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Introduction and Contribution to Wikipedia

a) Description about Wikipedia and its features:

Wikipedia is a free, open content online encyclopedia created through the collaborative effort of a community of users known as Wikipedians. Anyone registered on the site can create an article for publication. Jimmy Wales and Larry Sanger co-founded Wikipedia as an offshoot of an earlier encyclopedia project, Nupedia, in January 2001. Originally, Wikipedia was created to provide content for Nupedia. However, as the wiki site became established it soon grew beyond the scope of the earlier project.

Its features:

- Creating a page
- Editing a page
- Link between pages
- It is globally available on all platforms
- It can provide a large amount of information
- Users can share their own thoughts and knowledge
- It is easy to use
- Available in multiple languages

b) Creating Account on Wikipedia:

Step 1: go to <https://en.wikipedia.org/wiki/Wikipedia> click on create account

The screenshot shows the English Wikipedia homepage. At the top right, there is a user interface with links for 'Not logged in', 'Talk', 'Contributions', 'Create account' (which is circled in red), and 'Log in'. Below this, the main navigation bar includes 'Article', 'Talk', 'Read', 'View source', 'View history', 'Search Wikipedia', and a magnifying glass icon. The main content area features the Wikipedia logo and the text 'The Free Encyclopedia'. A sidebar on the left provides links to 'Main page', 'Contents', 'Current events', 'Random article', 'About Wikipedia', 'Contact us', and 'Donate'. The central text area defines Wikipedia as a free, multilingual open-collaborative online encyclopedia created and maintained by a community of users.

Step 2: fill in the details

The screenshot shows the account creation process on Wikipedia. On the left, a sidebar lists links like Random article, About Wikipedia, Contact us, Donate, Contribute, Help, Learn to edit, Community portal, Recent changes, Upload file, Tools, Upload file, Special pages, Printable version, and Languages. The main form area has fields for Username (Akshat7666), Password, Confirm password, Email address (optional), and a CAPTCHA challenge showing 'riossings'. To the right, a summary bar displays: 1,002,186,097 edits, 6,249,899 articles, and 148,564 recent contributors. At the bottom, there are links for Privacy policy, About Wikipedia, Disclaimers, Contact Wikipedia, Mobile view, Developers, Statistics, and Cookie statement.

b) Creating your page on Wikipedia

Step 1: After creating the account for creating your own article by searching your name

The screenshot shows a user profile for 'Akshat7666'. The top navigation bar includes links for Talk, Sandbox, Preferences, Beta, Watchlist, Contributions, and Log out. Below the navigation, there are tabs for Read, View source, View history, and a star icon. A search bar contains the name 'Akshat7666'. On the right side, there is a lock icon indicating a secure connection.

Step 2: You will be redirected to a page where it will be written “as for it to be created” click on it

The screenshot shows a search results page for 'Akshat7666'. The top navigation bar is identical to the previous profile page. The search bar also contains 'Akshat7666'. The main content area displays a message: 'The page "Akshat7666" does not exist. You can ask for it to be created.' Below this, it says 'There were no results matching the query.' At the bottom, there are links for Privacy policy, About Wikipedia, Disclaimers, Contact Wikipedia, Mobile view, Developers, Statistics, and Cookie statement.

It will take to a page like this

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Wikimedia Wikimeet India 2021! Registration open for Wikimedia Wikimeet India 2021 until 16 February 2021! Main Event: February 19 - 21, 2021 [Help with translations]

From Wikipedia, the free encyclopedia

Wikipedia Article Wizard Welcome

Thank you for your interest in contributing to Wikipedia! Before creating a draft article, you can practice by first editing in [your personal sandbox](#). It's a great way to try out editing without affecting live articles. If you need some help along the way, see our [guide to your first article](#).

Next Practice in your personal sandbox

Step 3: You can click on next to get started or practice in the sandbox for rough article writing.

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Wikipedia Article Wizard Referencing and notability

Your article will be rejected if the topic is [not notable](#), is [not referenced properly](#), or [violates copyright](#).

Copyright

Do not copy-paste or closely paraphrase material from sources. Rather summarize what the source says in your own words.

Notability

The topic of an article must already be covered in [reliable sources](#) that are [independent](#) of the subject. These include academic journals, books, newspapers, magazines, and websites with a reputation for fact checking. Social media, press releases or corporate/professional profiles do not qualify.

Referencing

- Independent sources (see above) are generally acceptable and should be used before other sources.
- Non-independent sources (like company websites or press releases) can be used to verify basic facts only.
- Blogs, social media, and tabloid journalism are generally not acceptable.

To create a reference, use `<ref></ref>` as follows

`Bizco was founded in 1942.` `<ref></ref>`

More detail on how to cite different types of materials can be found at our [introduction to referencing guide](#)

Next

Click on next again and you will be redirected to a page like this:

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Wikipedia Article Wizard Common mistakes

There are a lot of common mistakes that are made with drafts. Here are a few you must watch out for:

- Writing about yourself or someone/something you're close to
- Whether it is yourself, a family member, a friend, an employer, a mentor/business partner, writing about topics close to you (and the people close to you) is discouraged as the article you will create may not be neutral.
- Copy-pasting material
- You must write the article in your own words, or it may be deleted.
- Not citing your sources
- Articles without independent reliable sources usually get deleted within days.
- Overly promotional language
- Terms like "leading expert" and "ground-breaking technology" sound great when promoting a product, but they do not belong on Wikipedia. Let the facts speak for themselves.

