

## Missing translations

Sometimes words in the website are not translated, I simply missed them when testing

1. Start the "debug" console, `your-website.xx/pwsWD/PWS_module_test.php`
2. The top-row contains all available blocks to test.
3. Select the block with the missing translations and press "Test-it"
4. In the white box below you see all output of the block including the missing translations.
5. Copy them to your `languages/lang_?? .txt` file and translate the right part.

## Steps to make your own language

or

how to translate the `languages/lang_xx.txt` into your new language

1. Rename a language you not often use, example Dutch from `languages/lang_nl.txt` **to** `languages/lang_yy.txt` **and** `languages/lang_xx.txt` **to** `languages/lang_nl.txt`
2. Open the new `languages/lang_nl.txt` with a proper script editor.  
Do not use **notepad** or **ms-word**.  
You will see the contents which contains two type of lines, comments which start with a `#` and the translations:
  - a. They start with a `|`
  - b. Then the "my-English" words or sentence and another `|`
  - c. The words to translate and another `|`
3. Only translate the rightmost text. Leave the typing errors on the left parts as they are.
4. Visit your site and switch to Dutch.  
Every time you save that "`lang_nl.txt`" file the dashboard will have more translated words to show.  
The dashboard will be using the translations from your translated file so check if all words fit!  
If you are satisfied with the results, mail me what language that file is in, if there is a "country" flag for that language and attach the file with all your transition work.
5. I will adapt the scripts to support your language and mail you the changed scripts to test first.

## Adding / removing/ rearranging languages in the menu

1. **Adding** languages can best be done, as written above, as it involves far more then the translations itself. Localisation and formats have to be checked and a flag-image for the menu must be found.
2. **Removing** a language: `_my_scripts/languages.txt` contains all supported languages.  
Do not remove the line itself, as you could later want to add that language again.  
Simply set a `#` for every language you do not want to be shown in the menu
3. **Rearranging** the languages.  
Set the lines with the remaining languages on the top in the sequence you want them to appear.
4. **Example:** I live in Belgium, we have three official languages, Dutch, French and German. And we have large amounts of expats as the Nato en EU hard-quarters are located in Belgium also.  
I use those 4 languages, sequenced by the number of native-speakers:  
This is the languages used file I use on my site: [https://sluispark.be/pwsWD/\\_my\\_settings/languages.txt](https://sluispark.be/pwsWD/_my_settings/languages.txt)

#	key	flag	locale	language file	description setup/menu	countryFlag	wu locale
	<code>nl-be</code>	<code> nl.svg</code>	<code> nl</code>	<code> lang_nl.txt</code>	<code> Dutch (Belgium)</code>	<code> be.svg</code>	<code> nl-NL </code>
	<code>fr-be</code>	<code> fr.svg</code>	<code> fr</code>	<code> lang_fr.txt</code>	<code> French (Belgium)</code>	<code> be.svg</code>	<code> fr-FR </code>
	<code>de-dl</code>	<code> dl.svg</code>	<code> de</code>	<code> lang_de.txt</code>	<code> German (Germany)</code>		<code> de-DE </code>
	<code>en-uk</code>	<code> uk.svg</code>	<code> en-gb</code>	<code> lang_en.txt</code>	<code> English (United Kingdom) </code>		<code> en-GB </code>