

## A REBEL'S GUIDE TO THE ACADEMY

Rebellion Academy is an online orientation and learning platform for new and existing rebels and supporters of Extinction Rebellion (XR).

This guide will show you how to use the Academy to get the best out of it.

### **WATCH INTRO VIDEO**



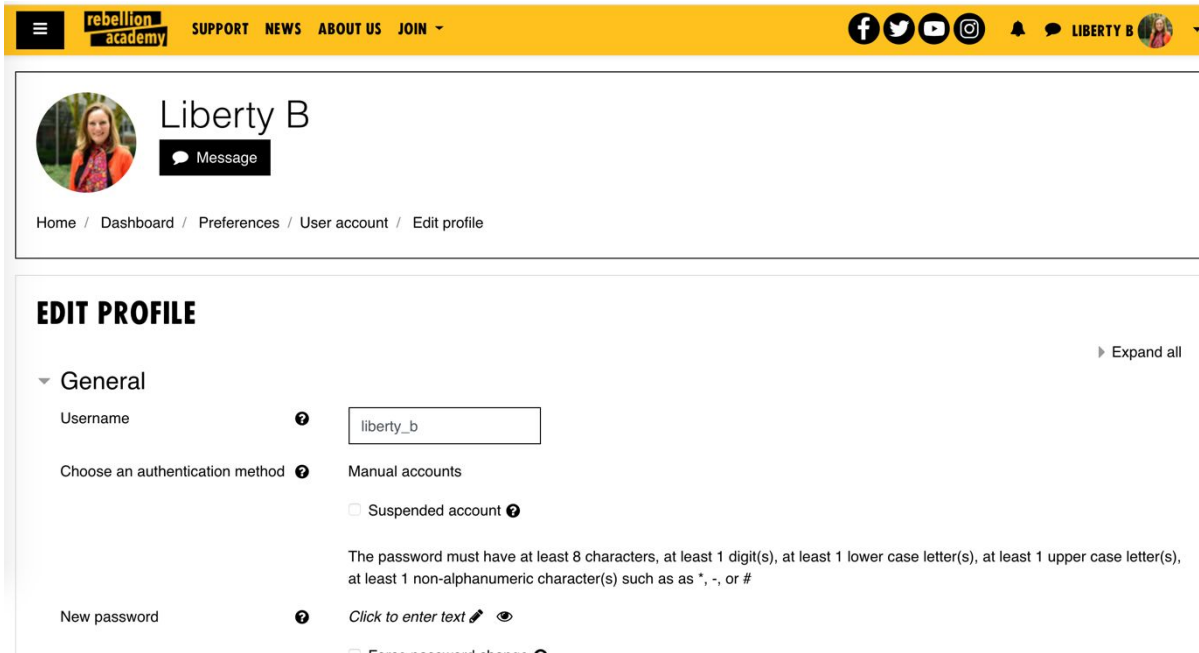
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## HOW TO JOIN THE ACADEMY

1. The first step is to **CREATE YOUR ACCOUNT**
2. The second step is to **CREATE YOUR PROFILE**. Add as much information as possible about yourself. It will help XR to learn more about you to help find the ideal role for you. Your profile will also keep track of the trainings you complete.

You can read our **PRIVACY POLICY** on how we collect, use and store your personal data.



The screenshot shows the user profile page for 'Liberty B'. At the top, there is a navigation bar with the Rebellion Academy logo, menu items (SUPPORT, NEWS, ABOUT US, JOIN), and social media icons (Facebook, Twitter, YouTube, Instagram) along with a notification bell and the user's name 'LIBERTY B'. Below the navigation bar, the user's profile is displayed with a circular profile picture of a woman, the name 'Liberty B', and a 'Message' button. A breadcrumb trail reads 'Home / Dashboard / Preferences / User account / Edit profile'. The main content area is titled 'EDIT PROFILE' and includes an 'Expand all' link. Under the 'General' section, there are three fields: 'Username' with the value 'liberty\_b', 'Choose an authentication method' with 'Manual accounts' selected and 'Suspended account' as an unselected option, and 'New password' with a 'Click to enter text' prompt and a visibility toggle. A password requirement note is visible: 'The password must have at least 8 characters, at least 1 digit(s), at least 1 lower case letter(s), at least 1 upper case letter(s), at least 1 non-alphanumeric character(s) such as as \*, -, or #'. There is also a partially visible checkbox for 'Force password change'.

