

Dropbox Integration Administrator Setup

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Communifire supports a two-way sync between Files and Dropbox. Dropbox sync has the following features:

- Your Dropbox files will appear in [Files](#) (and sync automatically every 3 hours)
- You can upload files to Dropbox in Communifire
- You can download Dropbox files in Communifire

Step 1: Configure the Dropbox App

1. Visit the [Dropbox developer app console](#).
2. Click **Create app**.
3. Select **Scoped access**.
4. Select **Full Dropbox**.
5. Enter a name for the app.
6. Check **I agree to Dropbox API Terms and Conditions**.
7. Click **Create app**.
8. In the OAuth 2 section, under **Redirect URIs**, enter your site URL followed by `/oauth2/dropbox/callback`. (e.g. <https://myintranet.com/oauth2/dropbox/callback> or <https://myintranet.communifire.com/oauth2/dropbox/callback>)

9. Click **Add**.
10. Copy the **App key** and **App secret** and save them for later.
11. In the **Development users** section, click **Enable additional users**.
12. Click **Okay**.
13. Click the **Permissions** tab.
14. Check the following scopes:
 - files.metadata.write
 - files.metadata.read
 - files.content.write
 - files.content.read
15. Click **Submit**.
16. Click the **Branding** tab to upload an image for the app. Users will see the image on the consent screen when they connect their Dropbox account. (Optional)
 - a. Click **Choose from Dropbox**.
 - b. Select an image from your Dropbox files.
 - c. Click **Choose**.
 - d. Click **Save changes**.

Step 2: Add the Dropbox App in Communifire

1. In Communifire, go to **Control Panel > System > Integrations**.
2. Click **Add Connected Account**.
3. Select **Dropbox**.
4. Enter a display name. This name will appear in [My Integrations](#) when a user has connected their account.
5. Paste the app key and secret in App Client ID and App Client Secret.
6. Set where users can connect to Dropbox from:
 - **Available in top level community:** Users can connect to Dropbox in **Browse > Files**. (Note: If enabled, files must be set to On in **Control Panel > System > Application Settings**.)
 - **Available in spaces:** Space admins can add Dropbox in any space. Users can connect to Dropbox in the space **Files** section.
 - **Available in Personal Connect:** Users can connect to Dropbox in [My Files](#)

7. Click **Save Settings**.

Step 3: Add Dropbox to the Files Section

Option 1: Add Dropbox in a specific space or the top level community

1. Navigate to one area depending on where you want users to connect to Dropbox:
 - To add Dropbox to the Files section of a specific space, go to **Manage Space > External Drives**.
 - To add Dropbox to **Browse > Files**, go to **Control Panel > System > External Drives**.
2. Click **Add External Drives**.
3. Click **Dropbox**.
4. Enter a **Display name**. The display name will appear when users open the Dropbox folder.
5. In **Connected Account**, select the Dropbox account you added.
6. Click **Connect**.
7. A new tab will open. Click **Continue**.
8. Click **Allow**.
9. You'll be returned to Communifire. Click **Save Settings**.

Once settings are saved, users can connect to Dropbox in the Files section of the space or in **Browse > Files**.

Option 2: Add Dropbox to My Files

If you enabled **Available in Personal Connect**, go to **Control Panel > System > System Properties** and set **ShowNewMyAccountFilesView** to *true*. Once this is enabled, users can connect to Dropbox in My Files.

Connect to Dropbox

[Dropbox Integration User Setup](#)