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Use Quick Parts to make it easier to add standard text/images

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SITUATION:

I regularly have to repeat the same thing in different emails. Is there an easy way to make this faster and easier?

SOLUTION:

Yes. Use Quick Parts, which works for basically all versions of Outlook (or Word). It uses [F3] to convert one word into whatever you want, including text and images.

For example, regularly I have to email people troubleshooting tips. So I set it up so that in an email message in Outlook, I can type "trouble" and press [F3], to make all the text and images for that appear, like magic. ©

Watch this 2 minute video for how: <u>https://www.youtube.com/watch?v=bpdlbCT32Vs</u> Or watch this slightly longer video for ways to make it even fancier/easier: <u>https://www.youtube.com/watch?v=HeD3m49Q3VI</u>

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