

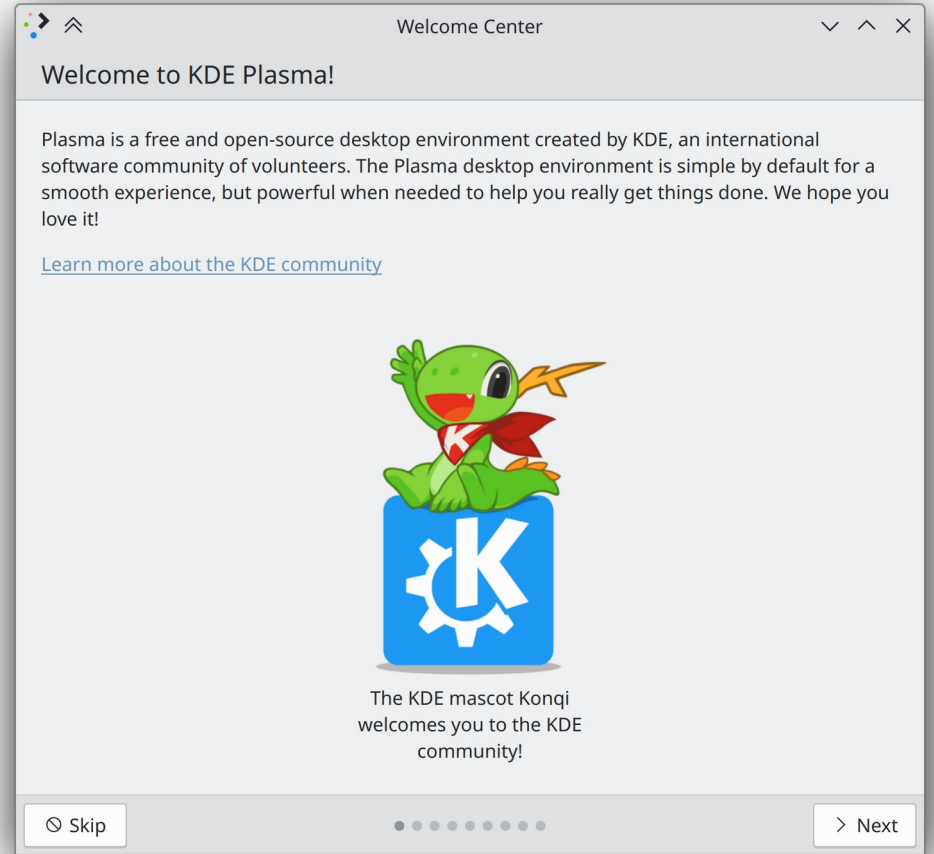
Are Welcome Wizards Cool Again?

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What?

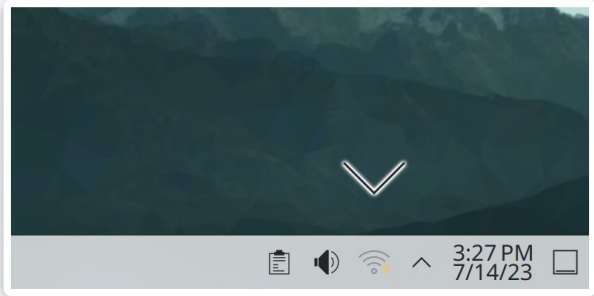
- Runs once on first boot
- Help you connect to the internet
- Introduces basic Plasma concepts
- Does some onboarding
- Also shows release notes on upgrade



Welcome Center

Access the Internet

You can connect to the internet and manage your network connections with the *Networks applet*. To access it, click on the *Networks* icon in your *System Tray*, which lives in the bottom-right corner of the screen.



The screenshot shows the bottom-right corner of a desktop environment. The System Tray contains several icons: a clipboard, a speaker, a Wi-Fi signal, and a network icon. A white arrow points to the network icon, which is highlighted with a white border. The time and date are displayed as 3:27 PM on 7/14/23.







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Welcome Center

Powerful When Needed

Plasma is an extremely feature-rich environment, designed to super-charge your productivity!
Here is just a smattering of the things it can do for you:

-  **Vaults**
Store sensitive files securely
-  **Activities**
Separate work, school, or home tasks
-  **KDE Connect**
Connect your phone and your computer
-  **KRunner**
Search for anything
-  **Overview**
Your system command center
-  **Get New Stuff**
Extend the system with add-ons

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Get Involved

KDE is not a big company; it's an international volunteer community, and its software is made by people like you donating their time and passion. You too can help make things better, whether it's through translation, visual design, and promotion, or programming and bug triaging.

By contributing to KDE, you can become part of something special, meet new friends, learn new skills, and make a difference to millions while working with people from around the globe to deliver a stunning free software computing experience.

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Why?

- Help teach new users people about Plasma
- Help them get help
- Opportunity for onboarding
- And also begging for money
- Fedora needs it to ship their KDE edition on hardware

Goodbye wizard

