



# How To Use

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## Smart Appointment & Booking Pro

Add New Form Builder > Add Title > Publish Post

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### Configure Booking Setting for each Form

#### Form Configuration

Generate required fields and give labels and hit Save button to save Form.

Note. Form is save on hitting save button not published button

**Form Shortcode:** Copy the form shortcode and place it in page where you want to display form.

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### Booking Configuration

**Enable booking form** Create form and set booking configuration Tick it if you want to enable Booking form with form or else form will work individually.

**Enter Calendar Title** Provide a title for the calendar that will be displayed on the front end.

**Description** Add a short description or instructions to guide users.

**Select Weekdays:** Select the weekdays that the booking form will be active.

**Appointment Type:** Choose the appointment type: “Virtual” if you want to share a third-party link, or “Physical” if customers need to visit you locally.

**Timezone** Select the timezone that corresponds to your location.

**Map Booking Email:** Map the booking email to ensure entries are saved and associated with an email for record-keeping.

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#### Timeslots Tabs

**Select Date:** Select date, any configured timeslots on this day will be displayed individually. If recurrence is enabled, the next day after the selected date becomes the starting point for the recurring event.

**Generate Timeslots:** You can generate timeslots for day. Note : Timeslots can be generated for adjacent two day like 10:00 pm to 11:30pm , 12:30 AM to 2:30 PM

**No of Booking per Timeslot** Set the global maximum number of bookings allowed for timeslot.

**Allow Auto approve:** Bookings will be automatically confirmed upon form submission, eliminating the need for manual approval from the admin. Adjust this based on your preference.

#### Allow Auto Waiting:

Enabled : Timeslots will be available for booking even after all slots are filled, placing users on a waiting list. Disabled : Timeslots will be unavailable once all slots are booked.

**Allow bookings during running timeslot:** This setting controls the availability of timeslots during an ongoing session. If enabled then Users can book until a specified time constraint for a particular timeslot (e.g., 00:30 – 30mins cor-

responding to that timeslot.) Adjust this based on your requirements.

The screenshot shows the 'Booking Configuration' window with the 'Timeslots' tab selected. It features a 'Select Date' dropdown set to '11/29/2023'. Below this is the 'Add/Update Generated Timeslots' section, which contains two rows of time slot configurations. Each row includes a 'Start Time' field, an 'End Time' field, and a 'Bookings stops after minutes of start time' field with two sub-inputs (00 and 30). Red trash icons are present next to each row. At the bottom, there is a 'No of Booking per Timeslots' input field set to '5' and three checked checkboxes: 'Allow Auto Approve', 'Allow Waiting List', and 'Allow bookings during running timeslot'.

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### Advance setting :

**Enable Advance Setting** When this setting is activated, timeslots will be overridden for a specific day. This feature empowers users to set unique timeslots for multiple dates, each with different Booking Slots and the ability to halt bookings after a certain number of minutes from the start time.

**Add Date Field Group:** Click the add icon to create a new Date Field Group.

**1.Advance Setting:** Select the date for which you want to set a session. If recurring is enabled, this setting allows you to override timeslots for the selected date using advanced timeslot settings. It is also helpful to add timeslots for date other than selected date.

**1.Add Timeslots:** Click the add icon to include a new timeslot. Specify the Start Time, End Time, Number of Booking slots, and the booking halt time after the session has begun (format: HH:MM 00:00) for that particular timeslot. To remove a specific timeslot, click the delete icon. To delete settings for the

entire date, click “Remove Date.”

The screenshot shows the 'Booking Configuration' window with the 'Recurring Appointment' tab selected. The 'Enable advanced Setting' checkbox is checked. There are three 'Add Date Field Group' sections, each containing an 'Advance Date' field and an 'Add Timeslots' section. Each 'Add Timeslots' section has a table with columns for Start Time, End Time, Bookings, and Bookings stops after minutes of start time. Below each 'Add Timeslots' section is a red 'Remove Date' button.

Advance Date	Start Time	End Time	Bookings	Bookings stops after minutes of start time
12/26/2023	08:30 AM	09:30 AM	5	00:00
12/13/2023	02:30 PM	03:30 PM	55	00:00
01/19/2024	05:30 PM	06:30 PM	5	00:30

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## Recurring Appointment :

**Enable Recurring Bookings:** When activated, the next day after the selected date becomes the starting point for the recurring event. **Repeat**

**Recurring:** Choose the recurrence pattern. Weekdays and weekends are referred on the base of selection of weekdays setting on first Tab.

Daily: Display timeslot configuration daily without skipping any days, except for holidays. Every Weekend: Display timeslot configuration every weekend, the same for weekdays. Certain Day: Timeslot configuration will recur on selected days for every week which can include a mix of weekends and weekdays.

