How to change your name on TikTok

When you start using TikTok, you're asked for a profile name and a username. If you've been using TikTok for a while, though, it wouldn't be unusual to decide that you want to change one or both. Perhaps you used your real name and weren't aware at first that your name would be made public. Or perhaps the name you originally chose is no longer quite right for the type of content you're going to post. Or perhaps you simply decided that you want to be known by something more exciting.

Either way, it's simple to change either your profile name or your username. (In TikTok, the username is the one preceded by an @ sign.)

Go to your profile page (by tapping the "Me" icon in the lower-right corner).

- Select "Edit profile."
- Select "Name" (to change your profile name) or "Username."
- Type in your new name. (In the case of your username, remember that will have to be unique.)

You can change names on the "Edit profile" page.

You can only change your username once every 30 days.

There are several other things you need to be aware of before you change your username. First, your username can only be changed once every 30 days, so make sure it's one you can live with, at least for that period. In addition, if you change

your username, that means you'll be also changing your personal TikTok URL (which is usually in the form of something like *tiktok.com/@username*). As a result, anyone who tries to use the older address will no longer see your videos.

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