Sidebars

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Schema

The schema defines all the fields that exist within a sidebar record. Any response from these endpoints can be expected to contain the fields below unless the `_filter` query parameter is used or the schema field only appears in a specific context.

`id`	ID of sidebar. JSON data type: string Read only Context: `embed`, `view`, `edit`
`name`	Unique name identifying the sidebar. JSON data type: string Read only Context: `embed`, `view`, `edit`
`description`	Description of sidebar. JSON data type: string Read only Context: `embed`, `view`, `edit`
`class`	Extra CSS class to assign to the sidebar in the Widgets interface. JSON data type: string Read only Context: `embed`, `view`, `edit`

`before_widget`	HTML content to prepend to each widget's HTML output when assigned to this sidebar. Default is an opening list item element. JSON data type: string Read only Context: `embed`, `view`, `edit`
`after_widget`	HTML content to append to each widget's HTML output when assigned to this sidebar. Default is a closing list item element. JSON data type: string Read only Context: `embed`, `view`, `edit`
`before_title`	HTML content to prepend to the sidebar title when displayed. Default is an opening h2 element. JSON data type: string Read only Context: `embed`, `view`, `edit`
`after_title`	HTML content to append to the sidebar title when displayed. Default is a closing h2 element. JSON data type: string Read only Context: `embed`, `view`, `edit`
`status`	Status of sidebar. JSON data type: string Read only Context: `embed`, `view`, `edit` One of: `active`, `inactive`
`widgets`	Nested widgets. JSON data type: array Context: `embed`, `view`, `edit`

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Retrieve a Sidebar

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<h3>Definition & Example Request</h3>

<code>GET /wp/v2/sidebars</code>

<p>Query this endpoint to retrieve a specific sidebar record.</p>

<code>$ curl https://example.com/wp-json/wp/v2/sidebars</code>
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Update a Sidebar

Arguments

`widgets`	Nested widgets.

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□<h3>Example Request</h3>

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