

# Making MySpace Friends

Second Edition

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# Introduction

[FriendBlastr](#) has been helping people grow their friend count for a while now. Earlier this year, I wrote an ebook about helping people gain new friends on MySpace and published it on that website. That book contained all I had learned up until then about gaining more friends on MySpace. It was a good book.

However, a few months later I realized that I'd learned more and that the information in the ebook was very basic and contained nowhere near the number of ideas it could have had. The book needed to be updated. I decided to have some fun.

I started a contest that ran for three months and generated nearly three hundred blog comments. The winner of the contest was to be the one that came up with the best ideas for making new friends on MySpace. There were thousands of ideas, and not all of them agreed. It became apparent to me that these conflicting ideas were representative of the different images that each entrant was trying to project. I decided that the best thing would be to include these conflicting ideas when warranted and allow you, the reader, to choose which of these to use. All the ideas in this ebook will help you gain friends. Each technique, however, will gain you a slightly different kind of friend.

So think of what image you want to project, what kind of online persona you want to occupy. It's the Internet, so be as creative or uncreative as you want. With that image in mind, proceed and choose the techniques you will use.

Oh yes, and please take some time to check out the profiles of the winners and add them. Think of it as a way of saying "thank you" for sharing their experience and knowledge with all of us.

# Grand Prize Entry

By [William](#)

There are many ideas and ways to get adds. Some of them don't work and some of them do. Therefore I created a list on how to gain even more adds using different techniques, that I have thought of and used which have worked!

Here are my ideas on how to get friends and add requests.

## Profile Adjustments

- 1.** Remove Captchas from comments, messages and add requests by the account manager in the "spam" section. This improves speed in adding and also MySpace Captchas are not always accurate. After the first attempt 98% of users close the add window down.
- 2.** Make your profile not private. Most people like to see if you have the same interests or hobbies before they add you.
- 3.** Make your pictures not private. Automatically pictures are disabled from viewing if your not someone's friend, however make them not private if you are someone's friend. A good tactic is to post pictures on your profile or have a slideshow of your images.
- 4.** Make sure you have pictures of high quality however low in memory. This improves speed when webpages load up. Improve them by adjusting the colour, brightness and contrast. By giving it a richer colour can really make an improvement on your pictures.
- 5.** Have a tidy layout on your MySpace profile. Profile littered with advertisements, codes broken or a profile that you need to use the scrollbar at the bottom of your browser is a massive turn off.
- 6.** Have a catchy name, if you have a unique name that describes your personality straight away but also grabs the user has a massive impact on how people think about you. Fancy symbols does not impress anyone.
- 7.** Make sure your profile is tidy and centered.
- 8.** Write a brief but detailed bio, or about me section on your profile. If you have an interesting life grab the reader straight away and pull them in more and more. This will show the person who is about to add you – you have the same interests. Make sure you seem like you do lots of activities as many people like that sort of thing. Also add humour, I have gotten so many friends by including humour on my profile.
- 9.** Don't boast on your profile, and don't put swear words on it. Be yourself, and act happy.
- 10.** If you seem to come across more love, sweet hearted person more people; genuine people will add you and talk to you too.

- 11.** Don't have flashy backgrounds, it hurts your eyes and makes it hard for the user to concentrate anything on your profile. After 4 seconds of torture they will try and find any escape route or link.
- 12.** Don't have music playing automatically – I know this is said the ebook posted but from music players externally is also a massive turn off. Never have music playing in your pictures album too.
- 13.** Have a profile picture which looks sexy, and a cute pose. Make sure you flash your eyes as this is a big turn on and look unique from the rest of the pictures you see on MySpace. This means you have a unique sense about you and seen more interesting to the public. Also only have yourself in the picture and not anybody else.
- 14.** Remove last name or email notification before you can be added. How are people meant to add you with that setting in place.
- 15.** Make sure you make it easier for people to contact you, such as comments and messaging.
- 16.** Have many different pictures of yourself. Inside, outside or in bed. Mix and match your photos. Don't have pictures which has you in a different pose in the same place all the time as it is dull and boring.

