# **Basic Internet Navigation with Chromevox**

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## What is the Chromevox Key?

The Chromevox Key is “Search” by default. Search is on the left side of the keyboard 3 keys up.

## Sticky Mode

### What does it do?

When Sticky Mode is enabled, it enables the Chromevox Key permenantly (as if the Chromevox Key is “stuck down”)

### How do I enable it?

Quickly double press the chromevox key to enable (Chromevox will say “Sticky Mode enabled”.)

Quickly double press the chromevox key to disable (Chromevox will say “Sticky Mode Disabled”)

## Navigation

### Method 1: Tab

Use this when the object is close by.

Move to the next object (Chromevox + Right Arrow)

Move to the previous object (Chromevox + Left Arrow)

Move to the next clickable object: (Tab)

Move to the previous clickable object: (Shift + Tab)

### Method 2: Quick Keys

Use this when you want to skim. Add shift to go to the previous element.

Next Heading (Chromevox + H)

Next Link (Chreomvox + L)

Next Visited Link (Chromevox + V)

Next Button (Chromevox + B)

Next Edit Box (Chromevox + E)

Next Table (Chromevox + T)

### Method 3: Chromevox Menus

Use this when you know what you are looking for.

Open Chromevox Menus (Chromevox + Period)

Links List (Chromevox + Ctrl + L)

Headings List (Chromevox + Ctrl + H)

Forms List (Chromevox + Ctrl + F)

Navigate Elements List Dialog (Initial Letter Navigation)

Initial Letter Navigation: the first letter of the name of the element. For Example, if you were looking for a link named “Libraries”. You would open the Links List and press “L” for “Libraries”.

## Form Fields

Navigate Checkboxes: (Tab) (Shift Tab)

Navigate Radio Buttons: (Up and Down Arrow)

Open a Combo Box: (Down Arrow)

## Tabs

New Tab: (Ctrl + T)

Close Tab: (Ctrl + W)

Switch Tabs: (Ctrl + Tab)

## Miscellaneous

Turn on/off Chromevox (Ctrl Alt

Address Bar: (Ctrl + L) or (Alt + D)

Back (Alt + Left Arrow)

Forward (Alt + Right Arrow)

Refresh (Ctrl + R)

Context Menu (Shift + F10) or (Applications Key)

## Troubleshooting

If you get lost… Then go back until you know where you are (Alt + Left Arrow)

If you get really lost… Then go to the address bar and try again (Ctrl + L) or ( Alt + D)

If you are stuck somewhere… Then you may be in a combo box or forms mode (escape)

If Chromevox stops talking… Then restart Chromevox (Ctrl + Alt + Z)

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