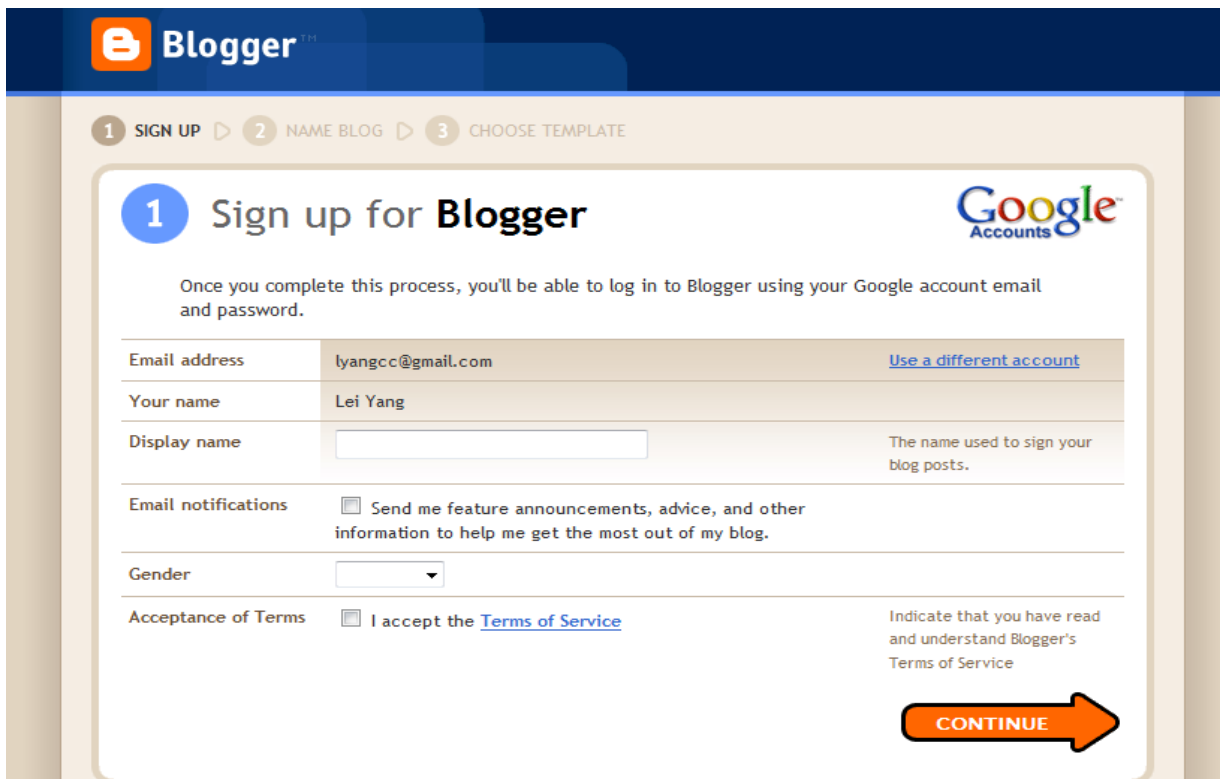


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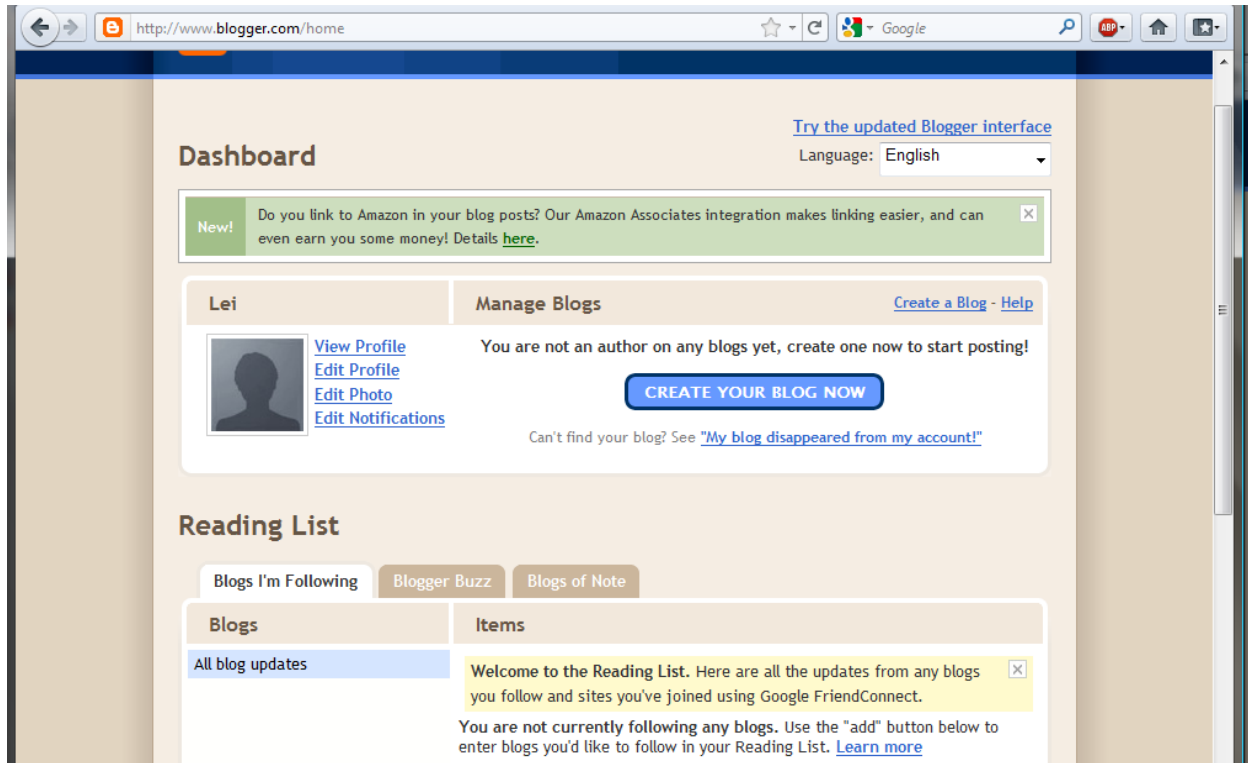
- 1) Click on Get Started. You can also take a quick tour to see how the blogger works.



