into their document service for free. Share your files easily, bulk upload, create documents online,	http://www.docs.google.com
MediaFire	Host and share any files including documents, presentations, videos, and images. Unlimited uploads, downloads, and storage. Generous file size limits.	http://www.mediafire.com/
WikiSend	Simple and free, there is no need to register to share files using email, MySpace, your blog, forums or others.	http://wikisend.com/

Videos

USTREAM	USTREAM allows you to broadcast and create your own live show.	http://www.ustream.tv/
Viddler	A free tool used to watch and publish videos	http://www.viddler.com/
Dimdim	A web conference and collaboration software	http://www.dimdim.com/
YouTube	Upload and view videos. Favorite and share videos you like. Start your own channel or tune into a friend's.	http://www.youtube.com/
RokBox	RokBox allows you to record a video and send it to friends	http://www.rokbox.com/
TwitVid	Twitter video sharing site. Upload via Web or email.	http://twitvid.io/
Google Video	Search and watch millions of videos. Includes forum and personalized recommendations.	http://video.google.com/

Photo Editing

Aviary	Aviary is a suite of applications that you can use in your web browser to edit and share photos.	http://aviary.com/tools
Flickr	Flickr allows you to share and edit your photos	http://www.flickr.com/
Photoshop	Photoshop lets you edit photos and share them easily for free	http://www.photoshop.com
FotoFlexer	Add effects, distortion, fonts, shapes, retouch, and use advanced photo tools. Edits photos from Photo Bucket, MySpace, FaceBook, Flickr, Picasa.	http://www.fotoflexer.com

Websites

TinyURL	TinyURL is used to make posing long URLs easier.	http://tinyurl.com/
Goo.gl	Google's URL shortening service for use with its products (Gmail, Reader, etc.)	http://goo.gl
Bitly	Bitly is also used to shorten URLs.	http://bit.ly
Is.gd	Is.gd boasts the shortest URLs around with no registration needed.	http://is.gd