**Add Holidays** If recurring bookings are enabled and you are unavailable, holidays can be included to skip bookings. **End Repeats:** Select either “Never” or “On (specific Date)” to determine when the recurring configuration should end.

The screenshot shows the 'Booking Configuration' window with the 'Recurring Appointment' tab selected. The 'Enable Recurring Bookings' checkbox is checked. The 'Repeat Recurring' dropdown menu is set to 'Daily'. There is an 'Add Holidays' section with a date field set to 12/23/2023. The 'End Repeats' section has the 'On' radio button selected and a date field set to 12/22/2023.

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## User Mapping :

**Is User Logged In** Form will be only visible if user is logged in else you can display content added to below setting

**Create User when any Non-existing User Submits Form:** On mapping fields, and enabling this option it checks if user exist or not , if not then it will create user and save entry under that user

**Form Field Mapping with User required Fields:** Associate form fields to map with user as follows: First Name Last Name Email (recommended to use as Username for uniqueness) Role Password (auto-generated or mapped to another field)

**Show Content when User is not logged In: Display Login & Signup Button or any required message** The content added over here will be displayed when user is not logged in and setting- Is User Logged In is enabled.

The screenshot displays the 'User Mapping' configuration window. At the top, there are two checked checkboxes: 'Is User Login Required' and 'Create User when any Non-existing User Submits Form'. Below these is the 'Form Field Mapping with User required Fields' section, which includes six dropdown menus: 'First Name' (set to 'First Name'), 'Last Name' (set to 'Last Name'), 'Username' (set to 'Email'), 'Email' (set to 'Email'), 'Password' (set to 'Auto Generate'), and 'Role' (set to 'Subscriber'). At the bottom, there is a section titled 'Show Content when User is not logged In: Display Login & Signup Button or any required message'. This section contains an 'Add Media' button and a rich text editor with a toolbar. The text inside the editor is 'Please Login To book... Leave any message or html ...'.

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## Payments Setting :

**1 Enable Stripe Payment Form, Enable Test Mode 2 Map Field with Form Field:** Go to input field setting > Go to Api Tab > Map field with Property Name

Payment

**Note:** Map below fields with Form field's API Property name

Enable Stripe Payment Form

Enable Test Mode

Test Publishable Key  
pk\_live\_51O1s2yIgKle2Xi3P2SchbQtAXUKepUTVu6KjsBL0RwZ9827zbDrBpeFDLFLhblWmSe

Live Publishable Key  
pk\_live\_51O1s2yIgKle2Xi3P2SchbQtAXUKepUTVu6KjsBL0RwZ9827zbDrBpeFDLFLhblWmSe

Test Secret Key  
sk\_live\_51O1s2yIgKle2Xi3PXQaUOWW455aJ1HvGJUjMamLjmtAFJrHlsRrllDP3GrEMaWOFXt

Live Secret Key  
sk\_live\_51O1s2yIgKle2Xi3PXQaUOWW455aJ1HvGJUjMamLjmtAFJrHlsRrllDP3GrEMaWOFXt

Customer Email  
email

Amount : If booking is enabled, Cost field value will be mapped here with Amount  
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Quantity  
If booking configuration is enabled then no need to map Quantity Field

First Name  
firstName

Select Currency  
United States Dollar (USD)

Company Name  
companyName

Last Name  
lastName

City  
city

Address  
address

Zip Code  
zipcode

State  
state

Country  
country

**3 Quantity Field:** When booking is activated, consider Slots as the quantity. If booking is not enabled, modify the post to map the quantity field with the form field.

Similarly, for the Amount field, if booking is enabled, the cost field will be considered. Choose the currency for the transaction.

**4 Add Html element in form to stripe element:** Create html element add div tag with class card-stripe.

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**Configure Emails, Form Submission Notes, Redirection after form submit.**

Form Builder [Add New](#)

All (1) | Published (1)

Bulk actions  All dates  All Forms

<input type="checkbox"/> Title	Shortcode	Date
<input type="checkbox"/> Booking Form <a href="#">Edit</a> <a href="#">Email Notification</a> <a href="#">Quick Edit</a> <a href="#">Trash</a>	[booking_form form_id=6546]	Published 2023/11/17 at 1:01 pm
<input type="checkbox"/> Title	Shortcode	Date

Bulk actions  1 item

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**Field Mapping :**

Field Mapping is employed for the email settings, The following fields should be mapped: first name(required), last name(required), email(required or pass manual), service or product selection, cancel booking page, and the make payment request page.

Here's a breakdown of the field mapping placeholders:

[FormId]: Retrieves the Form Id. [FormTitle]: Retrieves the form Title. [To]: Retrieves the user's email but requires mapping to the email field.  
[FirstName]: Retrieves the form's First Name. [LastName]: Retrieves the form's Last Name.

