

REST API: Get Parent Directories

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Get parent directories

GET /api/file/directories/{directoryid}/parent

Fetches all the parent directories of the child directory. Valid for Communifire version 5.2 and above.

Method Details

HTTP Method

GET

Response Format

JSON

Requires Authentication?

YES

Product Version

5.2 and above

Required Parameters	How to use	Description
API Key	Used in the request URL: &token=x OR Set in header: request.Headers.Add(Rest-Api-Key, x)	Communifire REST API key for the Communifire portal you are making the call for.
DirectoryID	Used in the request URL (see below)	Unique identifier for a particular directory.

Example URL to GET: <http://your-community.com/api/file/directories/339/parent>

Response JSON sample where Directory IDs JSON object is returned as ResponseData

Note: First result under ResponseData would be the first parent of the directory, similarly

grand parent would be the second result and so on.

```
{
  "IsError":false,
  "ResponseMessage":"","
  "ResponseData":
    [
      335,
      334,
      1
    ]
}
```

Please Note Your content type that you pass in the header of your request should be **'application/json'**.

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