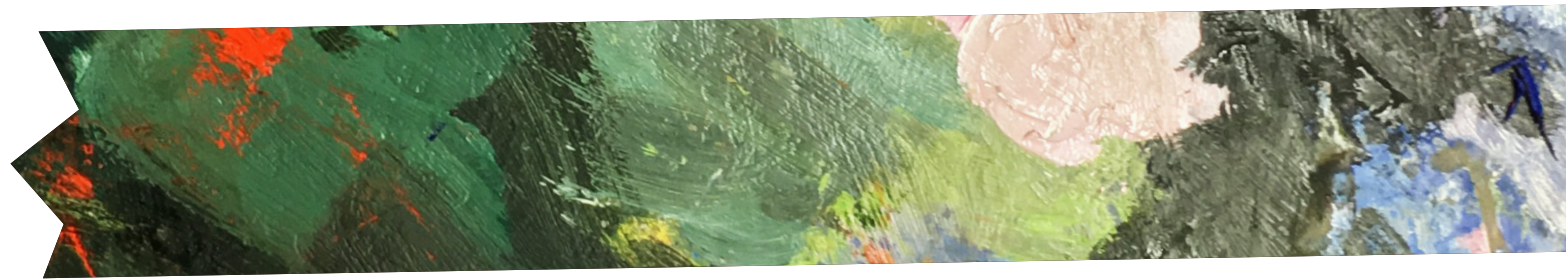




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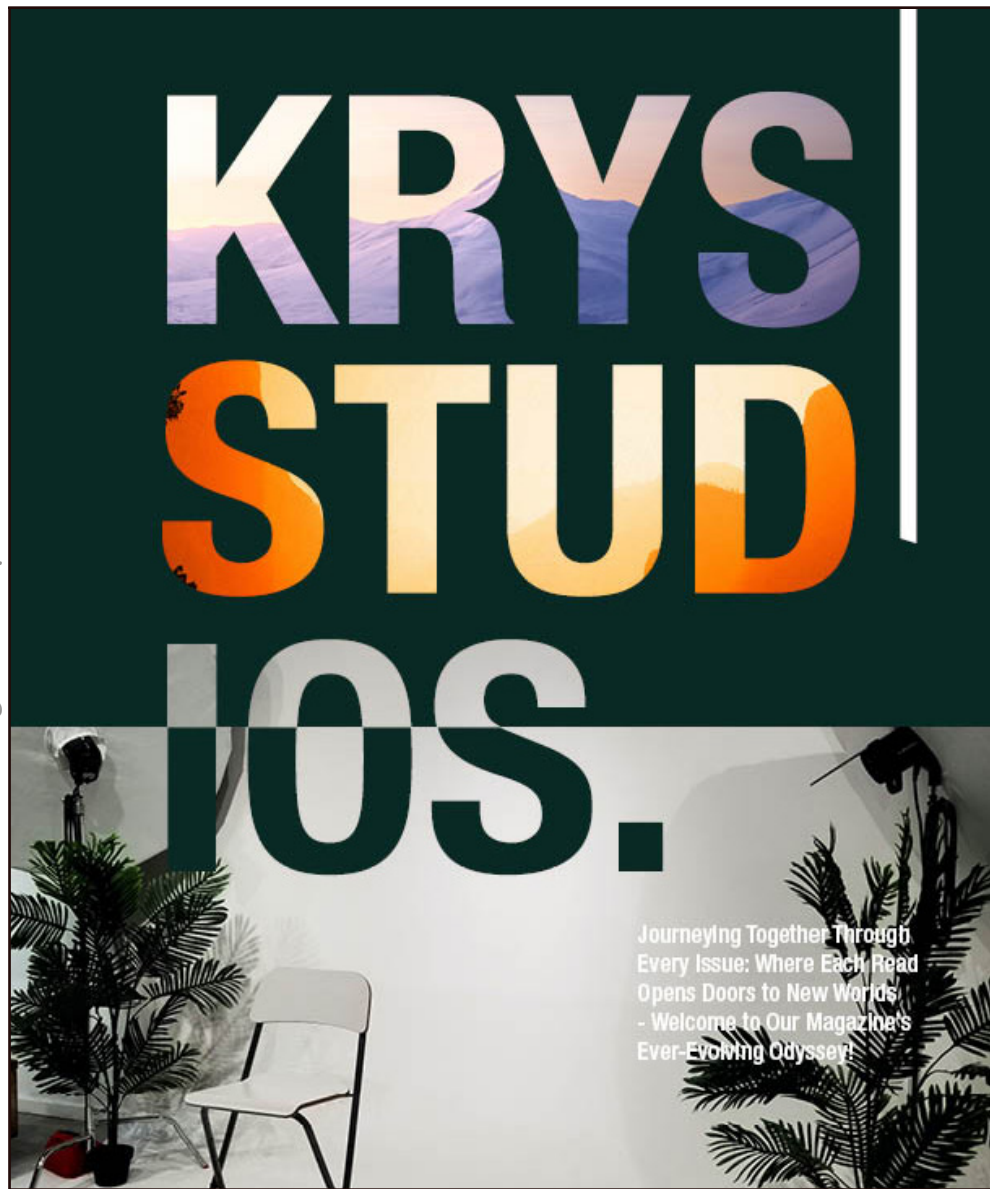


