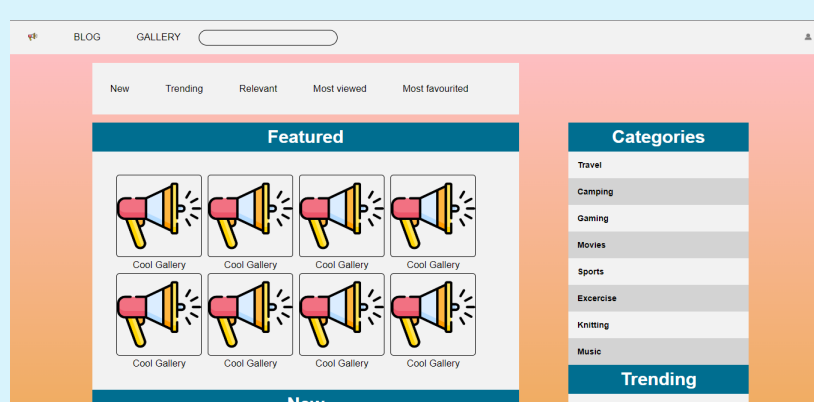
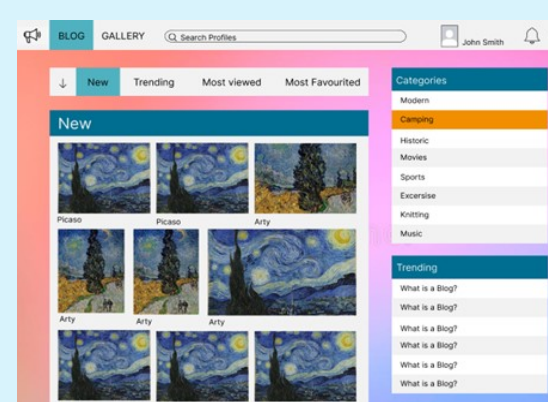
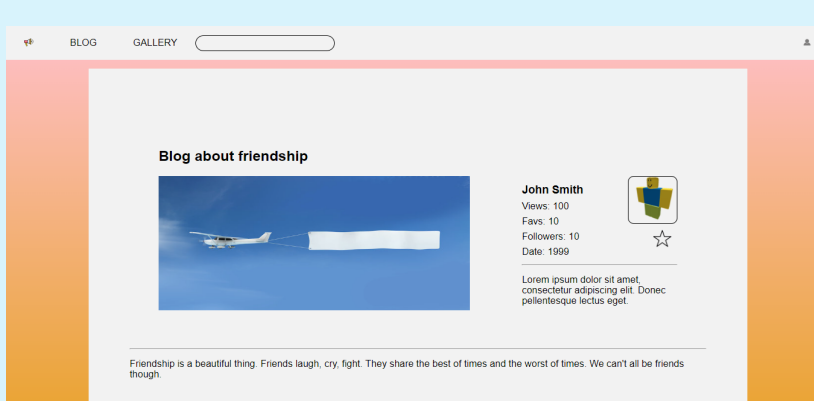
