

Activity 1

Facilitator Instructions:

Say: Let's do a quick activity to create patterns quickly in Canva.

ACTIVITY BRIEF		
Activity Topic: Pattern Creation		
Activity Objective: To understand and apply the concept of creating patterns quickly in Canva.		
Total Duration: 10 mins		
Pre-requisites: Lecture Notes		
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DURATION	FACILITATOR INSTRUCTIONS	PARTICIPANT INSTRUCTIONS
10 mins	<p>Briefly discuss the importance of seamless patterns in design.</p> <p>Instruct participants to open Canva and navigate to the 'Elements' or 'App' tab.</p> <p>Participants should select a pattern template (free or paid) or create a custom pattern using repeated elements.</p> <p>Emphasize speed and creativity in pattern creation.</p> <p>After 5 minutes, participants share their patterns and discuss the process.</p>	<p>Open Canva and go to the 'Elements' or 'App' tab.</p> <p>Select a pattern template or create a custom pattern using repeated elements.</p> <p>Focus on speed and creativity in pattern creation.</p> <p>Be ready to share your pattern and discuss the process with the class.</p>

Activity 2

Facilitator Instructions:

Say: Let's do a quick activity to explore alignment and spacing challenges.

ACTIVITY BRIEF		
Activity Topic: Alignment and Spacing Challenges		
Activity Objective: To use Canva's alignment and spacing tools efficiently		
Total Duration: 10 mins		
Pre-requisites: Lecture Notes		
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DURATION	FACILITATOR INSTRUCTIONS	PARTICIPANT INSTRUCTIONS
10 mins	<p>Begin by explaining the importance of alignment and spacing in design, as highlighted in the lecture.</p> <p>Divide participants into pairs or small groups. Provide each group with a design challenge: "Create a visually balanced and aligned social media post in Canva".</p> <p>Set a timer for 8 minutes. Instruct participants to use Canva's alignment tools, spacing options, and grouping techniques to achieve a cohesive and well-spaced design.</p> <p>Encourage the use of visual hierarchy principles discussed in the lecture.</p> <p>After 8 minutes, ask each group to present their social media post to the class, explaining the alignment and spacing choices they made.</p>	<p>Form a group with your classmates. Open Canva and create a social media post.</p> <p>Focus on using alignment tools such as Align Left, Align Center, etc., as well as spacing options and grid spacing.</p> <p>Utilize grouping to manage elements effectively.</p> <p>Aim for a visually balanced and appealing design.</p> <p>Be ready to present your social media post to the class, explaining the alignment and spacing choices you made.</p>