COMPOSITION





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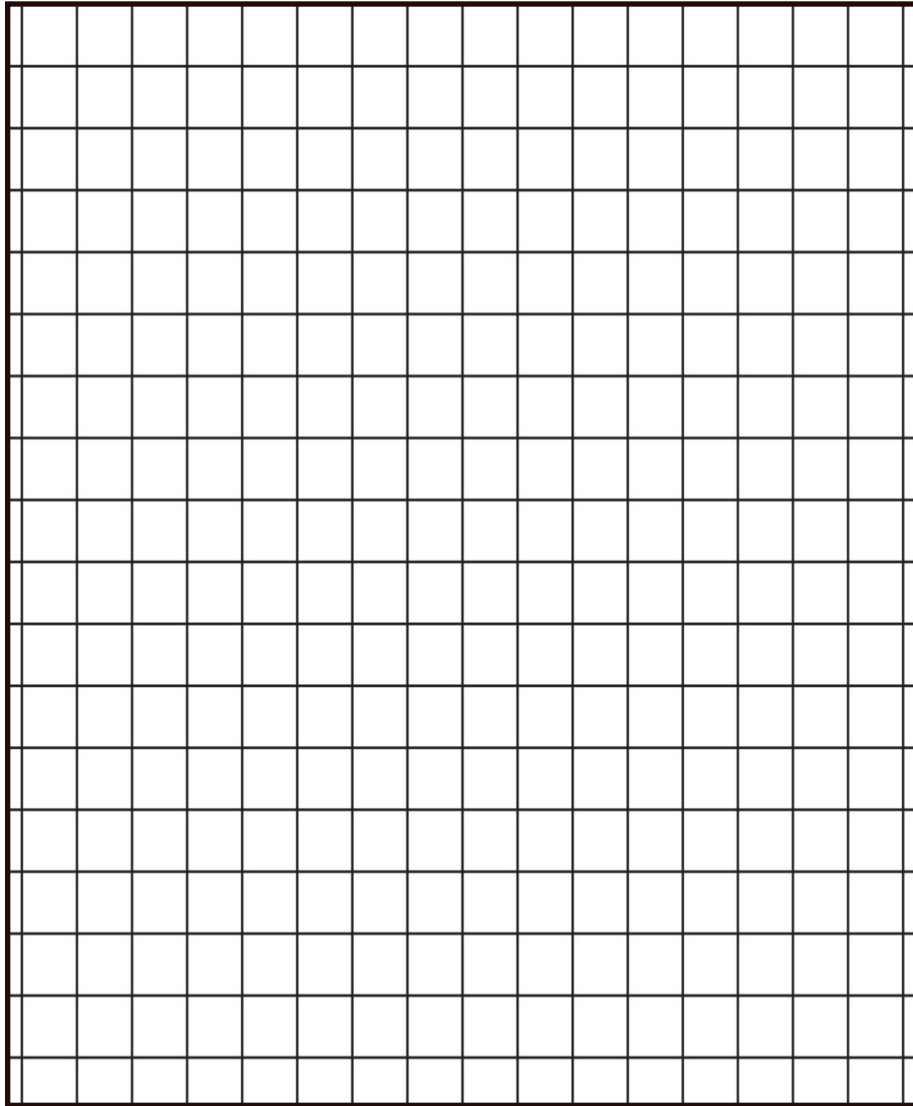


Layout and Composition

Composition refers to the arrangement of visual elements or components within a piece of art, design, or any visual medium. It involves the organization, placement, and relationship between these elements. It encompasses principles such as balance, unity, contrast, emphasis, proportion, and rhythm to create a harmonious and visually appealing arrangement.

