

# REST API: Get Message

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## Get Message

GET /api/chat/message/{messageid}

Get a community user's message from database. Valid for Communifire version 5.2 and above.

### Method Details

HTTP Method

GET

Response Format

JSON

Requires Authentication?

YES

Product Version

6.0 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.
MessageID	Used in the request URL (see below)	Unique identifier for a particular message.

Example URL: <https://your-community.com/api/chat/messages/68>

### Response JSON sample where message JSON object is returned as ResponseData

Here is an example of JSON data returned from the API call.

```
{
  "IsError": false,
  "ResponseMessage": "",
  "ResponseData": {
    "MessageID": 68,
    "ThreadID": 1,
    "MessageBody": "You are doing good",
    "MessageBodyHtmlFormatted": "You are doing good",
    "MessageBodyTextFormatted": "You are doing good",
    "UpdatedByUserID": 5,
    "DateUpdated": "2019-01-03T08:47:27.897",
    "DateUpdatedString": "Edited 08:47:27 AM",
    "IsRead": false,
    "IsDeliveredToAllParticipants": false,
    "IsReadByAllParticipants": false,
    "IsSentFromChat": false,
  }
}
```

```
"IsSentFromSystemMessageUser": false,
"SenderUserID": 5,
"SenderAvatarImageURL": "https://your-community.com/assets/Themes/default/images/avatar-default.jpg",
"SenderUserProfileURL": "https://your-community.com/people/ben-n",
"HasAttachment": false,
"SenderMediaServerID": 0,
"DateSent": "2019-01-03T08:16:00.99",
"DateSentWrtUser": "2019-01-03T08:16:00.99Z",
"DateSentWrtUserCustom": "20190103",
"DateSentShortDateText": "1/3/2019",
"DateSentText": "an hour ago",
"DateSentISO": "2019-01-03T08:16:00.9900000Z",
"TimeText": "08:16 AM",
"SenderUserDisplayName": "Ben Newman",
"ThreadURL": "/chat#/threads/1",
"IsOneToOne": false,
"ParticipantsIds": "5, 6",
"DateDividerString": "Today",
"IsMultipleMessage": false,
"MessageType": 0,
"IsMultipleMessageStart": false,
"IsMultipleMessageEnd": false,
"IsDeleted": false,
"IsEdited": true,
"IsFavorite": false,
"TenantID": 0
}
}
```

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

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