


Accessibility As You Type

Overview


EditLive! can display an icon over HTML elements which contain data that does not match Accessibility Compliance standards.

 *Accessibility-As-You-Type* is an optional functionality of EditLive!. Check with your Systems Administrator first to ensure this functionality exists in your instance of EditLive!.

Enabling/Disabling the Accessibility As You Type Display

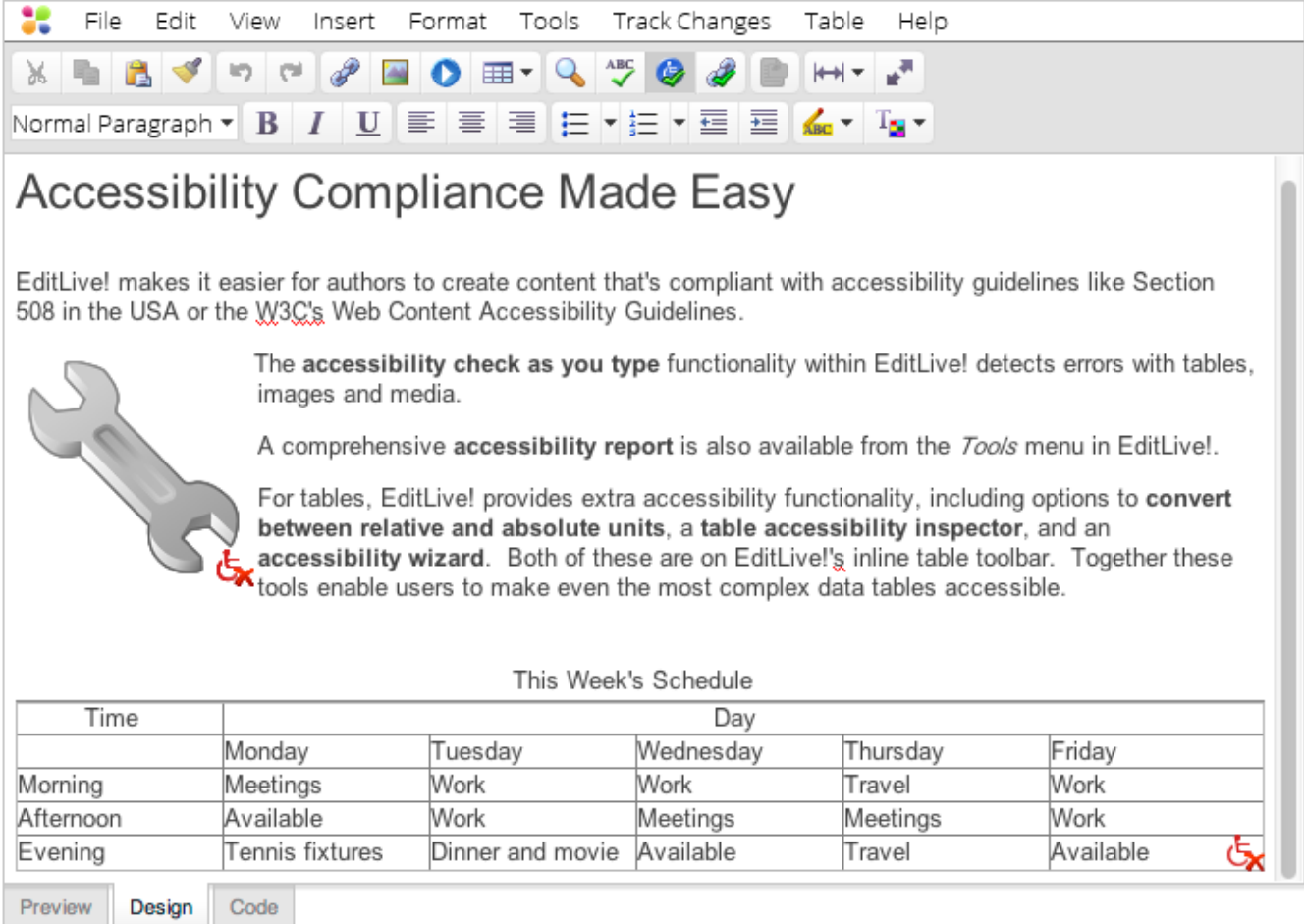
The *Accessibility-As-You-Type* menu item is located under the Tools menu.

-  **Enable/Disable Accessibility As You Type**

 The *Accessibility-As-You-Type* menu item may not appear in your instance of EditLive!. This would be due to your Systems Administrator removing this functionality. For more information, see your Systems Administrator.

Using Accessibility As You Type

Accessibility As You Type displays an icon in the bottom lefthand corner of tables, images or sections (i.e. DIV elements) which break specific accessibility standards.



The screenshot shows the EditLive! web editor interface. The menu bar includes File, Edit, View, Insert, Format, Tools, Track Changes, Table, and Help. The toolbar contains various editing tools, including a table icon. The main content area displays a page titled "Accessibility Compliance Made Easy" with text explaining the accessibility check functionality. A table titled "This Week's Schedule" is shown with an accessibility icon (a wrench and a red 'X') in the bottom right corner. The table has the following data:

Time	Day				
	Monday	Tuesday	Wednesday	Thursday	Friday
Morning	Meetings	Work	Work	Travel	Work
Afternoon	Available	Work	Meetings	Meetings	Work
Evening	Tennis fixtures	Dinner and movie	Available	Travel	Available

At the bottom of the editor, there are three tabs: Preview, Design, and Code.


Hovering over an *Accessibility As You Type* icon will display a tooltip detailing which aspects of the HTML element are in violation of accessibility compliance. The errors and warnings detected are specified by your Systems Administrator.

File Edit View Insert Format Tools Track Changes Table Help

Normal Paragraph **B** *I* U [List icons]

Accessibility Compliance Made Easy

EditLive! makes it easier for authors to create content that's compliant with accessibility guidelines like Section 508 in the USA or the W3C's Web Content Accessibility Guidelines.




The **accessibility check as you type** functionality within EditLive! detects errors with tables, images and media.

A comprehensive **accessibility report** is also available from the *Tools* menu in EditLive!.


For tables, EditLive! provides extra accessibility functionality, including options to **convert between relative and absolute units**, a **table accessibility inspector**, and an **accessibility wizard**. Both of these are on EditLive!'s inline table toolbar. Together these tools enable users to make even the most complex data tables accessible.


(Section 508) A text equivalent for every non-text element shall be provided.
(WCAG A) Provide a text equivalent for every non-text element.

This Week's Schedule

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	Monday	Tuesday	Wednesday	Thursday	Friday
Morning	Meetings	Work	Work	Travel	Work
Afternoon	Available	Work	Meetings	Meetings	Work
Evening	Tennis fixtures	Dinner and movie	Available	Travel	Available 

Preview **Design** Code

Errors are more severe accessibility issues and are represented by the  icon.

Warnings are less critical issues or issues which may not be a problem depending on the current context. Warnings are represented by the  icon.