

# What are Skills in Chrome? How to turn AI prompts into a super convenient '1-click' tool.

Learn about Chrome Skills to save and rerun AI prompts with just one tap, boosting your productivity with Gemini.

We are increasingly leveraging AI directly in our web browsers to do more and more, from searching for information and comparing products to explaining complex concepts. However, a major inconvenience remains: each time you repeat a familiar task, you have to re-enter the same prompt.

For example, if you frequently ask how to substitute ingredients to make a dish vegan, you would have to re-enter that question every time you open a new page. This is both time-consuming and interrupts the user experience.

To address this issue, Google introduced **Skills in Chrome** — a feature that allows users to save and reuse AI prompts, turning them into tools that run with just one tap.

## How do Skills work?

Essentially, Skills are AI prompts that are 'packaged' for repeated use.

When you write a useful prompt in Gemini on Chrome, you can save it as a Skill directly from your chat history. Then, whenever you need to use it again, you can simply call that Skill by typing '/' or pressing the '+' button in the Gemini interface.

Notably, Skills don't just run on a single page; they can be applied to the content you're currently viewing, even in combination with multiple tabs simultaneously. This transforms a simple prompt into a small, repeatable workflow that can be used many times without needing to be set up again from scratch.

Users can also edit saved skills or create new ones at any time, depending on their needs.

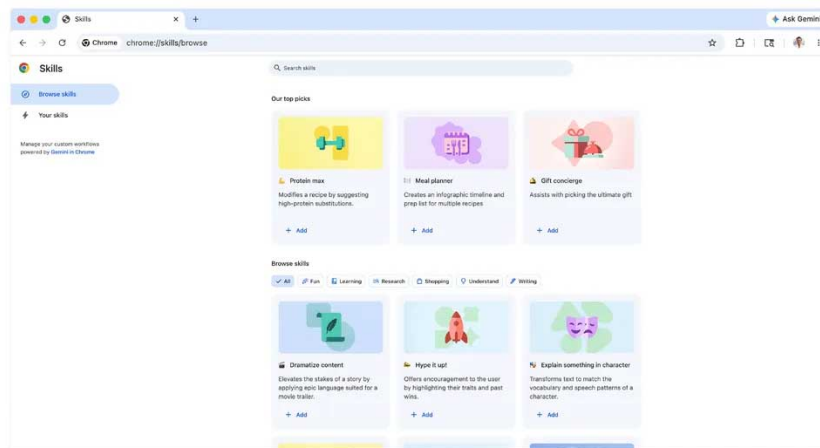
During the testing phase, many people leveraged Skills to build highly effective personalized workflows. For example, for health-related needs, you could create a Skill to quickly calculate the protein content of any recipe. In shopping, Skills could help compare product specifications across multiple open tabs. And for work, you could use Skills to quickly scan long documents and extract important information.

These examples demonstrate that Skills is not just a convenient feature, but also a way to transform AI into a structured, repetitive work tool.

## The Skills library is available.

In addition to creating your own skills, Google also provides a library of pre-built Skills for common needs.

Users can choose from available skills such as analyzing product ingredients, comparing gift options based on budget and preferences, or many other tasks. If you find it suitable, simply save it for immediate use.



Additionally, these Skills can still have their prompts modified to better suit individual needs, instead of having to use them in their original form.

## Control and security

Because Skills can perform many automated actions, Google has built-in control mechanisms to ensure safety.

When Skills need to perform sensitive actions such as adding events to the calendar or sending emails, the system will require user confirmation beforehand. Additionally, Skills are protected by Chrome's built-in security layers, including automated testing and continuous updates.

This helps ensure that AI-powered automation does not compromise privacy and personal data.

## Start using Skills in Chrome

This feature is being rolled out to Gemini in Chrome on desktop. When you log in to your account, your saved Skills will sync across all your Chrome desktop devices.

To manage or use Skills, simply open Gemini in Chrome, type '/' to access the list, and then select the Skill you want to run.

Skills in Chrome demonstrate a clear direction for AI: from a responsive tool to an execution tool. Instead of repeating the same prompt, users can 'package' them into one-click actions, saving time and creating personalized workflows.

In the context of AI becoming increasingly integrated into browsers, features like Skills could become the foundation for a new way of working — where prompts are no longer temporary commands, but long-term tools.

You finished reading the article "**What are Skills in Chrome? How to turn AI prompts into a super convenient '1-click' tool.**" edited by the [TipsMake](#) team. We hope this article has provided you with many useful tech tips and tricks. You can search for similar articles on tips and guides. Thank you for reading and for following us regularly.