

# SMS Text Messaging

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With SMS Text Messaging, you can use a person's wireless phone number to send instant text messages from your wireless phone to their messaging-ready phone – and they can send messages to you. When you receive a new message, it will automatically display on your phone's screen.

In addition, SMS Text Messaging includes a variety of preset messages, such as “I'm running late, I'm on my way,” that make composing messages fast and easy. You can also customize your own preset messages (up to 160 characters) from your phone or at [www.sprintpcs.com](http://www.sprintpcs.com).

## Composing SMS Text Messages

To compose an SMS Text message:

1. Select **Menu** > **Messaging** > **Send Message** > **Text**. (The Send to message will be displayed.)
2. Select or enter recipients for your message from the available options, which may include:
  - **Contacts** to select a recipient from your Contacts (qualifying Contacts entries must contain a wireless phone number or an email address).
  - **Mobile #** to use the keypad to enter the wireless phone number of the person to whom you wish to send a message.
  - **Email** to enter the recipient's email address.

**Note:** Your phone's entry options may differ. Please see your user guide for complete details.

3. Press **OK** to save the recipient. (When you have finished adding recipients, select **Next** [left softkey]. You may include up to 10 recipients per message.)
4. Compose a message or use the preset messages or smileys (icons).
  - To type a message, use your keypad to enter your message. Use the right softkey to select a character input mode.
  - To use a preset message or an emoticon, press the right softkey, select **Emoticons** or **Preset Msgs**, highlight your desired message or emoticon and press **OK**.
5. Select **Next** (left softkey) when you have finished entering your message.
6. Review your message and select **Send** (left softkey). (You may also select additional messaging options by pressing **Options** [right softkey] to set the callback number or the message priority [**Normal** or **Urgent**].)

## Accessing SMS Text Messages

To read an SMS Text message:

- ▶ When you receive a text message, it will be displayed automatically on your phone's main display screen. Use your navigation key to scroll down and view the entire message.

### To reply to an SMS Text message:

1. While the message is open, select **Reply** (left softkey).
2. Compose your reply or use the preset messages or icons.
  - To type a message, use your keypad to enter your message. Use the right softkey to select a character input mode.
  - To use a preset message or an emoticon, press the right softkey, select **Emoticons** or **Preset Msgs**, highlight your desired message or emoticon and press **OK**.
3. Select **Next** (left softkey) when you have finished entering your reply.
4. Review your reply and select **Send** (left softkey). (You may also select additional messaging options by pressing **Options** [right softkey] to set the callback number and/or the message priority [Normal or Urgent].)

# Using Preset Messages

Preset messages make sending text messages to your friends, family, and co-workers easier than ever.

To add or edit preset messages:

1. Select **Menu > Settings > Messaging > Preset Msgs > Add New.**  
– or –  
Highlight a message you wish to edit and select **Options > Edit** or **Options > Erase.**
2. Enter your new message or changes and press **OK.**

<b>Note:</b>	Your phone's Messaging settings may be accessible through the Messaging menu ( <b>Menu &gt; Messaging &gt; Settings &gt; General &gt; Preset Messages</b> ). See your phone's user guide for details.
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