### **External Sources of Adds**

- 1.** Read this ebook =]
- 2.** Another simple and easy method is add yourself to trains. The best trains are  
<http://friendblastr.com/>  
<http://fastaddz.com/>  
<http://greataddz.com/>  
<http://www.zombieadds.com>  
<http://www.candyadds.com/>  
<http://www.infiniteadds.com>  
<http://www.fatadds.net>
- 3.** Add as many people as possible from all the trains listed above, and make sure you post bulletins to refer people to the train as usually that gives you points on these trains. Make sure you get at least on the first page of adds.
- 4.** Buy VIP if you have money, you can relax whilst the adds are rolling in. If you have no money or you are not allowed to pay over the Internet then look to see if the site has any perks to become a VIP. All the major successful trains will have these perks in place. Some will require so many referrals where as some require so many points. It's best to research into the website.

5. Get referrals. I know I said this but how about commenting some of your friends asking them for their support. Most friends are willing to do so, since they are your friends. This will boost up your points to get more adds, and also boost up your friends accounts.
6. If you have other websites such as Piczo websites, Freewebs, post your MySpace account on there. Get so many adds. Another great advantage also when having a website is linking train sites too. So post train sites on your website and get more points on the train!
7. Start a link exchange with a friend, or plug your MySpace on a plugboard. Also some sites give you also link adders, which let you add your links. Find many free link and plugboards to advertise your profile. Some great ones are located on this website (home of the plugboard invention) <http://www.plugboard.org/links/index.php>
8. If you have YouTube and posted a few videos, link your site from your account to your MySpace account. Also the same for blog sites such as Blogger.
9. Learn how Google and website rankings work. By increasing your website listing can increase your chances of being seen in website searches. To do this is get sites listed as the first or second choices in searches to link your site together by doing link exchanges. This increases your webpage ranking also and increases your chances of being added. By linking your MySpace page to blogger and youtube will increase your website ranking dramatically.
10. Download software to increase adds, and to be added to trains. Some of them are not so effective and some of them are quite effective however these software are not always reliable and can become out-dated.
11. Don't cheat on train sites. By cheating you are not adding people and most likely they won't add you either. If you don't cheat you can get more adds, because you are adding people and other people in return are adding you back. You are getting adds two ways resulting in double your friend count.

### **Other ways of getting adds, and tips to get more adds**

1. You can buy profiles on eBay that have over a million friends in the list. However this may be good if you are willing to buy however all the friends that are currently on may not know you and it may be a bit of a shock one day you have a male and the next day its a female. It may be a good idea but at the same time it could be a bad idea. Its up to you...
2. Do picture 4 picture comments. By letting your friends comment on your photos and then you comment on somebody else's you are gaining more comments and also increasing your chances of seen by somebody else. Same goes for profile comments, refrain from messaging and talk to your friends by comments.
3. Everyone says this and there are many different versions however it is a good old fashion way of getting adds. Either whore4whore or S4S. There are many generators that create this

for you. Make sure you have a good picture to make people want to add you.

**4.** Obey MySpace rules and policies. Having a picture of a man with no top on may gain you adds but a naked man or a woman showing her private parts is not a way to gain adds and could result in an account termination.

**5.** Get on to MySpace trains (made in groups) not only will this increase your friend count but also let people show what you are interested in. Also it means you are committed to the group and you are popular. Having tags in your name makes you rise above and make you seem popular – resulting in more adds.

**6.** Join groups with similar interests or cults. Get chatting on forums and meet/make new friends.

**7.** Create banners on your page so people can place a banner on their group or profile about your profile. It may be a good idea to include something people like to get them attracted to your site in the first place. Games or MySpace competitions.