Layout typically refers to the structure or arrangement of elements within a space, whether it's a printed page, a website, a room, or any other physical or digital area. In graphic design or publishing, it involves arranging text, images, and other graphical elements in a way that's aesthetically pleasing, easy to read, and effectively communicates the intended message or information.





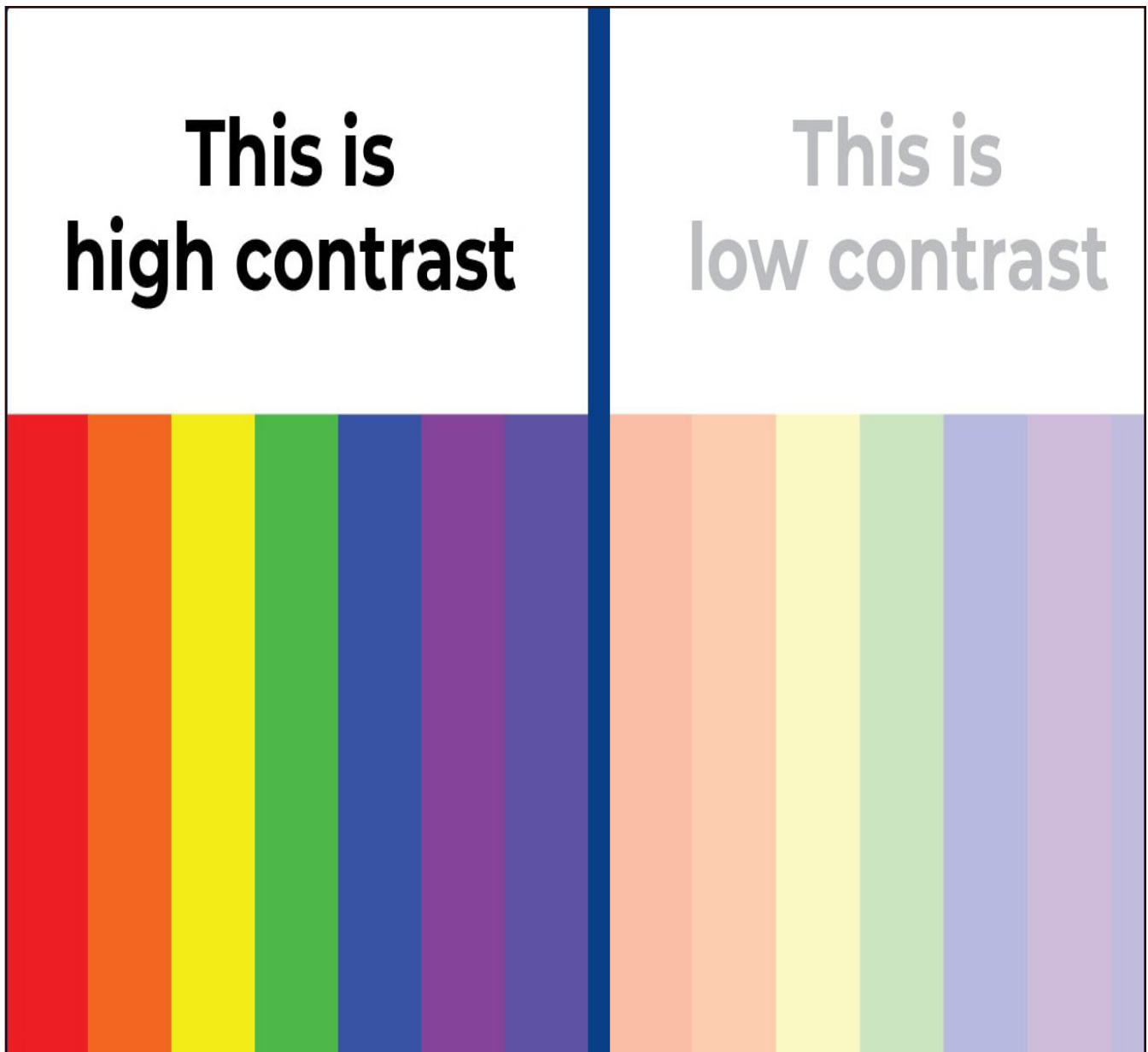
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Integrating a well-structured grid system into your poster layout is pivotal for achieving a refined and organized visual composition. The implementation of a grid system acts as a fundamental structure, streamlining the placement of various design elements to maintain a cohesive and balanced arrangement.

