Getting Started with Delicious

FYI

delicious is a collection of favorites - yours and everyone else's. You can use delicious to:

- **Keep** links to your favorite articles, blogs, music, reviews, recipes, and more, and access them from any computer on the web.
- **Share** favorites with friends, family, coworkers, and the delicious community.
- **Discover** new things. Everything on delicious is someone's favorite—they've already done the work of finding it. So delicious is full of bookmarks about technology, entertainment, useful information, and more. Explore and enjoy.
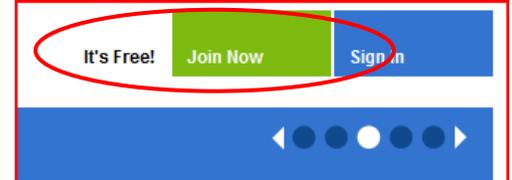
delicious is a **social bookmarking** website. The primary use of delicious is to store your bookmarks online, which allows you to access the same bookmarks from any computer and add bookmarks from anywhere, too. On delicious, you can use **tags** to organize and remember your bookmarks, which is a much more flexible system than folders.

You can also use delicious to see the interesting links that your friends and other people bookmark, and share links with them in return. You can even browse and search delicious to discover the cool and useful bookmarks that everyone else has saved—which is made easy with tags.

How to

Create a delicious account:

1. Go to http://delicious.com/ and click Join Now in the upper right corner.

2. Fill in all the required fields.

> The username you create will be part of the URL so choose wisely. For example, mine is dspear and the URL is http://delicious.com/dspear

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3. Next, add the buttons to make saving bookmarks really, really simple.

Click Add Buttons. You'll need to click Run twice, then install, and then close.
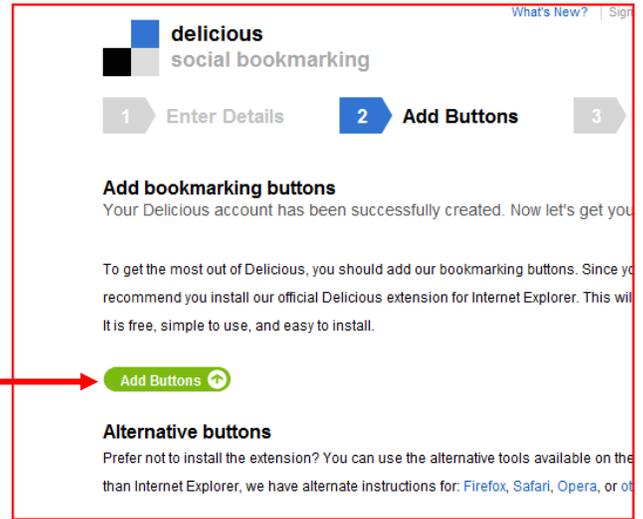
Your delicious buttons should look like this in the upper toolbar of your screen:

Your Delicious Button

Research Button

Search Your Bookmarks Button

Tag Button to save your bookmarks
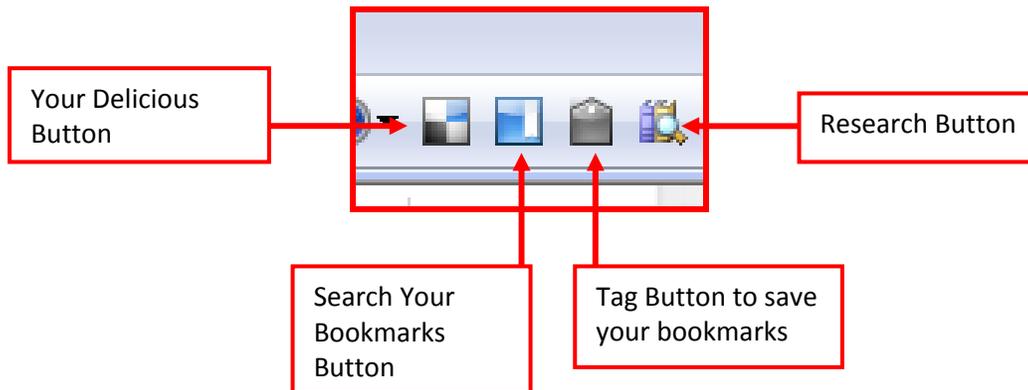
4. Saving and Tagging . . .

When you are at a website that you would like to bookmark in delicious, click on the Tag Button. This screen pops up.

Key in optional notes about the website

Use tags to categorize your bookmarks

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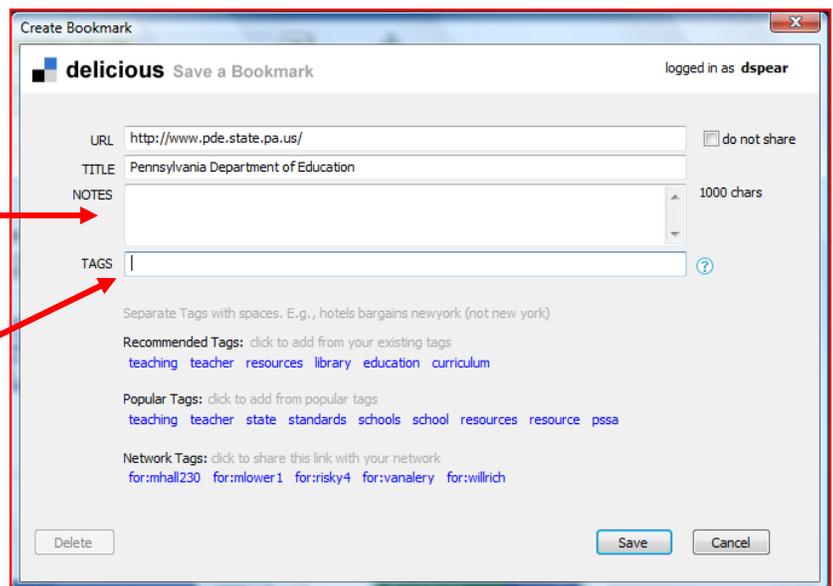
5. Here's an example of the sites saved with the tag kcc for keyboarding and computer concepts. Using delicious to bookmark sites for students can save them (and you) valuable class time. These tags can be accessed with the URL http://delicious.com/dspear/kcc