Exercise: Applying design fundamentals in Figma

Overview

This exercise will cover the steps from wireframes to high-fidelity mock-ups and apply design fundamentals using the brand style guide, which specifies every aspect of the look and feel of the brand. This includes typefaces, colors, and how pictures and images should be used. It also includes a UI kit, a set of files containing critical UI components like font sizes, icons and documentation. A Figma file of the wireframe used in this exercise and an image resource folder is provided below.



Applying design fundamentals in Figma - Wireframe

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Applying design fundmantals in Figma - Assets

ZIP File

On completion, you will have the skills necessary to take the wireframes of your design solution for your project on the reserve-a-table section of the Little Lemon website to produce high-fidelity mock-ups. You may wish to revise the following lesson items in the **Principles of UX/UI** course before you begin or refer to them as you go along:

- Working with images
- Design text hierarchy and grid
- High fidelity design

Scenario

The owners of the Little Lemon Restaurant have approved the wireframes for their website and want you to turn these wireframes into a high-fidelity design or a design that closely resembles the final product using their brand style guide.

Instructions

Step 1: Brand style guide

• First, let's examine the style guide provided by the owners of Little Lemon. This guide serves as a starting point.





PRIMARY LOGOS

The green and yellow logos are the primary logos, wordmark and icons. Always use these varsions when possible.

MONOCHROME LOGOS

When primary two color logos can't be used, please use their monochrome versions

ABOUT THE BRAND

BRAND NAME

MODELED AFTER

VERTICAL

Restaurant

PRESENCE

Physical locations

ABOUT

Little Lemon is a charming neighborhood bistro thatserves simple food and classic cocktals in a lively but casual environment. The restaurant features a locally-sourced manu with daily specials

TYPEFACES

Markazi Text Medium

Headlines Sentence case Leading same point size as headline AaBbCcDdEeFfGgHhIiJj KkLlMmNnOoPpQqRr SsTtUuVvWwXxYyZz 0123456789

KARLA REGULAR

Parragraph Sentence Case Size 65% of headline AaBbCcDdEeFfGgHhliJjKk LlMmNnOoPpQqRrSsTtUu VvWwXxYyZz 0123456789

PHOTOGRAPHY











Assets Stack photography should feature causal simple restaurant images.



Product shots
Food photography should be warm and inviting.

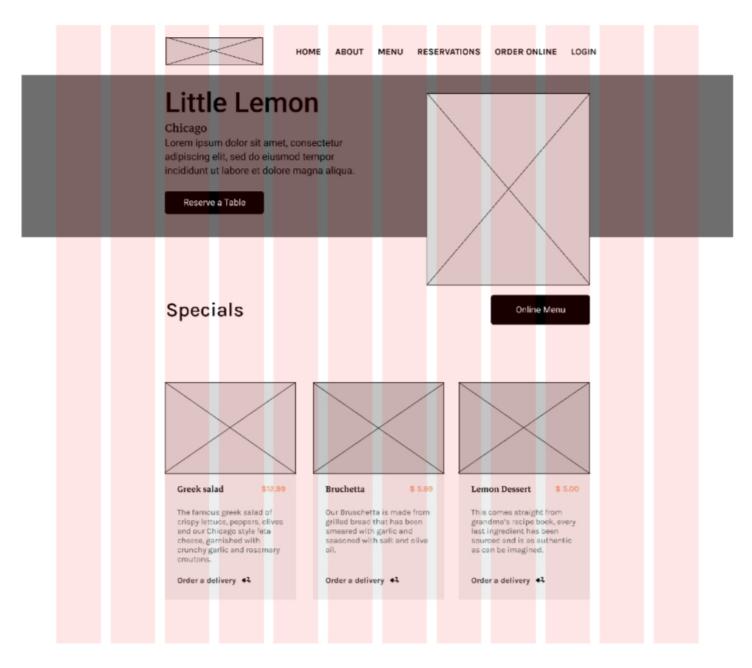


Do's

Do use photos that feature the environment or dishes shot in natural light.