**8.** Talk to your friends sweetly and courtesy. If you are nice then your friends will talk to you more and thus make your picture displayed in their comments more and also give you a good rep. Your friends can refer to their friends and so on.

**9.** Create your own whore or train site. Also get a person with a high friend count to help out with you. They will increase advertising for your train and make it become popular and you rake in the adds – also exchange links with other train sites.

**10.** Go on a mad adding spree as I call it. Go on one of your friends and hop from profile to profile adding people. If you add people from your friends they are more likely to talk and become real friends rather than a friend count number.

**11.** This is a personal favourite of mine: go into a big town or city closest to where you live like Manchester/London. Have a sign saying free hugs, with your MySpace profile link underneath it. This is a massive and great way to get adds because the person who hugs you will probably add you, other people surrounding you may add you and if they take pictures and put them on MySpace, people viewing those pictures may add you too. Also have cards with your link on as it will be easier for them to add you if they haven't got a piece of paper. A great fun way is get loads of clothes pegs that are wooden. You can buy 50 for a pound in cheap shops. Write your name, link and say this is from the guy who hugged you. Then when you go to hug someone peg it on your back secretly. When they find the peg, most of them smile and keep it as its a funny way of saying hello and a unique / unusual way of making friends. Its a big winner (especially with girls) and means you have thought outside the box. However its a bad idea of going pegging random people, because they will be mad and its a waste of clothes pegs lol. The other good thing about this method is that you are meeting people close to where you live so you make new friends and you can go out with your new friends!

**12.** Create a MySpace group yourself for an interest you may like. You will be surprised how

many people would prefer to become part of a group other than a MySpace train.

**13.** The official train sites that have got .com, .net, .org .uk, etc are better than MySpace trains and therefore add yourself to them trains more than the MySpace group trains. However there is no shame in submitting yourself to a MySpace train!

**14.** Post lots of comments on famous bands, this can get you lots of adds just be careful they won't ban you for spam.

**15.** Help people in the MySpace forums, some people will add you if you have helped them out with a problem that you have resolved.

**16.** Another good tactic I have thought of doing that many people have agreed with me sounds a really good idea is during a concert with a band you really like seeing throw cards up in the air with your profile address on. If people pick it up or catch it then they may add you. However I am unsure how effective this is. A better version than cards are balloons. Get a load of balloons, and write the band you are watching (or singer) and write good things about them and then write your MySpace profile underneath and then throw it in the air and let people tap it in the air and keep it going in the air so it can go further afield. Or use the peg tactic I mentioned earlier and peg people at the concert.

**17.** Post MySpace videos this is another good way of getting adds. Many people search for a video and see your video. They may add you. A good video is you with a friend, maybe singing with friends (lip syncing) and other funny things. This will gain high adds. A good place also that I mentioned earlier is to do this on YouTube too.

**18.** If you get a comment, reply asap. And always reply except if it's a spam advertisement.

**19.** Join a club (physically) like art classes or karate. Something out of the ordinary – girls love this lads, and also you can meet friends their and get adds from them and their friends. This also works very well with girls too.

**20.** You could make banners or posters and stick them up in your school or college about your profile, however you may get negative comments from people who want to be cheeky at your school. Watch where you put these things for the safety of your privacy.

**21.** Update your profile often.

**22.** Some people say a flashy display picture. This is actually very off putting. You should only use it to gain adds on train sites as it does make your picture on the train stand out above the rest.