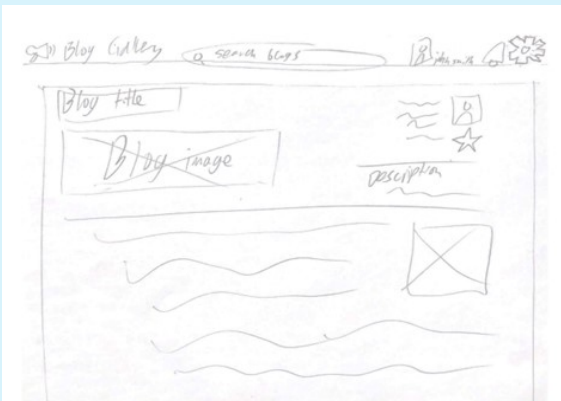
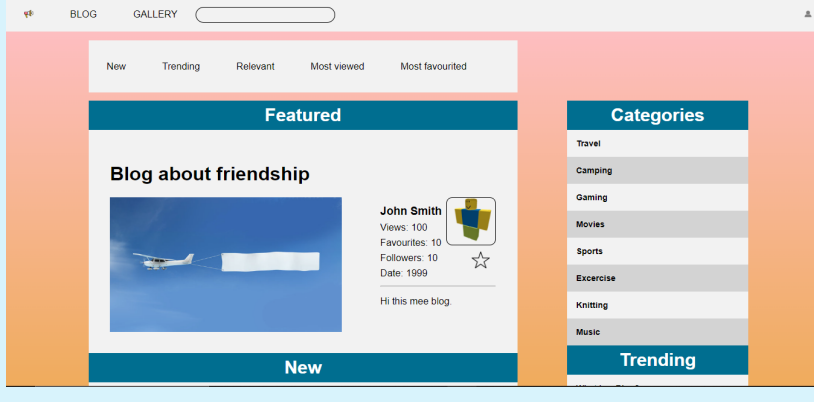
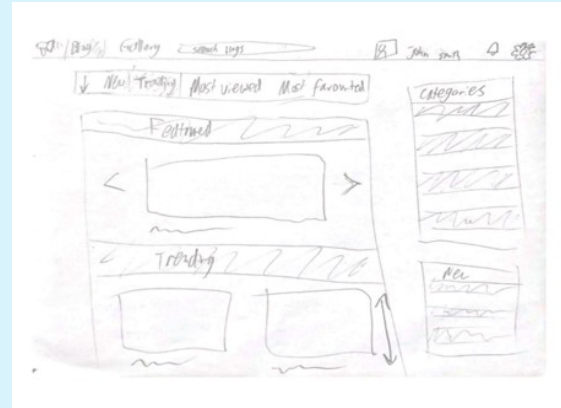
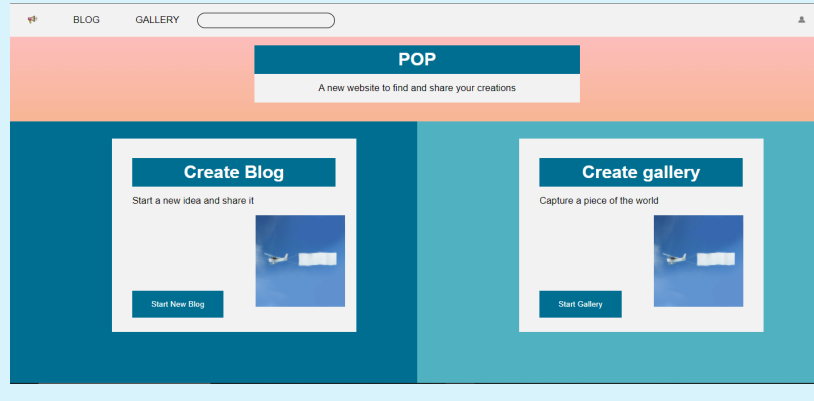
