

Updating a Department

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Request: **POST** /department/{departmentId}

Permissions to Run the Request

Account Owner, Account Administrators, Department Administrators, or [custom roles](#).

Department Administrators and users with a custom role can update only the department they manage and its sub-departments.

Request Headers

Header	Description
Authorization (required)	Access token. You can obtain a token by making a request .
Parameter	Description
departmentId (required)	The ID of a department you want to edit.
name (optional)	The department name.
parentDepartmentId (optional)	The ID of the parent department.
code (optional)	The department code.

Response Codes

Code	Text	Description
204	No Content	The parameter is successfully updated.
400	Bad Request	A request error.
401	Unauthorized	An authorization error.
403	Permission denied	The user doesn't have enough permissions to update a department. For instance, <i>Department Administrators</i> can't edit departments they don't manage.

Sample Request

```
POST /department/d48bd4fa-5b70-11e9-b12b-22e9fbac4a59 https/1.1
Host: api-learn.ispringlearn.com
Authorization: p-1sJDjmULL5DdpXPJTcbm4jVIaWVHvNmrjAxATRbNE
Content-Type:application/xml

<?xml version="1.0" encoding="UTF-8"?>
<request>
  <name>Quality Assurance</name>
  <parentDepartmentId>be676588-5448-11e9-b7f7-62fb686e6fbe</parentDepartmentId>
  <code>5</code>
</request>
```

Sample Response

```
https/1.1 204 No Content
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