**23.** Always have a happy mood on the status. Minimize the times you put sad on your MySpace status!

**24.** Put catchy lines in your MySpace status.

**25.** Advertise your profile in any way possible, see an opportunity and take it!

**26.** Use my tips and other tips posted – as well as the ebook FriendBlastr has made to gain you lots of adds!

Good Luck!  
William

# Runner Up Entry #1

By [Courtney Tansho](#)

- 1.** DON'T set your profile to public, because often its hard to find your add button on your layout, and being private will encourage people to add you to see more of you because they cant just look around and drop you a message. You wanna get the add too!
- 2.** PC4PC! Say cute things, not just "pretty" or "nice pic," because people will add you if they see your pic comment. Also, OWN a pic, because people often also wanna' own it, so they get all jealous and hunt your profile down. Also! Occasionally (this is going to sound bad but it works) if you're in a fight with someone on MySpace, dont take it to message, leave it in comments or pic comments. Because I'll admit, if i see someone in a fight I'll add the other person too to check them out, y'know?
- 3.** Comment someone's page A LOT if their profile is visible. Have a conversation and reply right away. If i see someone with, like, 5 comments in a row to someone, I add them because I think they'll be interesting
- 4.** DON'T make your profile pic of a bunch of people and you, make it of you only. The only exception is if its a couple pic. If it's, like, a kissing couple pic, for some reason people feel compelled to add.
- 5.** NEVER EVER EVER make your default of NOT a human. I will never add you! That is the weirdest thing possible and no, just no.
- 6.** Even if the human isn't you, whatever, just don't make it, like, a dog or something. (NO, I'M NOT SAYING BE FAKE, just make your default your cutest, or at least of a human.)
- 7.** Don't thank people for the add! That's so annoying. Comment saying 'hi, how are you,' or comment a picture instead
- 8.** dedicate an hour a day to getting adds, just cut out an hour (this is what i do) whether it be at 5 am or 11pm and post your train proofs, and go on adding sites
- 9.** join LOTS of adding sites, and try to get 50 pts on all of them. DONT go for vip unless your willing to dedicate your WHOLE day to that one site, because unless you buy it, winning vip is unlikely, so your better off joining a bunch of sites and getting atleast on the charts with them
- 10.** Go online and do this stuff at PRIME traffic time. W4w/s4s and go on friend adding sites between 5pm-11pm. Thats when most people go online. (Because it's after school/work, etc.)
- 11.** Make your age over 18! Then people can add you without a last name, because that gets annoying

- 12.** If MySpace changes your age, put your last name in your display name.
- 13.** When you s4s with people, DO put ADD or s4s in the bulletin title because that'll tell people they should s4s with you too. Sure, "jonas bros are breaking up" will get people to OPEN the bulletin, but their not the kind of people that would ADD you. The people that would add you will look for the s4s/add title.
- 14.** Don't use your trains titles always! Change 'em up sometimes, because once I recognize a title, I wont open the bulletin anymore.
- 15.** Befriend someone. Have them put a link to you in their "who I'd like to meet" section and make up cute names for each other because people add people when theres a link in their about with, like, "skunkie," "courtneybby," etc. etc. because they are curious.
- 16.** If a layout 'site says "I'M QUITTING," tell them "no, I like your stuff," because if they delete their profile thats one less friend, and if they like you talking to them, commenting their stuff, and s4sing with them will get you adds
- 17.** Be a 'site model! Applying and being one gets you a lot of adds from 'sites and it gives you the motivation to add 'sites
- 18.** Use categories to start a conversation. Like, put someone in the "cute boys" group and they may comment you.
- 19.** Make REALLY popular people on MySpace signs and put your friend id on it.
- 20.** Make something for someone: a fan sign, a sign, a drawing, anything! They may put it on their profile. Another good idea is if you have an inside joke, or you know them kinda', Photoshop something funny. They may post it in a bulletin or put on their profile and say, like, "i love courtney!" And people will look for your profile.
- 21.** Top friends with people if they're visible.
- 22.** Become besties or affiliates with sites. That puts a link to you on their page, and sites can become really popular!
- 23.** Sites, put credit HIDDEN in stuff. On my site I put a removable credit and then one hidden in the code so people can't really remove it. Also, don't make your credit obnoxious. Noticeable, but not annoying.
- 24.** Post A LOT of bulletins to get ppl to pc4pc/w4w, etc. etc. BUT DELETE THEM SO PEOPLE DON'T GET MAD.
- 25.** In your header create some pressure to add. Like, "I don't accept everyone," but don't make it mean because then people just won't even try. Or put "I accept everyone." Either one works in their own way