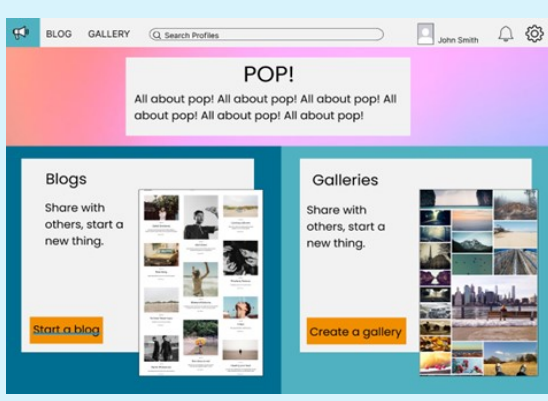
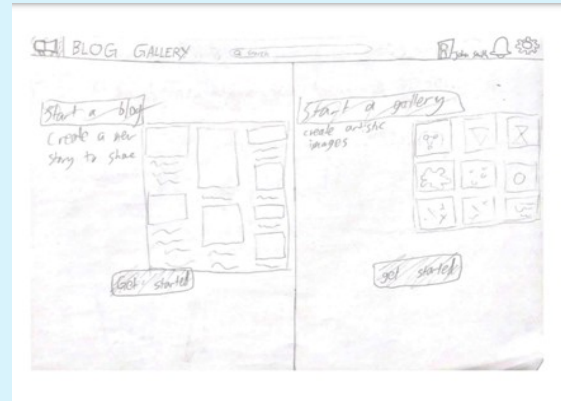
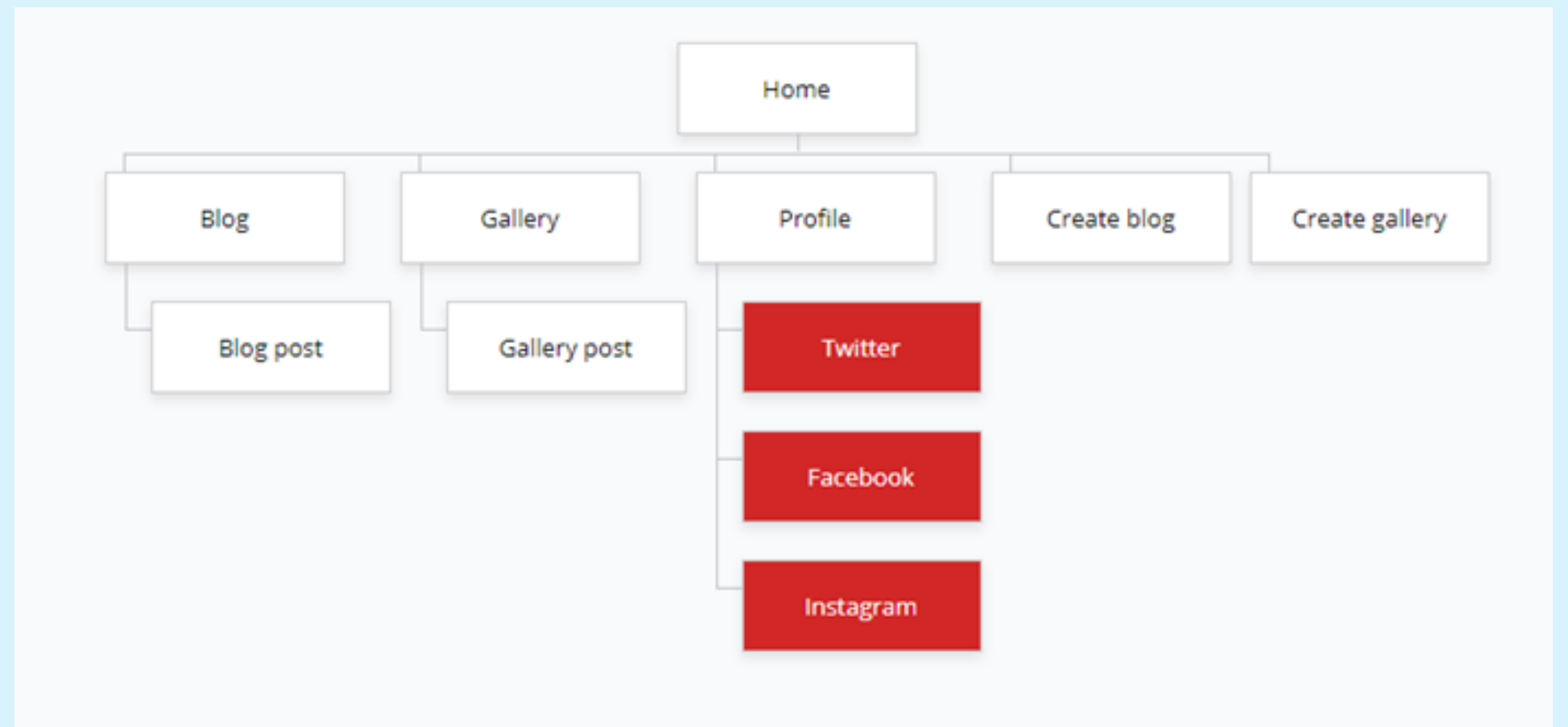