I'm paid to edit

I'm writing about myself, or a close person/subject

I'm not connected to the subject

Step 4: Click on i am writing for myself Click on i have disclosed. And then next

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COI Editing

Disclosing your relationship with the subject is important in both giving context and transparency with your edits. Additionally, it helps others assist you in making your content more suitable for Wikipedia.

Here are the steps to disclose:

- Edit your user page by clicking [here](#)
- Paste the following in the edit box, replacing `Title of your draft` with the article name you wish to create.
 `{{UserboxCOI|i=Title of your draft}}`
- Click the "Publish changes" button

You must complete these steps in order to continue.

I have disclosed

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When having either a business or personal relationship with a subject there are a few things to keep in mind:

- You can request an article
It's improbable when having a conflict of interest to write in a way that doesn't favor the subject unduly. However, you can always request the article be written by someone else. This will prevent you from introducing an intrinsic bias into the article, since a neutral party will be writing the article.
- You can also request edits
Much like requesting a neutral party to make an article for you, you can also request another editor to make an edit on your behalf. More information on how to do so can be found [here](#).
- Stay transparent
Be open about your connection with the subject. There are many editors on Wikipedia, and it's likely you'll interact with them in some way. Being transparent is a integral step in having other editors help you with your article.

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Step 5: Enter in your draft name and click on create new article draft

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Draft Creation

You're all ready to go! When you create your draft, it will not be seen by external search engines. However, when you finish, you'll be able to submit it to be reviewed by our volunteers. Reviews can take a long time, so please be patient and rest assured that your draft will be reviewed in due course. This may take 4 months or more, since drafts are reviewed in no specific order.

About myself

Create new article draft

You will be redirected to the page where you can put your information or about the article you want to write about

Draft | Talk | Create source | Search Wikipedia

Creating Draft:About myself

Instructions

Creating a draft article takes four steps. Please read carefully.

1. Enter the content of your article in the blank area as illustrated. You may use the [Wikipedia Cheatsheet](#) to properly format your article.
 - Remember to use your own words. Do not copy content from another website.
2. List your references in the bulleted area provided or cite them using inline citations. (See example.)
 - Review what is a "reliable source".
3. If you require assistance with your submission, visit our [live chat](#). You may use any nickname you would like, provided that it isn't already taken.
4. When you are finished writing, click the "Publish page" button. You are all done! We appreciate your submission.

Important

Please note: Once you click the "publish" button, your draft is saved in a public drafting area. You may continue to work on your draft as long as you like; there is no deadline, but bear in mind that if the draft isn't edited in six months, it may be deleted.

If the draft is declined, you will still be able to edit it. It is simply marked as declined.

When you feel your draft is ready to become an article, you can request a review (or a re-review). To do so, edit your draft, by clicking on its "Edit" button, and add {{subst:submit}} at the beginning of your draft.

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-- References --
<-- Inline citations added to your article will automatically display here. See en.wikipedia.org/wiki/WP:REFB for instructions on how to add citations. -->
{reflist}

For linking your page to another site or page you can click on the highlighted button

References

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hello there!
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my name is Surabhi Abhijit Salunke I am studying first-year computer science.

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Edit summary (Briefly describe your changes)
 Watch this page Permanent

Step 6: Click on the publish page and then submit the draft to review.

Screenshot of a Wikipedia draft article titled "Draft:About my self". The page shows a message: "Draft article not currently submitted for review. This is a draft Articles for creation (AFC) submission. It is not currently pending review. There are no deadlines as long as you are actively improving the submission. Drafts not being improved may be deleted after six months." Below this, a note says: "Note: The submission-received box will appear at the bottom of the page at first. If it's there, your draft has been submitted correctly." A warning icon (a person in a blue triangle) is present. Navigation links include "Where to get help", "How to improve a draft", "Improving your odds of a speedy review", and "Editor resources". A "Submit the draft for review!" button is at the bottom right. The sidebar on the left contains links like Main page, Contents, Current events, Random article, About Wikipedia, Contact us, Donate, Contribute, Help, Learn to edit, Community portal, Recent changes, Upload file, Tools, What links here, Related changes, Special pages, Permanent link, Page information, Print/export, Download as PDF, Printable version, and Languages.

Step 7: Your article will be sent to review be patient with it

References [edit source]

Akshat [edit source]

Review waiting, please be patient.

This may take 4 months or more, since drafts are reviewed in no specific order. There are 4,369 pending submissions waiting for review.

If the submission is accepted, then this page will be moved into the article space.
If the submission is declined, then the reason will be posted here.
In the meantime, you can continue to improve this submission by editing normally.

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