- 26.** On EVERY other account of yours (YouTube, Facebook, etc. etc. ) put a link to your MySpace.
- 27.** Make a popular YouTube video. I can't even tell you how many people have added me because of "how many licks does it take to get to the center of a tootsie pop."
- 28.** Make support codes for people and put your link at the bottom.
- 29.** Make a button or banner, people may put it on their pro.
- 30.** Stay up late for adding 'sites. (I have a sleeping disorder so its convenient for me.)
- 31.** Make a game, like the picture game, and put your link at the bottom
- 32.** Put "hacked at however many k" in your display name.
- 33.** On adding 'sites, actually add the people you click on. Yeah it's boring, but just do it.
- 34.** NEVER miss train proofs. If you have to befriend the train owner, then give them a reason and they wont be so hard on you.
- 35.** Don't always try to talk to the stuck up high friend count people. Go to online friends, go to the 3rd to last page, and drop a comment to everyone there. Those people will usually comment back, s4s, whatever, but they don't have, like, 1 friend. Usually they have 3-10k.
- 36.** help people, they might support you, etc etc
- 37.** DONT send those "buy your friends" things, because people will get mad and even block/delete you, and thats never good for adds
- 38.** DO NOT send nudes, creep people out, or break the MySpace rules, cuz guess what, youll get deleted. and then youll have to start ALL ovr. theres alot of things you could get deleted for! check out [this](#) blog and the links at the bottom, its really help full
- 39.** DONT put a million billion graphics etc on your page because people WONT look for your s4s code, people WONT comment you, and if your pros public, they WONT add you
- 40.** Don't put, like, a million billion graphics on your pics either. Its not "professional" and people will think you only have like 2 friends and not add you.
- 41.** In your default put popular/controversial sports gear on. (E.g, a Red Sox hat, a Yankees jersey.) People will add to talk about that!
- 42.** Put pc4pc in your display name because people will add you to pc4pc with you!

- 43.** Make a back up or layout site or something. Use both separately but put a link to each on the other. Then you'll get new friends from one account and that account will get old friends from yours. Also if you get deleted you wont have to start ALL over.
- 44.** Browse the bulletins for new friend adding sites and s4s posts.
- 45.** If you join a million trains, you will forget some proofs and they may put you on a block list instead, so just stick with 1-5 BIG trains, not a bunch of little ones.
- 46.** Set your birthday once a month. That will get you noticed to pc4pc, etc. etc. (Peoplp may catch you on that one though!)
- 47.** Scroll though someone else's friends and add people you think are cute, interesting, or that have pc4pc in their name.
- 48.** Set your status to sad and put, like, "OMG :[ read freaking about me." People will add just to see that,
- 49.** Make your song something interesting, or funny (like a comedian's song or something,) Don't make it screamo because that scares people away.
- 50.** Edit peoples pics for them on Photoshop, then put your credit on them.
- 51.** On trains where it lets you pick the pic, make it sexy or intriguing, even something you set to private, or get a Victoria's Secret model off Photobucket, because people will click those. Who cares if you're a guy, it'll get you adds to have an attractive female pic for your train pic.