## FIND OUT WHAT TYPE OF REBEL YOU ARE

Click on the section below most relevant to you:

[I'm a new rebel and not sure how I want to get involved](#)

[I'm a new rebel and don't know how to get involved](#)

[I'm an existing rebel and want to do specific trainings for my role](#)

[I'm an existing rebel and want to change my rebel pathway / role](#)

[I'm a supporter of XR and want to learn more](#)

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## I'M A NEW REBEL AND NOT SURE HOW TO GET INVOLVED

For new rebels, the Academy will help to guide you to your ideal role within XR.

If you are not sure how you would like to get involved, we offer these simple pathways to help you to find how what type of rebel you are – you may be more than one!



### **ACTION REBEL**

The 'Action Rebel', as the name suggests, wants to be involved in arrestable or non-arrestable actions, either by participating in the action or taking on a support role at the action.

i.e. Protesters.



### **GRASSROOT REBEL**

The 'Grassroots Rebel' is a rebel who wants to get involved in projects at a local level - this could be by joining local working groups or doing local outreach.

i.e. Member of a local group



### **MOVEMENT REBEL**

The 'Movement Rebel' might not be willing to get arrested (REMEMBER: YOU DON'T HAVE TO GET ARRESTED), but still wants to be involved in actions, plans and strategies.

i.e. Back Office, Stewards



### **SUPPORTER REBEL**

The 'Supporter Rebel' doesn't necessarily want to be involved, but supports XR learning, talking about it and getting people to talk about it.

Answer some simple questions to help you find out what type of rebel you are:

### **ANSWER QUESTIONS**

2. You will then be directed to your ideal pathway or pathways where you can view:

- Rebel case studies
- Relevant trainings and resources
- Access online support to chat to our crew

3. Start training!

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## **I'M A NEW REBEL AND KNOW HOW I WANT TO GET INVOLVED**

You know how you want to get involved – GREAT! But you might need to do specific trainings for your role or find out what is involved in taking on this role.

We highly recommend you checking that you are happy to do the role you have in mind. It is not always what you think it might be.

You have the following options

1. Search for your role TBC [waiting on roles team to provide the list]

OR

2. Check out the different **REBEL PATHWAYS** to access relevant trainings and resources

3. Use the **SEARCH** function available on every page to find the relevant training (available after you have logged in)

4. Review ALL TRAININGS available via our **HOME PAGE** once you've logged in

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## I'M AN EXISTING REBEL AND WANT TO DO SPECIFIC TRAININGS FOR MY ROLE

Thank you for helping XR! We really value your time.

You can make the most of the Academy by taking part in trainings that are relevant for your role.

If you are not sure what trainings to do, ask the Internal Coordinator or leader of your group.

There are two ways to find your relevant trainings and resources:

1. Use the **SEARCH** function available on every page (available after you have logged in)
2. Review **ALL TRAININGS** available via our **HOME PAGE** (available after you have logged in)

## I'M AN EXISTING REBEL AND WANT TO CHANGE MY REBEL PATHWAY / ROLE

Thank you for being a part of XR! We really value your help.

You can use the Academy to find out what role you would be interested by doing the following:

### 1. I'm not sure which role to change to

**ANSWER THESE SIMPLE QUESTIONS** TO FIND OUT WHAT TYPE OF REBEL YOU ARE

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This will help you to get a feel for the different ways to get involved. We recommend you complete the trainings for the roles you are interested in to learn more and then visit the XR Roles website to apply for a role OR ask to change roles within your existing working group.

## 2. I know which role to change to

Fantastic! Then it's easy – you can do one of the following:

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## I'M A SUPPORTER OF XR AND WANT TO LEARN MORE

Maybe you have only just discovered XR and want to find out more.

Maybe you have a friend or family member who is involved, and you want to know what they are involved in.

Maybe you are considering getting involved and want to learn more about XR and the different ways to get involved.

Maybe you would like to make some life changes to reduce your impact on the environment.



Whatever the reason, the **SUPPORTER PATHWAY** will help.

The Supporter section offers real life case studies, blogs and advice to help you to discover:

- The basics about XR through easy to use short trainings
  - The different types of rebel in XR and what they do
  - How to get involved in XR
  - How to make changes to reduce your impact on the environment
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## CHAT TO US

We would love to hear your feedback on your rebel experience through the Academy.

### **FEEDBACK**

Need more support? Get in touch with our crew:

**uk@rebellion.academy**