

Practical 1: Introduction and Contribution to wikipedia.

a) Description about Wikipedia and its features

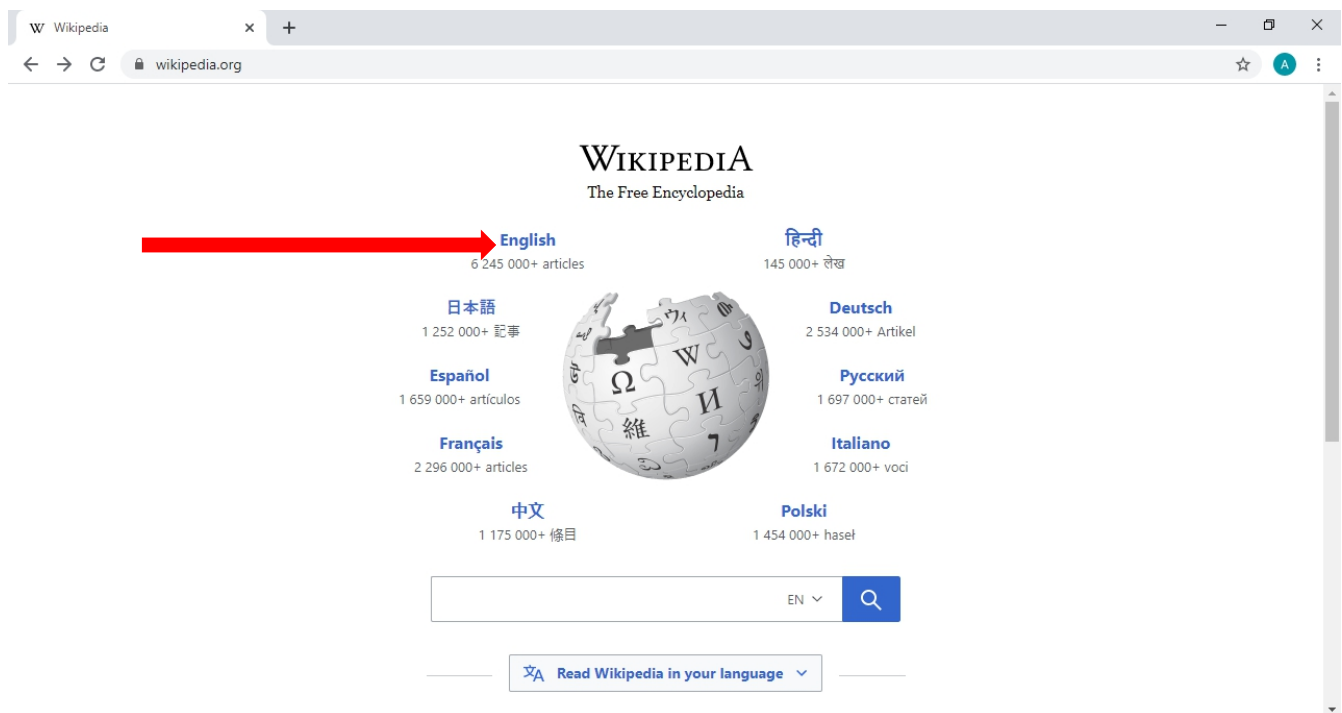
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Features:

- A lot of information gets added in a short space of time
- You get a wide variety of subjects on the site, some of which are eclectic.
- If someone spots an error, they can quickly change it.
- You get a lot of different angles to a subject .
- People located in different parts of the world can work on the same document.

b) Creating Account on Wikipedia

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From today's featured article

SATURN
THE MAGAZINE OF SCIENCE FICTION
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Cover of the first issue

Saturn was an American magazine published from 1957 to 1965. It was launched as a science-fiction magazine, but sales were weak, and after five issues the publisher, Robert C. Sproul, switched the magazine to hardboiled detective fiction that emphasized sex and sadism. Sproul renamed the magazine several times, settling on *Web Terror Stories* in 1962, and the contents became mostly weird-menace tales—a genre in which apparently supernatural powers are revealed to have a logical explanation at the end of the story. Donald A. Wollheim was the editor for the first five issues; he published material by several well-known authors, including Robert A. Heinlein, H. P. Lovecraft, and Harlan Ellison, but was given a low budget and could not always find good-quality stories. It is not known who edited the magazine after the science fiction issues, but themes of violence, torture and sex continued to the end of the magazine's run. Sproul finally cancelled the title in 1965 after a total of 27 issues. (Full article...)