# Runner Up Entry #2

By [Jynxed](#)

1. make profile public
2. dont require a last name or email to add
3. make a color changing picture as your default
4. dont put little flashy things on default like "sexy" "cutie with a booty" "fun" or any words unless you have fakes then include your friend ID
5. put your friend ID in your layout or layouts you make
6. buy/ make a shirt that has "add me <http://www.myspace.com/>\_\_\_\_\_"
7. write your URL EVERYWHERE...stalls, walls, porty pottys (lol worked for me), anywhere.
8. make layout/generator myspace
9. own a domain
10. own a friend adding domain or domain for 7
11. make layout not to fancy but dull either
12. make your about me short and to the point
13. dont make pictures private
14. show top 8 or how many
15. join adding sites
16. post bulletins about friend adding sites
17. request around 350 friends a day. (myspace deletes you after a certain number of requests sent. there is no set number, its just around 400.)
18. walk around with a pickit sign with your URL
19. hand out/leave fliers at major events with your URL
20. go to people with around 15000+ friends and say thanks for the add or whats new with you

- 21.** do s4s, pc4pc, fs4fs
- 22.** talk back to peoples messages/comments
- 23.** dont use "w4w"(whore4whore) use "s4s"(support4support). normal people dont like whores
- 24.** dont put a perv default only perv will add.
- 25.** have a unique default like shushi
- 26.** only s4s 6 times a day and delete them after 15 or so minutes
- 27.** same as 25 but with adding sites
- 28.** post all the friend adding sites referral codes somewhere.
- 29.** buy VIP status on friend adding sites
- 30.** use programs to request/talk to people
- 31.** make events and put the adding site referral code on it and send to friends
- 32.** start a group for adding friends
- 33.** stay up late and go to adding sites and add people and post codes so when people wake up your first they see

# Runner Up Entry #3

By [Superman Contests](#)

Try staying on MySpace longer so you can s4s much more

Don't block people unless you really have to because more friends are the better! If someone tells you to block them don't. add them just if they talk just reply nicely and don't try to get in arguements. 10,000 friends are better then 9,999.

Try to update alot so people visit the new stuff.

When people click to go to your blogs make them have a link that says enter your friend id on this site or you can not proceed to my stuff.

Make sure you don't have someone else's name or something because they post bulletins saying block you and alot of people do block and when someone blocks you that is one or more friends you lose!

Funny and unique names are the best because when they are funny they probably want to add you so they can see what else is funny on your profile.

Make a train and tell the people who want to join that they have to add everyone to join the train.

Post alot of games on your profile so people will stay and comment and when they comment comment back saying If you like our site so muchh tell a friend!

Talk to sites so you can become besties with that person and they usually have a besties column linking all there besties to there site and the more besties you have the more sites your on and the more people add you.

Make alot of stuff for your site, Layouts, Graphics, Games, Site Pets, Icons, Blog Headers, Comment Boxes, Tutorials, Sign Game, Sign Requests, Support code requests, Affie Requests, and alot of things so people will tell there friends when they need help finding something they tell them look at this website!! They have allot of stuff! ANd when the click the site and see it is private they will add you!

Make deals with people like I will support you 30 times if you buy me a day of VIP or something easier and less complecated like I will comment your default 5 times if you support me twice or something!

When you change your support code write it on your profile so more people would want to s4s with you because they want to see your new support code!!!

If I didn't say a4a???(affy4affy) That works good too!

Add famous sites or people so when they look at peoples friends and see your picture they would want to add you!

Get online alot so when someone looks through one of your friends friends list they will see your online and add you so they will get friends faster!

Once you have alot of friends make a website where it has all your stuff on it and have a link to your myspace!

If you have 2 or more sites get on them and support that site like crazy!

# Random Tips

“PC4PC with people! By doing this, you are basically adding a link to ur page from their page...I can't tell you how many people have left me a lil note telling me that they found me through pic comments! Be sure to cmnt the pics you think the most people will be looking at.

Everyday check your 'upcoming birthdays' link and leave those people a birthday cmnt =] Not only will it brighten their day, but it will also put a link to ur page on their page (if their cmnts aren't hidden)...and it also gives those birthday boys/girls a chance to checkout ur site if they choose to.”

-- [Amped](#)

“Join games. If you win, you can be put in a winner's box or something.  
Put a bumper sticker on your car or your parents' car with your URL telling people to add you.”