For the “Make Payment Request” setting, it serves the purpose of requesting a payment via email.

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## Notifications :

Clicking on “Add New” allows you to configure notifications for each status, and if no notification is set for a specific status, an email will be sent. For instance, when a user submits a booking form, it's marked as “Booked.” To enable notifications for this status, you must set them up. The system supports multiple notifications that can be easily enabled or disabled.

Here's a breakdown of the various statuses:

**Booked:** Forms with booking calendars fall into this status. **Submitted:** Forms without booking calendars are categorized as submitted. **Pending:** If auto-approval for bookings is disabled, submitted forms are set to Pending until manually approved. **Approved:** After admin approval, forms move to the Approved status. **Cancelled:** If a booking is cancelled, the entry is marked as Cancelled. **Waiting:** If waiting is allowed and all slots are booked, users can be added to the Waiting list, allowing them to book and stand by for availability.

## General Notification Setting

Notification Name

State

- Disable  
 Enable

Type

## Email

To

From

Reply To

Bcc

Cc

Subject

Mail Body

 Add Media

Visual

Text

Paragraph **B** *I*           

Hello [firstName] [lastName],

Please review submitted form data:

[email]

[amount]

[quantity]

[address]

[companyName]

[city]

[state]  
 [zipcode]  
 [country]  
 Booking shortcodes  
 [FormId]  
 [FormTitle]  
 Payments  
 [Payment\_status]  
 Regards

Use HTML Content Type

Submit

Close

Mail Settings for form: booking form Eg- mansi

Field Mapping Notification Confirmation

Add New notification

Show 10 entries Search:

<input type="checkbox"/>	Notification	Status	State	Actions
<input type="checkbox"/>	1. Notification	booked	Enabled	<input type="checkbox"/> Edit
<input type="checkbox"/>	2. Sample New Notification 2	pending	Enabled	<input type="checkbox"/> Edit
<input type="checkbox"/>	3. Sample New Notification 3	cancelled	Enabled	<input type="checkbox"/> Edit
<input type="checkbox"/>	4. Sample New Notification 4	approved	Enabled	<input type="checkbox"/> Edit
<input type="checkbox"/>	5. Sample New Notification 5	waiting	Enabled	<input type="checkbox"/> Edit

Showing 1 to 5 of 5 entries Previous 1 Next

Delete

Back To Form configuration

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### Confirmation :

After submitting a form, there are three redirection options available:

#### Text:

If the user prefers to display a confirmation message or a detailed thank-you note, they can choose the "Text" option.

Shortcodes can be added in the text editor, and these will be replaced with actual values upon submission.

#### Page Redirect:

Selecting “Page Redirect” allows redirection to a specific page after form submission.

## Redirect:

The “Redirect” option allows redirection to any URL after submitting the form.

Shortcodes, such as [postid] & [formid], can be included, along with query parameters.

Mail Settings for form: booking form Eg- mansi

Field Mapping Notification Confirmation

Calendar Setting

Enable Add To calender on booking.Add Shortcode [add\_to\_cal title="Add To calender"] on texteditor with button title page.  
Add Shortcode [sab\_add\_to\_cal] On redirecting page.(Https is required.)

Redirection after form submit

Text  Page  Redirect to

Select a page:

Sample Page

Save

Back To Form configuration

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Redirection after form submit

Text  Page  Redirect to

Enter Uri and you may use ?[postid]&[formid] in the end of Uri:

https://example.com/bms-success/?[postid]&[formid]

Save

Back To Form configuration

## 2.2

## Google Calendar Integration

### Enable Calendar:

This option appears only if the booking configuration is enabled.

Users can add shortcodes in the text editor on the page to which the form will be redirected after submission for authentication.

[booking\_form form\_id='92']



Type / to choose a block

[/] Shortcode

[saab\_add\_to\_cal]



Field Mapping Notification Confirmation

**Calendar Setting**

Enable Add To calendar on booking.Add Shortcode [add\_to\_cal title="Add To calendar"] on texteditor with button title page. Add Shortcode [saab\_add\_to\_cal] On redirecting page.(Https is required.)

**Redirection after form submit**

Text  Page  Redirect to

**Form Confirmation Message**

[Add Media](#)

Paragraph **B** *I*

Thank you for submitting form !

