

MCPS Web Publishing System (Tron) Training

How to Add Twitter to Your Site

How to add a Twitter ‘Follow’ button or Embedded User Timeline to your site

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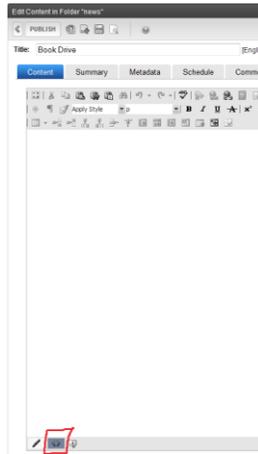
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A. How to add a Twitter ‘Follow’ button to your site



To insert a ‘Follow’ button:

1. In Tron, select the content block to which you want to add the Twitter Button and click “Edit”.
1. Once you are in the *content work area*, click on the Code View “<>” option at the bottom



of the screen.

2. Once in *Code View*, copy and paste the following code, and then change the two references to “WatersLandingES” to your own Twitter handle.

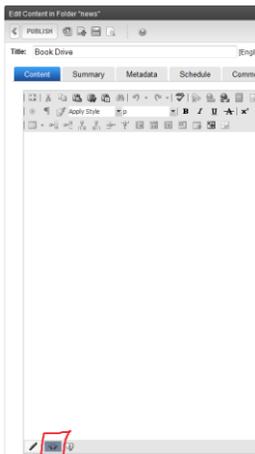
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<a href="https://twitter.com/WatersLandingES?ref_src=twsrc%5Etfw" class="twitter-follow-button" data-show-count="false" data-size="large">Follow @WatersLandingES</a><script async="true" src="https://platform.twitter.com/widgets.js" charset="utf-8" type="text/javascript"></script>
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3. Click the “Publish” button. Your button should look like this:



B. How to embed a Twitter User Timeline on your site

1. In Tron, select the content block to which you want to add the User Timeline and click “Edit”.
2. Once you are in the *content work area*, click on the Code View “<>” option at the bottom of the screen.



3. Once in *Code View*, copy and paste the following code, and change any references to WatersLandingES to your own Twitter handle.

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<a class="twitter-timeline" href="https://twitter.com/WatersLandingES"  
data-height="500">  
Tweets by @WatersLandingES  
</a> <script async="true" src="https://platform.twitter.com/widgets.js"  
charset="utf-8"></script>
```

4. Click the “Publish” button. Your timeline should look like this:

Tweets by @WatersLandingES

Tina Shrewsbury @WatersLandingES

The front of the school is looking good! Even in the rain, improvements are still happening at WLES!



Embed [View on Twitter](#)

C. How to add Customization to Your Twitter Timeline

1. Go to <https://publish.twitter.com/#> and follow the prompts to customize your timeline and then follow the steps above to copy and paste the generated embed code into the Tron editor.