-- [Redoing Sitemodel Agency](#)

“Just type in a random common name in the search on MySpace, like Tiffany or Michael, then click on add- all the way down the list.”

-- [She's so complex](#)

“When you go to Best Buy or Walmart or anywhere they sell computers, open a word document in a lot of computers and write your URL with a message to add it and why. People will think it is strange but they will actually add it.”

-- [Stricken](#)

“Rent a billboard and post your URL on it.  
Go cross country with a giant truck with your URL all over it.  
Post flyers around your neighborhood with your URL.  
Have a major s4s/w4w day

These ideas are for 'sites:

Have a variety of stuff on your site, as in:

+Requests

+Layouts (regular and div)

+Premades

+Music player skins (those are popular on my site)

and anything else people would like.

Take time on making signs.

On your support code, don't just put ADD NOW, put down why they should add you.”

-- [TRL](#)

“Don't Be A Stranger! Try to talk to as many people that you request/request you as you can.

Everyone loves a friendly person. Why should they bother being friends with you if you don't even say 'hi' to them!? This may not bring in as many adds as other techniques, but it is essential to keeping your friends. You can gain all the friends in the world, but the most important thing is to keep them and not have them delete you!"

-- [iLyts](#)

"Put some of your brushes and other things on PhotoBucket with your friend id. (You don't know how many friend requests I've gotten that said they found my stuff on PhotoBucket.)"

-- [Sweet Seduction](#)

"Turn off the automatic music player."

-- [Gwen](#)

"You MUST have a support code. A lot of people love to 'support4support,' and you will be shown in a bulletin to all their friends and they can add you. It is very simple to get one. All you have to do is use Google or ask a MySpace site to make one for you. S4S is a good way to get friends."

-- [Twilight](#)

"Advertise your 'site on Google.  
Submit your site to another ad server like Clicksor."

-- [DreamerxProductions](#)

"Make a goal of how many friends you want at the end of the week and try to reach it."

-- [Tizight](#)

"Sing karaoke on Myspace..."

-- [Isolde Marie](#)

"Buy some chalk, then go to a popular place where everybody goes and write your URL all over the floor."

-- [Undress](#)

"If you join a site to increases the amount of friends you get, make sure each day you stay on the top users page. They get the most adds."

-- [Ronnie Ransom](#)

"Don't spend your whole life on MySpace! We all know you want to be MySpace famous, but why don't go out and meet real people in the street? And then, when you get into a chat, just let your new friend know your MySpace URL and add you."

When you write your 'about me', don't fill it with heart and 'i love this guy so much!!!'. People wanna read about YOU.

Keep your about me as simple and short as possible, and for your own safety, dont give out personal info. "

-- [Miss Elly Marilyn](#)

“The less distracting your profile is, the more likely you are to get requests, so short is good. Honestly, the more trains you're on, the less whoever's adding you will feel self-conscious about adding you, because you obviously accept a shitload of random requests regularly.

But in all honestly, if you just want friends, make a huge DIV layout with a bigass add button, don't require Captcha or your last name, and you're good.”

-- [Ghost Town Legends](#)

“Make free signs in exchange for a link to your profile on someone else's profile.”

-- [Profile Bling](#)

“I would say on your profile be yourself.

Do not try to be anything you're not cause people can tell when your a poser or fake.

Don't try to act like anything else cause you know people love originality.

And besides if you're like everyone else who would want to add you.

and you need to add people and let people add you..

You can't just sit around waiting for people to add you.

And forget the last name when adding crap thats lame.

Captchas are okay because people do it for their own safety.

And talk to your friends.

I hate when I add people and they will not reply.

MySpace isn't just for having a lot of friends, and if you actually talk people will want to add you 'cause all you do isn't just post bulletins and nothing else.

You have to be social and that gets you to have more friends.“

-- [EPICshelby](#)

“Don't flaunt your friend count. That's one of the quickest ways to get hacked, and then you have to start from scratch.”