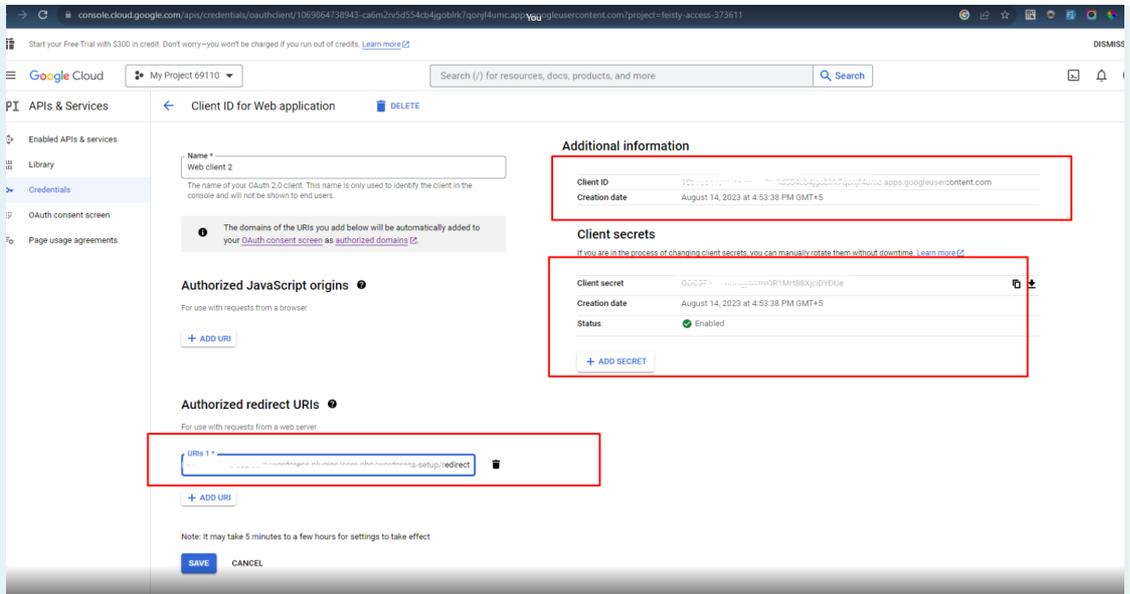
[add\_to\_cal title="Add To calendar"]

## Integration with Google API Key:

To enable the calendar feature and ensure a smooth redirection process, users need to integrate their Google API key in the integration settings.

The same redirect URL should be used both in the Google Console Platform and the backend settings for integration to avoid errors.

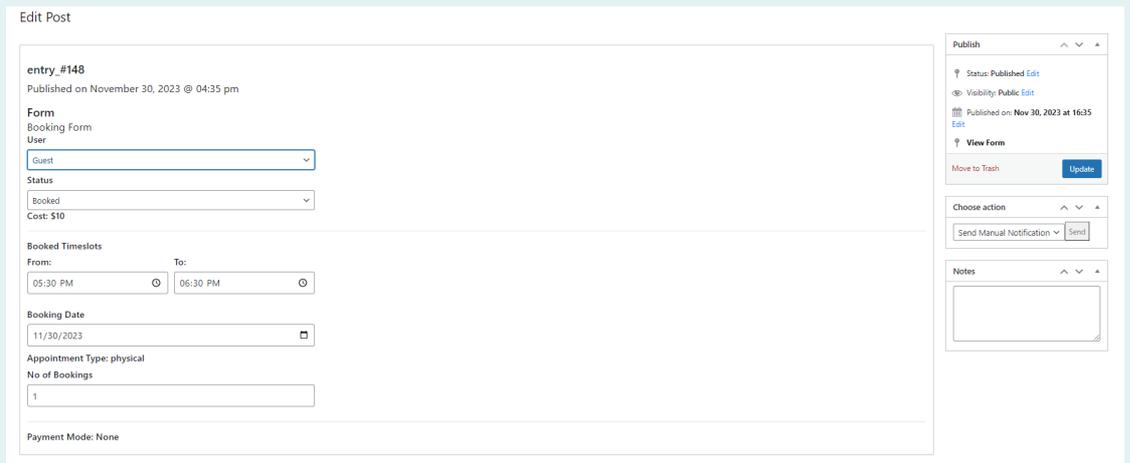
This setup ensures a customized confirmation experience after form submission and facilitates integration with the Google Calendar API for users who enable the booking configuration.



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### Manage Entry

Submitted Entry will fall under manage entry post type, where you can change status and on update notification will be send automatically. But you need to configured notification under that status and should be enabled.



Admin can update form entry specifically for any bookings and hit update.

**Edit Forms Details**

First Name  
Byron

Last Name  
Wise

Email  
dycyvogati@mailinator.com

Address  
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City  
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Quantity  
755

[Update](#)

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## Add Notes

Admin can add notes or comments under Notes meta box and send manual Notification

Empty form area

**Publish**

Status: **Published** [Edit](#)

Visibility: **Public** [Edit](#)

Published on: **Nov 30, 2023 at 16:35** [Edit](#)

[View Form](#)

[Move to Trash](#) [Update](#)

**Choose action**

[Send Manual Notification](#) [Send](#)

[Send Manual Notification](#)

[booked](#)

[submitted](#)