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- In American football, the Tampa Bay Buccaneers defeat the Kansas City Chiefs in the Super Bowl.
- A glacial outburst flood in Uttarakhand, India, leaves at least 31 people dead and around 165 others missing.
- Aung San Suu Kyi, the State Counsellor of Myanmar, is detained by the military in a coup d'état.

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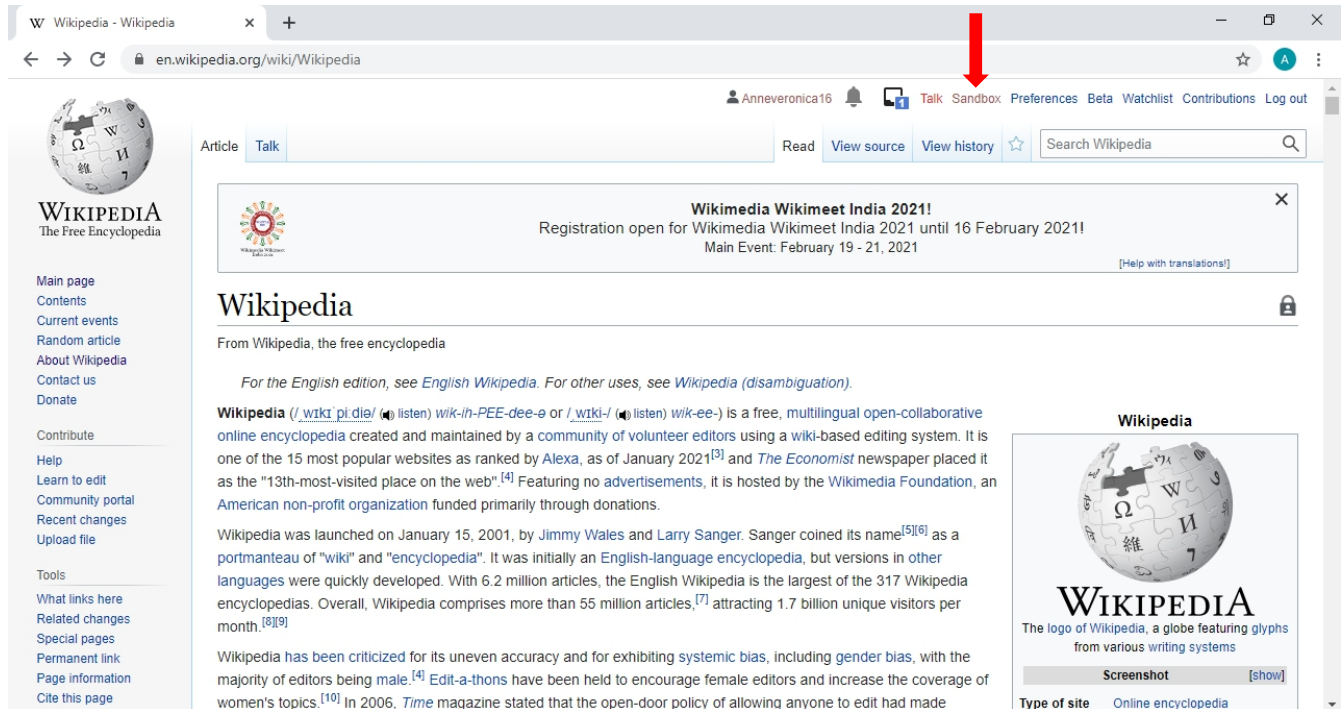
