

Using Campfire: AskAway's Group Chat Tool

1. Start in a new browser window at the Askaway staff page:

<http://www.eln.bc.ca/askaway>

Select *Campfire Group Chat* to get to the <http://askawayps.campfirenow.com> login page



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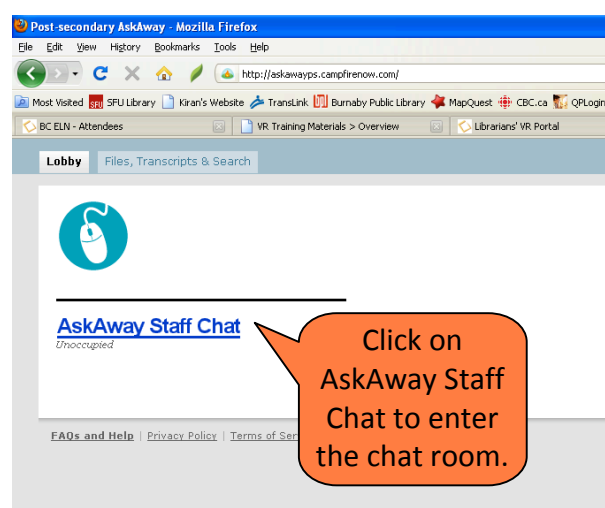
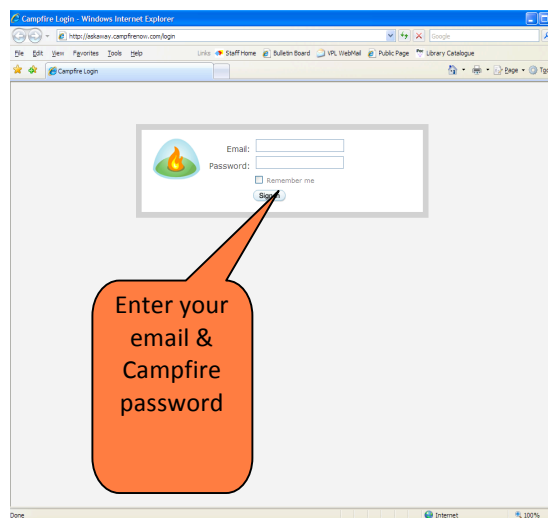
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2. Login to get to the chat rooms and then select your chat room.



3. Chatting with your colleagues:

- There's a maximum of 12 chatters allowed in the chat room at the same time.
- You can upload up to 10 MB files to share.

The image shows a screenshot of a web browser displaying a Campfire chat room titled "AskAway Staff Chat". The browser's address bar shows the URL "http://askawayps.campfirenow.com/room/264383". The chat interface includes a header with "Lobby AskAway Staff Chat Files, Transcripts & Search". A chat log on the left shows a message from "Sunni N." at "Jan 11 2:30 PM" stating "Sunni N. has entered the room". On the right, there is a search bar, a "Who's here?" section listing "Sunni Nishimura", and a "Guest access is off (2)" section. At the bottom, there is a text input field and a "Send message" button. Five orange callout boxes provide instructions: "Click Leave to exit the chat room." points to the "Leave" link; "View everyone's chat here" points to the chat log; "See your colleague's names here" points to the "Who's here?" section; "Type here to chat" points to the text input field; and "Scroll up to see earlier chat transcript" points to the bottom of the chat log area.

4. That's it. It's easy!