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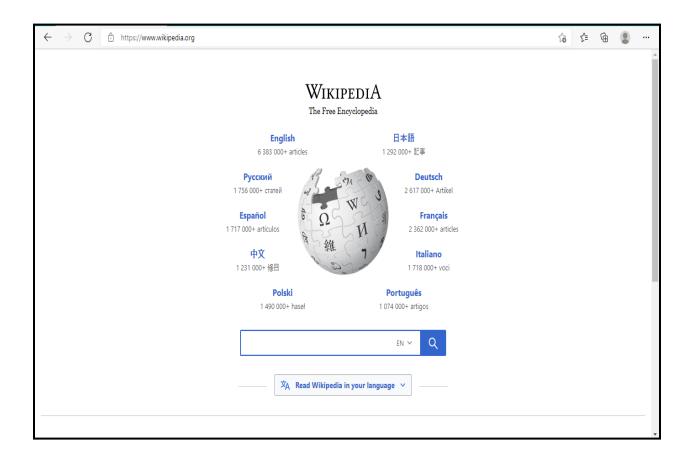
INTRODUCTION AND CONTRIBUTING TO WIKIPEDIA

a) What is Wikipedia?

Wikipedia is a free, open content online encyclopedia created through the collaborative effort of a community of users known as Wikipedians. It is the largest and most-read reference work in history. It is consistently one of the 15 most popular websites ranked by Alexa; as of 2021, **Wikipedia was ranked the 13th most popular site**. It is hosted by the Wikimedia Foundation, an American non-profit organization funded mainly through donations.

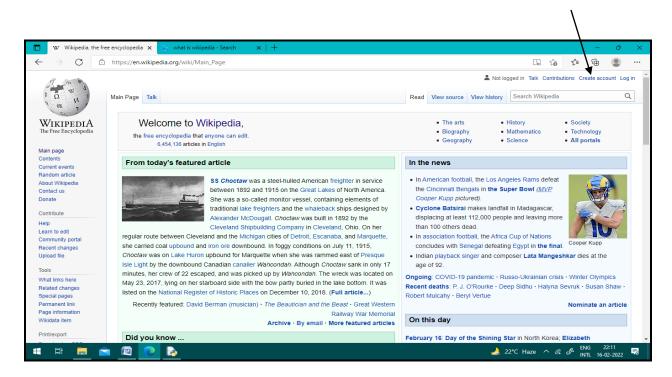
b) Steps to create an account on Wikipedia

step 1: Go to wikipedia.org



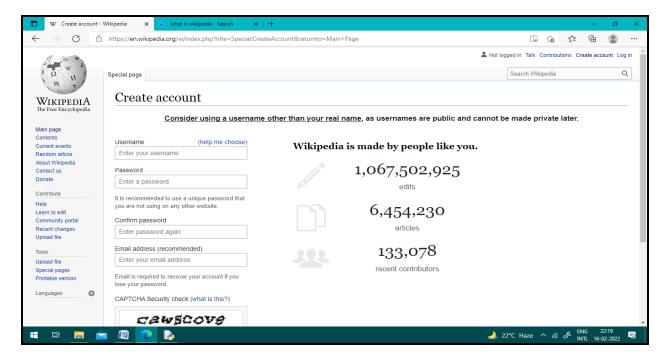
Step 2: Click on English icon

Step 3: Click on create account



Step 4: As soon as you click on create account the below page appears. Fill the required data.

After filling click on create account.



Step 5: As you create your account there will be a confirmation on your email address.

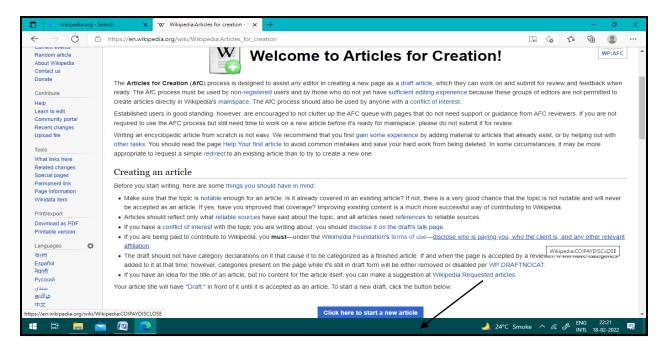
Then click on confirm email address.