The grid system serves as a guiding principle, offering a roadmap for the placement of text, images, and graphical elements. It enables a deliberate and systematic approach to the design process, allowing for a harmonious interplay between different components.





Contrast

Contrast in design involves creating visual interest and emphasis by highlighting differences between elements. This includes variations in color hues and values, font styles and sizes, shapes, textures, spacing, lines, temperature, and color saturation. Thoughtful use of contrast is crucial for guiding the viewer's attention and maintaining visual harmony.

However, it's important to use contrast thoughtfully and purposefully. Too much contrast can be overwhelming, while too little can lead to a lack of visual interest. Balancing contrast with other design principles contributes to a harmonious and effective visual composition.



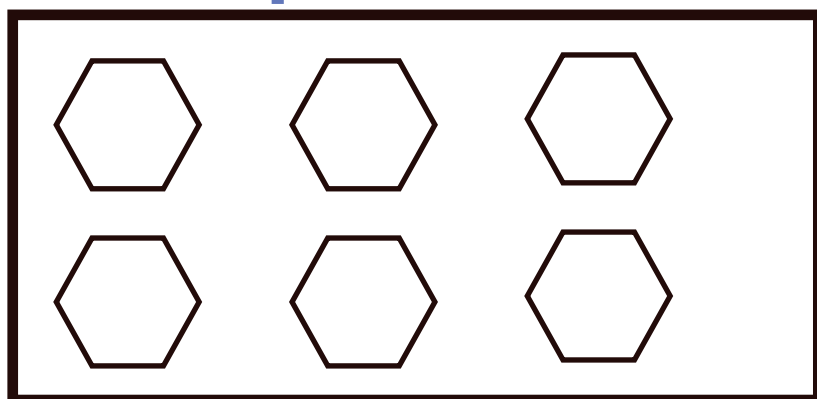


White Space



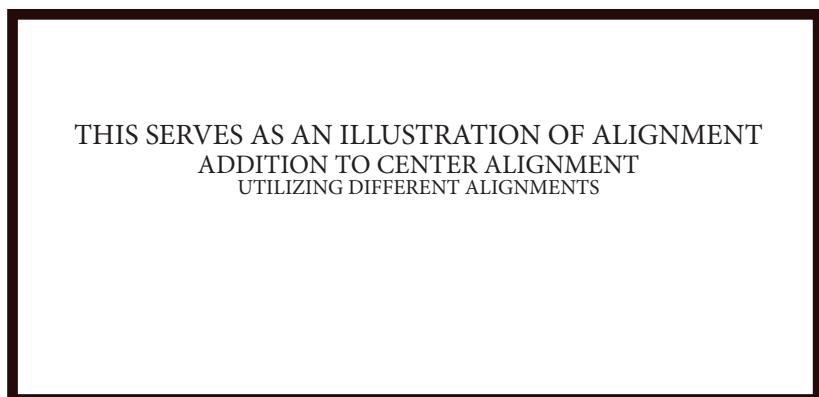
White space plays a crucial role in every composition. It encompasses negative space, representing the area between content, lines, and everything surrounding those elements.

Repetition



Serves as a reminder for maintaining consistency in a design. The repetition of specific elements, such as text, color, and theme, contributes to a clean and easily readable presentation.

Alignment



This is a constant consideration. Ensure consistency and envision everything fitting within a grid structure.



Journal

Before commencing work on the booklet, my initial steps involved reaching out to the client to discuss key aspects. We began by defining the general aesthetic, focusing on incorporating “cool and vibrant” colors, which inspired the use of dark green and orange.

I created several background options to align the client’s vision with mine, ultimately agreeing on the background that best suited the booklet. Once the overall design was finalized, I shifted my focus to the layout. Opting for a black text ensured visibility on the white background, while Light Blue, Purple, orange and black was chosen for sub-headers to complement our selected color palette.

With the color scheme established, the next step was integrating the content into the booklet. The initial page provided an overview, followed by sections exploring the meaning of layout and composition. Page 5 featured a visual example illustrating how layout and composition elements are applied in real-world scenarios.

Throughout the collaborative process, exchanging ideas with the client led to a positive experience. Despite a few iterations on the overall design, both parties expressed satisfaction with the final outcome of the booklet.