-- [Distant Memories](#)

“If you go to a concert or a talk show recording make a sign that on one side has a thing for the concert or show and the other side says your URL so you can turn it around and people see it.”

-- [Cheezticks](#)

“Put your friend id or URL in shorts/pants at the store.”

-- [Silhouette](#)

“Always enter someone's Captcha when adding people – these are the higher friend counts and make good contacts and teachers.

Offer a talent or skill in exchange for support, s4s codes, layouts, or Photoshop. You can get up to 5 supports for a cool Photoshop pic.

Ask, ask, ask. Ask that 200k fool 'how'd you do that??' You might find your answer.

Have a couple tabs on your browser open and stay signed in to Max Adds and Infinite Adds.

They have an active users section on their site where it shows people who are online right now, so stay active for a while.

A note on security:

Change your password on a regular basis. Change your email on a regular basis. How does this help you get friends? It actually "maintains" your friends. With the possibility of getting hacked, it not only saves your account from being deleted, but a real hacker will spam your friends and they will delete you."

-- [Brandon](#)

"Make big colorful buttons and hand them out around the mall with your URL on it.

Tape fliers to the inside of the bathroom stalls at a mall, McDonald's, etc.

Make people a lot of nice things, like signs, banners, name plates, anything like that and make sure you put your credit on it. Your name will get out there.

Make up games that NO ONE else has.

In school, decorate your binders with your 'site URL and other bright colors that are eye catching! I know people always look at my binders in school!

Make fliers and put them in peoples mailboxes."

-- [Stella Scene](#)

"Make a train of different fan sites for different things."

-- [Jonas By Nature](#)

"Have fun little 'blog' games, like a Tear or Wear game where you have a picture of an outfit and people have to type 'wear' or 'tear.' Just little games for fun."

-- [Badass Layouts](#)

"If you are a layout site, have good and decent content on your site. No one likes headers that look like crap, or layout that look like they were made in 3 seconds! People want quality so provide quality. More people will use your stuff and your credit links will be everywhere. Therefore increasing the chance of you getting adds. "

-- [Exxp!ode Layouts](#)

"Buy an ad in the newspaper and post your site there. In stores and stuff put an ad up in the window."

-- [Electro Support](#)

"Use a div, or a nice layout make your profile nice and neat, people will think you have it together.

Don't only s4s, because people will get annoyed of your bulletins and delete you.

Update a lot, if you have the same stuff, people will get bored.

Don't have a lot of rules, they will find a site that is a lot less strict.

Don't get bigger sites ticked off, they will get everyone to block you, and delete you.

Don't hide your song, its annoying when you have to listen to it and can't pause it. "

-- [Stupéfier](#)

# A Word Of Warning

In your quest to gain more and more friends on MySpace, be certain to only add more than 400 in one day on very rare occasions! The MySpace administrators do not like it when profiles grow too quickly and will be apt to delete you. In the same way, be wary when someone tells you to block another person. If a person gets blocked too many times, they are deleted. Often someone who dislikes another will go around lying about that person, trying to get that person blocked and eventually deleted. That's what happened to me. Always make sure you have backed up anything on your profile you don't want to lose.

Alternatively, you can hire a backup service to handle backing up your profile. The service below performs nightly backups of profiles, saving everything visible to the public on their servers so that if your profile does fall victim to hackers or system administrators, you at least get to keep your data. This includes the comments on your profile as well as the blogs and pictures.

Click the logo below if you would like to learn more.



Thank you very much for reading. I hope you enjoyed this.

Happy MySpacing!

A handwritten signature in blue ink that reads "Ryan Casey". The signature is fluid and cursive, with the first letters of "Ryan" and "Casey" being capitalized and prominent.

Ryan Casey  
Owner and Founder of [FriendBlastr.com](http://FriendBlastr.com)

P.S.

If you're interested in scouring the original contest thread for more ideas, you can find it [here](#).