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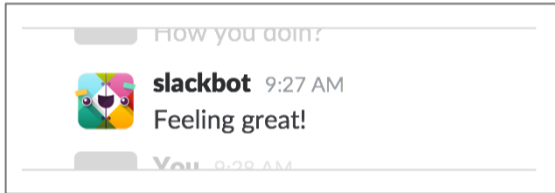
Change How Messages are Displayed

One in four adults in the United States has a disability. Users with varying degrees of visual, cognitive, auditory, speech, and motor disabilities have vastly different experiences with the same content. To accommodate different users, QualityNet Slack works to be accessible to all. Today's Slack 508 Accessibility series topic is: **Message Display**.

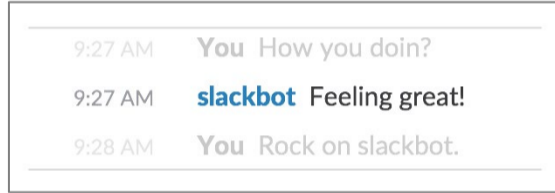
Themes Selection Adjusts Message Display

When using QualityNet Slack on your desktop, you can adjust how your messages are displayed by choosing a theme and selecting additional display options if you'd like. By default, Slack uses the **Clean theme**. The **Clean theme** displays member profile photos beside their messages. If you'd like to see more messages at once, you can switch to the **Compact theme** instead. The **Compact theme** uses less white space between messages and hides member profile photos.

Clean Theme

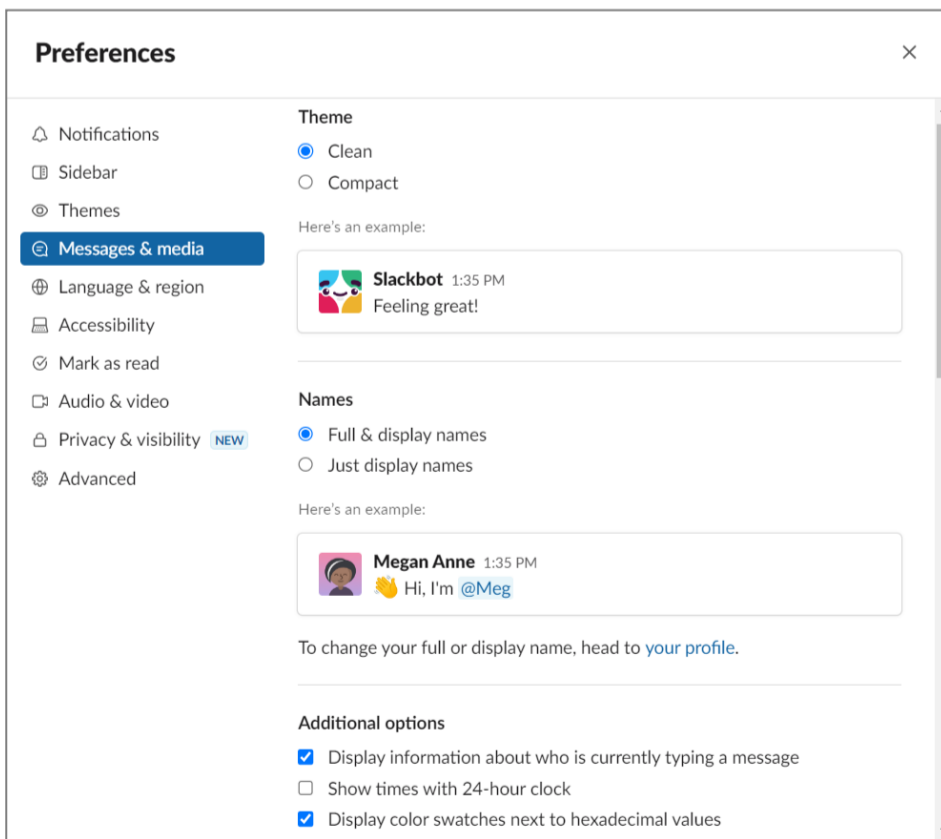


Compact Theme



Steps to Select Message Display

1. From your desktop, click your **profile** picture in the top right.
2. Select **Preferences** from the menu.
3. Click **Messages & media** in the left sidebar.
4. Choose either **Clean** or **Compact**.



Additional Message Display Options

You can adjust other message-related display settings under **Additional options** in the same **Messages & media tab**. Those settings include:

- Full and/or Display names
- Display information about who is currently typing a message
- Show times with 24-hour clock
- Display color swatches next to hexadecimal values
- Emoji displays

Tip! You can change the color of your coworkers' display names when using the **Compact** theme.

- Type: `/color @displayname 6-digit HTML color value`
- e.g. `/color @tomsmith 3EB890`

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