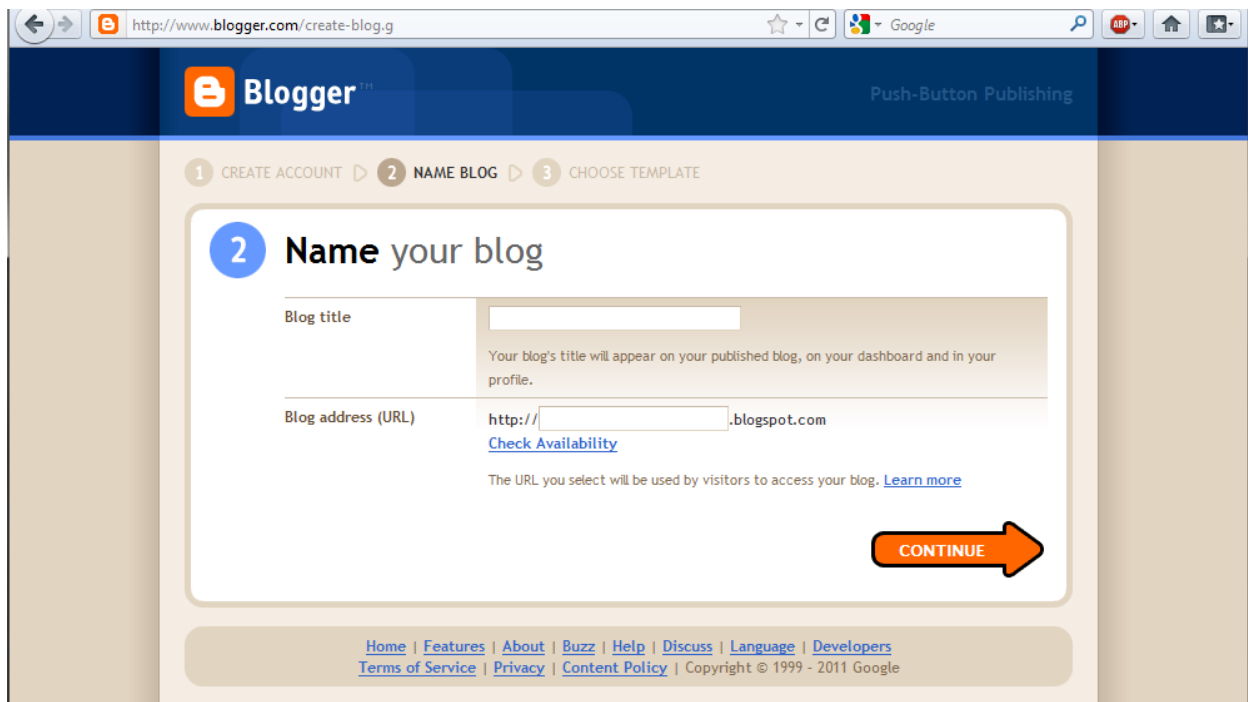
- 2) You need to register by filling in your email address and your name and click on Continue.



- 3) You will see your “Dash Board” where you can create a short profile about yourself and add a picture. Click on Create a Blog Now.



- 4) Here you give your Blog a name and hit Continue.



- 5) Choose a template for what you want your blog to look like but you can change it later. Click on Continue.