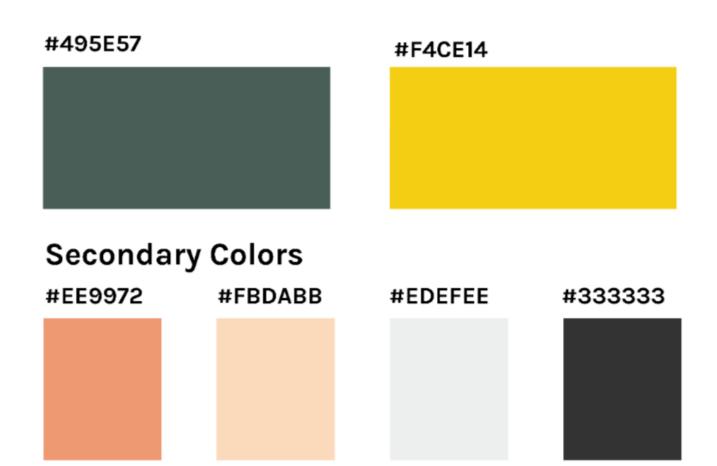
Don'ts
Don't use studio shots or food photography that seems too stylized.



Now, let's start with creating the styles as per the brand style guide. Styles help you simplify your workflow, keep text and colors consistent and save valuable time.

To create a color style, follow the next steps using the Little Lemon brand colors:

Primary Colors



To create text styles, follow the next steps using the Little Lemon brand text styles:

Typefaces

Markazi Text

Display Title - Medium 64pt

Sub title - keep close to display Regular 40pt

Karla

Lead text! Use this for descriptive items to catch attention! e.g. home page or CTA (Call to action) Medium 18pt

SECTION TITLE! UPPERCASE 20PT EXTRA BOLD

This Weeks Specials! Section Categories 16pt Extra Bold

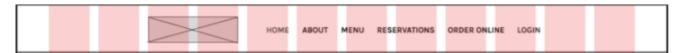
Card Title 18pt Bold

Paragraph text regular 16pt 1.5 line height Max 65 characters per line.

Highlight text e.g. price medium 16pt

Step 2: Add content to the placeholders on the wireframe

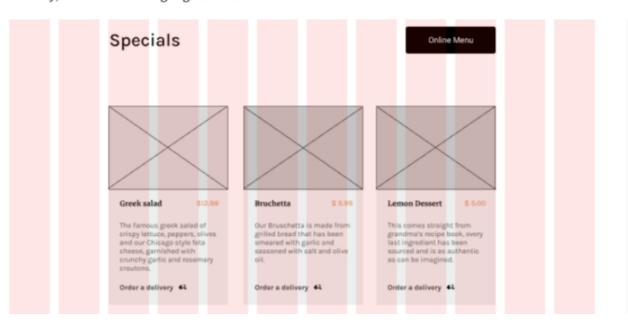
First, the Navigation bar needs a logo and the text needs to be altered.



Next up is the Hero section.

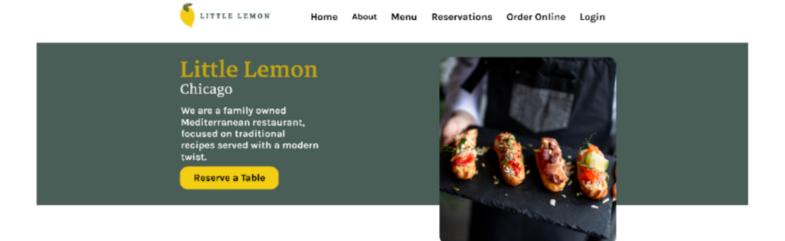


· Finally, work with the Highlights section.



Conclusion

Well done! You should now have something similar to the following mock-up:



This weeks specials!