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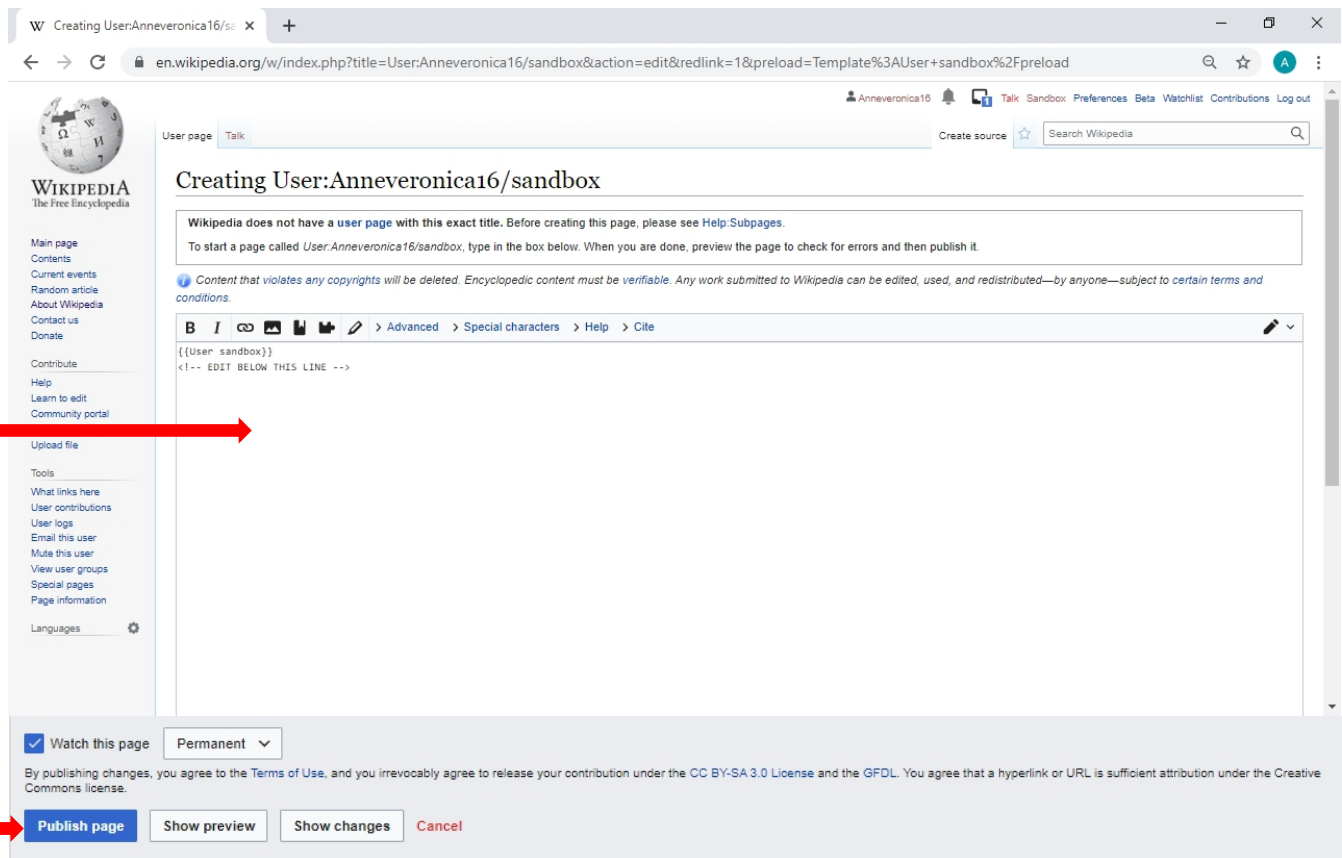
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c) Creating your page on Wikipedia

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Step 2: Type your content inside the text box and then click on “Publish page” and your page is created.



d) Editing your page on Wikipedia

Step 1: Open your page which you want to edit and click on the option “Edit source”.