The screenshot shows the Blogger interface during the template selection process. At the top, the Blogger logo and 'Push-Button Publishing' are visible. Below the logo, a progress bar indicates three steps: 1. CREATE ACCOUNT, 2. NAME BLOG, and 3. CHOOSE TEMPLATE. The current step is '2 Choose a starter template', which includes the subtext: 'You can change your template later, and even customize it with the Template Designer.' Eight different template thumbnails are displayed in a grid, each with a name below it: 'Simple', 'Picture Window', 'Awesome Inc.', 'Watermark', 'Ethereal', 'Travel', 'Simple', and 'Watermark'. A large orange arrow labeled 'CONTINUE' is positioned at the bottom right of the template selection area.

- 6) Congratulations!! You have just created your first blog! Click on Start Blogging.

The screenshot shows the Blogger interface after a blog has been successfully created. At the top, the Blogger logo and 'Push-Button Publishing' are visible. The main content area features a large blue checkmark icon followed by the text 'Your blog has been created!'. Below this, a message states: 'We've just created a blog for you. You can [start posting now](#) or [customize how your blog looks](#).' A large orange arrow labeled 'START BLOGGING' is positioned at the bottom right of the main content area. Below the arrow, there is a link for '► Advanced Setup Options'. At the very bottom of the page, a footer contains several links: 'Home | Features | About | Buzz | Help | Discuss | Language | Developers | Terms of Service | Privacy | Content Policy' and a copyright notice: 'Copyright © 1999 - 2011 Google'.

7) Start Blogging

The screenshot displays the Blogger 'New Post' interface. At the top, the Blogger logo and the text 'Testing Testing' are visible. The user's email 'lyangcc@gmail.com' and links for 'Dashboard', 'My Account', 'Help', and 'Sign out' are in the top right. Below this is a navigation bar with tabs for 'Posting', 'Comments', 'Settings', 'Design', 'Monetize', 'Stats', and 'View Blog'. The 'Posting' tab is active, showing 'New Post', 'Edit Posts', and 'Edit Pages' options. A 'Title:' field is present. Below the title is a rich text editor with a toolbar containing icons for undo, redo, font color, text color, bold, italic, underline, text background color, link, unlink, insert link, insert image, insert video, insert iframe, insert table, insert table of contents, list, list, list, quote, code, and spell check. A 'Compose' button is also visible. A dialog box titled 'New! Improved preview' is open, showing a preview of a post and the text 'See exactly what your post will look like before you publish.' with an 'OK' button. Below the editor are 'Labels:' and 'Location:' fields. At the bottom, there are three buttons: 'PUBLISH POST' (orange), 'SAVE NOW' (blue), and 'PREVIEW' (blue). A link 'Return to list of posts' is also present.

Hotlink to Blogger: www.blogger.com/home

1) Examples: My Blog:

The screenshot shows a web browser window displaying a Blogger blog page. The browser's address bar shows '8430 Class Blog'. The page header includes navigation links: 'Follow', 'Share', 'Report Abuse', and 'Next Blog'. The user is logged in as 'mbutler@alliant.edu' with options for 'New Post', 'Design', and 'Sign Out'. The main title is 'TES 8430 Class Blog' with a decorative graphic of birds flying. The date is 'Tuesday, October 12, 2010'. The main content area features a 'Welcome to Our Class Blog' post by Professor Butler-Pascoe at 5:00 PM, with 10 comments and social media sharing icons. A 'Home' link is at the bottom. On the right sidebar, there is a 'Blog Archive' section showing '2010 (1)' and 'October (1)' with a link to the current post. Below that is an 'About Me' section with a profile picture of Professor Butler-Pascoe and her bio: 'I am a professor and director of the TESOL graduate programs of Alliant International University in San Diego, California'. A 'View my complete profile' link is also present.

This close-up screenshot focuses on the comments section of the blog post. At the top, it shows the post was made by Professor Butler-Pascoe at 5:00 PM. Below this are social media sharing icons and the label 'TES 8430 class blog'. The section is titled '10 comments:'. Three comments are visible: 1) Maria said... 'Great blog, Dr. Butler-Pascoe! I am sure your students will appreciate the opportunity to be up to date with technology and communication. They can get on the blog from anywhere in the world, which is amazing.' dated October 13, 2010 6:49 PM. 2) gbtre said... 'I look forward to learning about how to make an exciting blog. Earlier today I sent a picture to Posterous.com to practice doing a blog before class today. My name is Gale' dated October 13, 2010 6:50 PM. 3) Sunny said... 'It sounds interesting to have my own blog in which I can communicate with my classmates and other bloggers who have the same interest at TESOL field.' dated October 13, 2010 6:51 PM. On the right side of this section, there is a partial view of the 'About Me' section for Professor Butler-Pascoe, including her profile picture and bio.

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