# POP

## SUMMARY

POP IS A BLOG FOR A YOUNGER AUDIENCE CENTRED AROUND THE POPULAR CULTURE AND WILL INCLUDE BLOGGING AND GALLERIES TO EXPLORE AND CREATE. WEBSITES HAVE ARTISTIC VALUE AND CAN BE USED TO ENCAPSULATE ART WITHIN POP CULTURE. THE WEBSITE WILL BE THEMED AROUND EYE-CATCHING, POPPING ART STYLE FOR A YOUNG AUDIENCE USING VIBRANT COLOURS AND BOLD VISUALS. MOST PAGES WILL HEAVILY USE SCROLLING TO REDUCE NAVIGATION AROUND DIFFERENT PAGES. BLOGS AND GALLERIES ARE SEPARATED COMPLETELY TO SEPARATE READING FROM IMAGES AS MANY WEBSITES HAVE THESE IN THE SAME PLACE AND USERS HAVE TO FILTER THROUGH THESE AND CREATORS OFTEN ENDING UP BLENDING THE TWO TOGETHER.



## REFLECTION

- IN CSS WAS TRICKY TO FIND THE BALANCE BETWEEN SCALING IMAGES BY PIXELS, PERCENTAGES AND SCALING BASED ON VIEWPORT. IN REDOING THIS ASSIGNMENT I WOULD STRESS-TEST THE WEBSITE EARLIER AND MORE OFTEN ON VIEWPORTS OF DIFFERENT SIZES.
- UTILIZING ALL FEATURES OF PADDING, MARGIN, SIZE, BORDER WAS HELPFUL IN GETTING EXACTLY WHAT I WANTED.
- IT WAS DIFFICULT FITTING A LOT OF PANELS ON SOME PAGES BUT IT WAS USEFUL USING THE HTML TAGS ARTICLE, ASIDE, SECTION INSTEAD OF CREATING LOTS OF DIV TAGS FOR READABILITY.
- FUNCTIONALITY REQUIRED MANIPULATION OF BOTH JAVASCRIPT AND CSS TO ACHIEVE WORKING SCRIPT AND A LOT OF TESTING WITH THE INTENTION TO BREAK THE WEBSITE WAS REQUIRED.

## PHASES OF DEVELOPMENT

- THE WEBSITE GREW OVER TIME TO APPEAR MORE CONSISTENT IN LINE AND SPACING. THIS WAS DUE TO USING CONSTANTS FOR MARGINS AND PADDING AND ENCAPSULATION OF ELEMENTS IN THE FINISHED PRODUCT.
- THE THEME WAS VERY CONSISTENT IN THE FINAL WEBSITE, MAKING USE OF REUSING CODE IN CLASSES.
- CLUTTER DISAPPEARED IN THE END RESULT AS MORE PADDING AND WIDER MARGINS WERE USED TO IMPROVE THE PRESENTATION.

## ENHANCEMENTS

- ADDING MORE SOCIAL FUNCTIONS SUCH AS CHATTING, COMMENTS AND FRIEND IS NECESSARY TO A COMMUNITY-DRIVEN WEBSITE LIKE THIS.
- CONTINUING FROM THIS THEME, SECTIONS FOR VIDEOS AND AUDIO.
- PROFILES THAT ARE HIGHLY CUSTOMIZED SHOULD BE ADDED FOR A CREATIVE WEBSITE TO INSPIRE ARTISTS AND LET THEM SET UP A "HOME" THEY CAN INVEST IN.
- A "DARK MODE" WOULD BE BENEFICIAL AS THE WEBSITE USES A LOT OF WHITE AND BRIGHT COLOURS AND USERS MAY WANT SOMETHING EASIER ON THEIR EYES.
- MORE PERSONALITY FOR THE WEBSITE, LIKE A MASCOT CHARACTER AND THEMATIC ART AS THE WEBSITE ITS VERY UNIFORM AND SQUARE.