

# Create a Poll and Poll Answer Options

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Some users have requested an example call for creating a poll using the REST API. The below call creates a survey object with **type=poll**.

When creating a survey object with **type=poll** the **polloptions** array is required. In the below call we specified 2 answer options like so: **&polloptions[0]=option 1&polloptions[1]=option 2**.

In addition, we specified the **theme=9405** which is the poll theme. Finally, with the optional parameter **polltype**, e.g. **radio**, **image** or **ranking**, can be specified.

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https://api.alchemer.com/v4/survey.debug?
_method=PUT&title=Poll&type=poll&theme=9405&polltype=ranking&polloptions[0]=option
01&polloptions[1]=option 2
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.debug Formatted Return

```
Array
(
  [result_ok] => 1
  [data] => Array
    (
      [id] => 1358159
      [team] => 406258
      [_type] => Survey
      [_subtype] => Poll
      [status] => In Design
      [created_on] => 2013-09-08 20:16:08
      [modified_on] => 2013-09-08 20:16:08
      [forward_only] =>
      [languages] => Array
        (
          [0] => English
        )

      [title] => Poll
      [internal_title] => Poll
      [title_m] => Array
        (
          [English] => Poll
        )

      [theme] => 9405
      [blockby] =>
      [statistics] =>
      [embed] =>
      [links] => Array
        (
          [edit] => {edit link}
          [publish] => {publish link}
        )
    )
)
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)  
[pages] => Array  
(  
  [0] => Array  
  (  
    [id] => 3  
    [_type] => SurveyPage  
    [title] => Array  
    (  
      [English] => Poll Question  
    )  
  )  
  [properties] => Array  
  (  
    [hidden] =>  
  )  
  [description] => Array  
  (  
  )  
  [questions] => Array  
  (  
    [0] => Array  
    (  
      [id] => 2  
      [_type] => SurveyQuestion  
      [_subtype] => rank  
      [title] => Array  
      (  
        [English] => Poll  
      )  
    )  
    [shortname] =>  
    [varname] =>  
    [description] => Array  
    (  
    )  
    [has_showhide_deps] =>  
    [comment] =>  
    [properties] => Array  
    (  
      [required] =>  
      [hidden] =>  
      [minimum_response] => 0  
      [option_sort] =>  
      [map_key] => rank-sort  
      [exclude_number] => YES  
    )  
    [options] => Array  
    (  
      [0] => Array  
      (  
        [id] => 10001  
        [_type] => SurveyOption  
        [title] => Array  
        (  
          [English] => option 1  
        )  
      )  
    )  
    [value] => option 1  
  )  
)
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        [properties] =>
        )
    [1] => Array
    (
        [id] => 10002
        [_type] => SurveyOption
        [title] => Array
        (
            [English] => option 2
        )
        [value] => option 2
        [properties] =>
    )
)
[sub_question_skus] =>
)
)
)
[1] => Array
(
    [id] => 4
    [_type] => SurveyPage
    [title] => Array
    (
        [English] => Results
    )
    [properties] => Array
    (
        [hidden] =>
    )
    [description] => Array
    (
    )
    [questions] => Array
    (
        [0] => Array
        (
            [id] => 3
            [_type] => SurveyDecorative
            [_subtype] => instructions
            [title] => Array
            (
                [English] => [survey("poll results")]
            )
            [shortname] =>
            [varname] =>
            [description] => Array
            (
            )
            [has_showhide_deps] =>
            [comment] =>
            [properties] => Array

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        (
          [hidden] =>
        )

      [options] => Array
      (
      )

      [sub_question_skus] =>
    )
  )
)
)
)
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