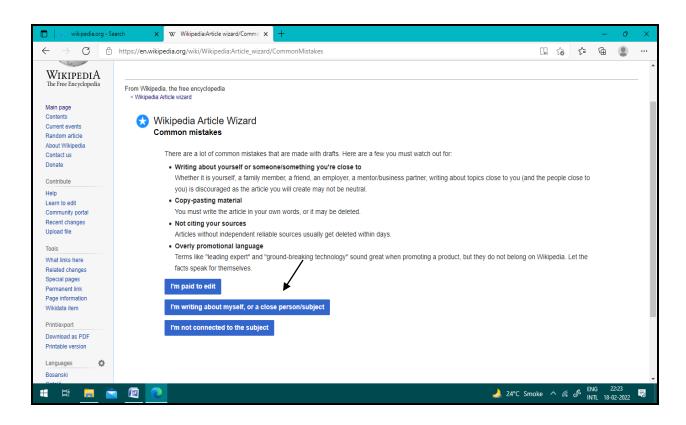
c) Creating page on Wikipedia

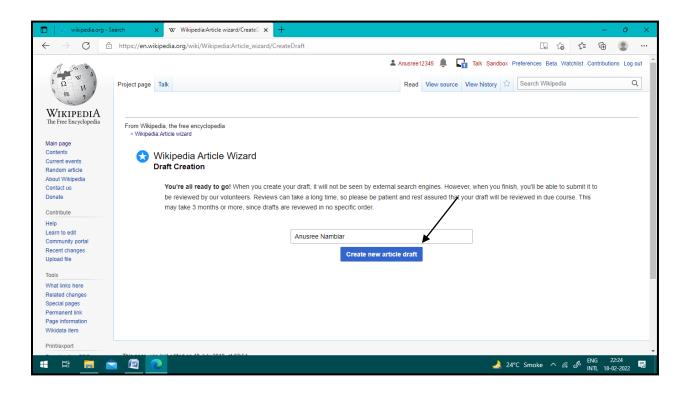


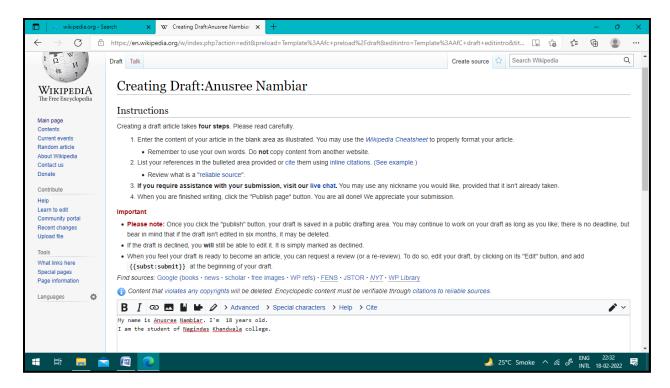
Step 2 : Since your name page does not exists you have to click on <u>ask for it to be created.</u>

Then follow the following steps.

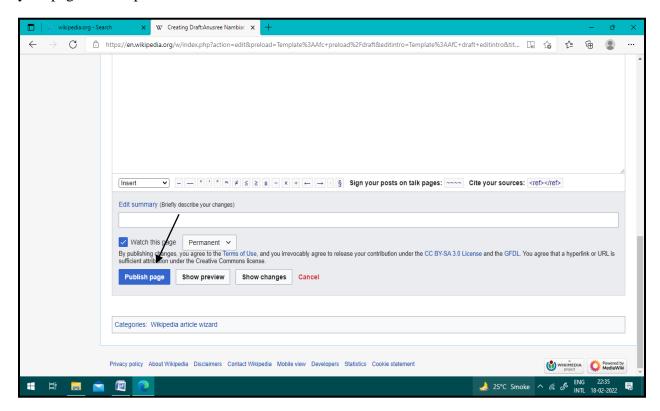






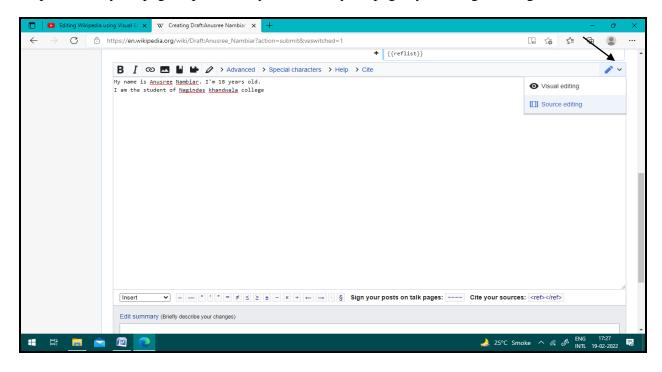


Step 3 : After writing about yourself on wikipedia page click on <u>Publish page</u> button to publish your page on wikipedia.

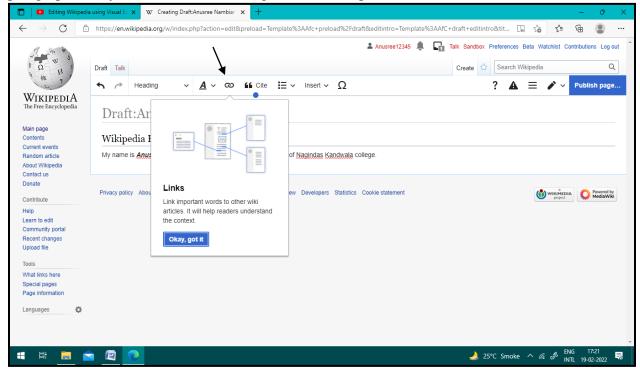


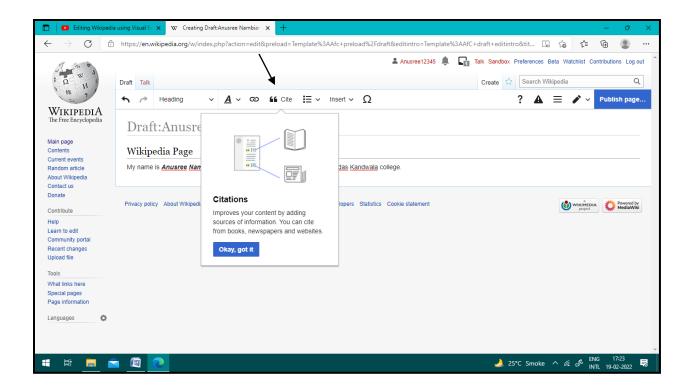
d) Edit your page

Step 1: Once your page is published you can edit your page by clicking on the given icon.



Step 2 : After clicking on visual editing you can edit your page . You can add title , headings, paragraphs and you can also insert images, tables, template, etc.





Step 3 : After editing your page you can click on **Publish Page** button then your page will be published.