



Request a Clark University Mailing List

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What is a mailing list?

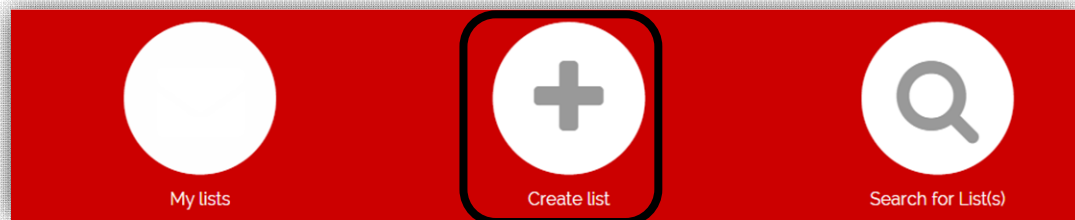
A mailing list allows you to email a group or department all at once, without remembering and selecting each individual's Clark email address. Subscription options, archives, and other options are all managed by the list owner (typically, the person requesting the mailing list becomes the list owner, although additional owners can be added later on).

Request a New Mailing List

1. In your internet browser, go to <http://lists.clarku.edu/>. In the upper right corner of the screen, click *Clark Login*.



2. Enter your Clark username and password (if required).
3. Click *Create list*.



4. In the *List name* field, enter the name you'd like to use for the mailing list.
Note: the name will be part of the mailing list's email address, so it can only contain letters, numbers, underscores, or dashes.
 - a. Example: Typing "iloveclark" will create iloveclark@lists.clarku.edu as a mailing list.



- Next, you'll select a **list type**. Descriptions of each type's subscription and archive options are listed beneath each list type. Choose the one that best suits your mailing list by clicking the appropriate bubble.

List type:

closed_announcements

Closed Announcement List

private archives
only moderators can post
controlled subscription

closed_discussions

Closed Discussion List

private archives
subscribers can post
controlled subscription

- In the Subject box, enter a human-friendly name for your mailing list.
 - Example: the human-friendly name for “iloveclark” would be “I Love Clark.”

Subject:

I Love Clark

- In the **Audience** field, select the option that best matches the purpose of your mailing list.

Audience:

-- Select an Audience --

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Closed Announcement Lists

Closed Discussion Lists

Open Announcement Lists

Open Discussion Lists

Other

8. In the **Description** field, enter a brief description of the mailing list's purpose.

Description:

A mailing list for Clark community members who want to share stories, pictures, or tidbits about why they love Clark!

9. Click **Submit your creation request**.

Submit your creation request

ITS will contact you within 2-3 business days regarding the status of your mailing list request. If you have any questions, or if you'd like assistance with this process, please contact the ITS Help Desk at 508-793-7745 or helpdesk@clarku.edu.