

# Getting User Portal Settings

You can get User Portal settings with the **getUserPortalSettings** method.

Permission to run the request: Account Owner, Administrator.

## Parameters

Parameter	Type	Description
credentials (required)	credentials	Read the description of the <a href="#">Credentials</a> object.

## Return Value

After the request has been completed, the system returns an object with the following properties:

Parameter	Type	Description
userPortalEnabled	bool	True if the user portal is enabled.
welcomeTitle	string	Welcome Title displayed in the user portal.
instructionMessage	string	Instruction message displayed in the user portal.
showHistoryReports	bool	True, if the History tab is enabled in the user portal.
coursesSortColumn	string	The way the courses are sorted in the user portal: by status, title or duration.

## Possible Errors

Text	Description
Permission denied	You have no permissions to get the settings of the user portal. Only the account Owner and the administrators have permissions to send the request.
Wrong parameters	The system failed to process the request because it did not contain all necessary parameters.

## Sample Call

```
<?xml version="1.0" encoding="utf-8"?>
<SOAP-ENV:Envelope xmlns:SOAP-ENV="http://schemas.xmlsoap.org/soap/envelope/" xmlns="http://ispringlearn.com/go/services/api/soap">
    <SOAP-ENV:Body>
        < GetUserPortalSettingsRequest>
            < credentials>
                < accountUrl>http://myaccount.ispringlearn.com</accountUrl>
                < email>email@email.com</email>
                < password>password</password>
            </ credentials>
        </ GetUserPortalSettingsRequest>
    </SOAP-ENV:Body>
</SOAP-ENV:Envelope>
```

## Sample Response

```
<?xml version="1.0" encoding="utf-8"?>
<SOAP-ENV:Envelope xmlns:SOAP-ENV="http://schemas.xmlsoap.org/soap/envelope/" xmlns="http://ispringlearn.com/go/services/api/soap">
<SOAP-ENV:Body>
< GetUserPortalSettingsResult>
<userPortalEnabled>true</userPortalEnabled>
<welcomeTitle>Welcome title</welcomeTitle>
<instructionMessage>Instruction message</instructionMessage>
<showHistoryReports>true</showHistoryReports>
<coursesSortColumn>status</coursesSortColumn>
</ GetUserPortalSettingsResult>
</SOAP-ENV:Body>
</SOAP-ENV:Envelope>
```