

How To Create A Website With Canva

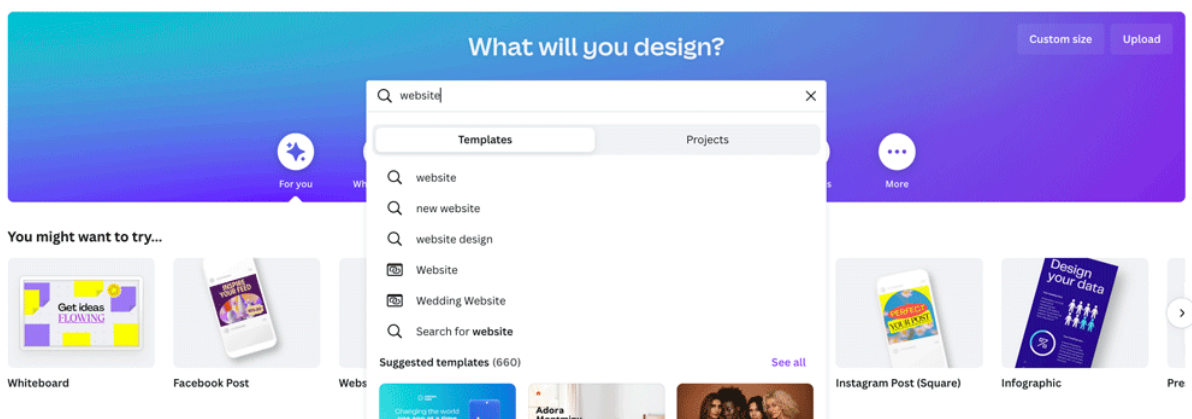
1.Create An Account With Canva:

Before you can design with Canva, the first thing to do is to create an account.



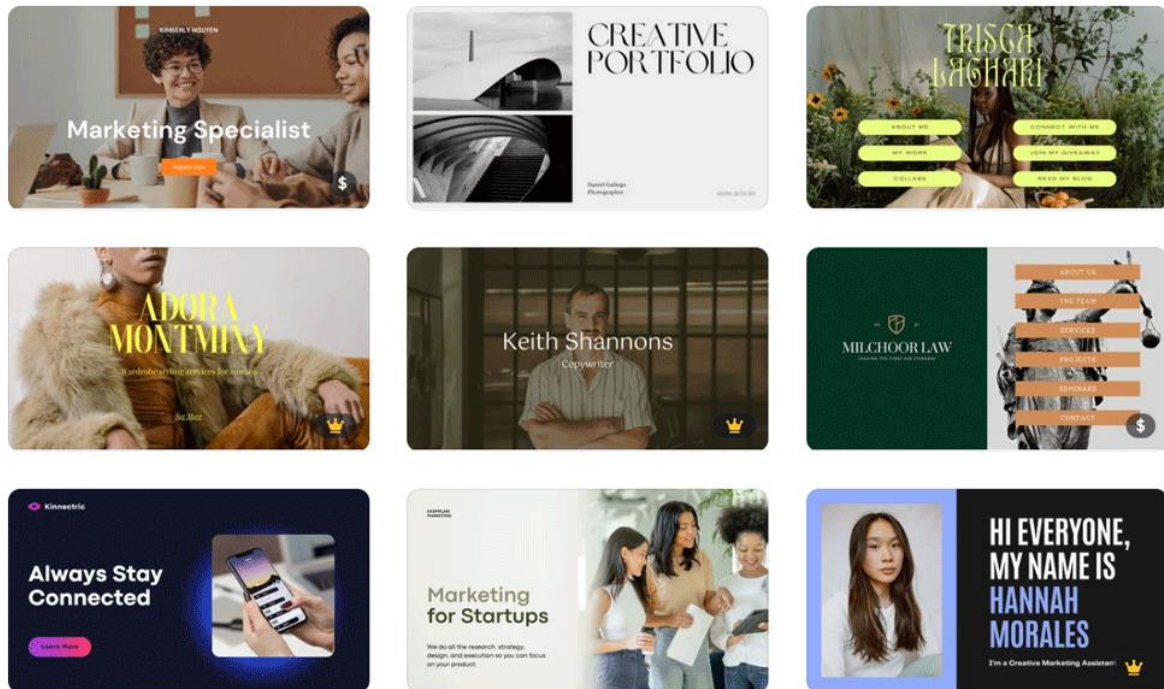
2. Step One: Design Your Website

The first thing you want to do is design your website's layout. Now, here are some things to take note of.



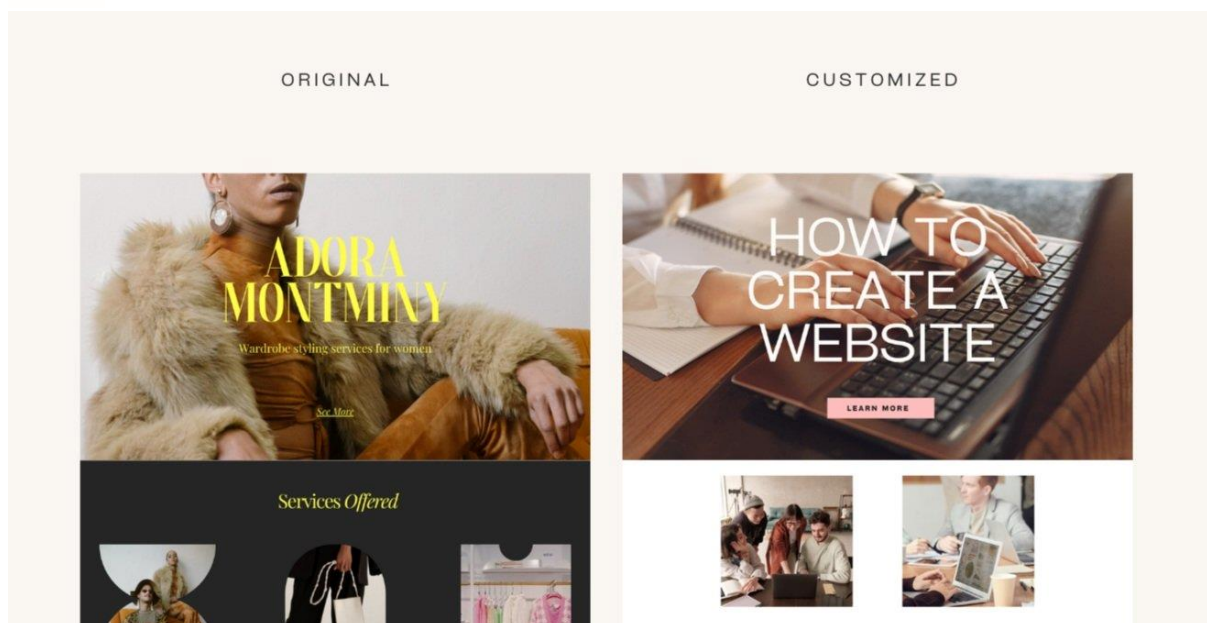
3. Designing From Scratch Vs. Using A Template

Designing from scratch means you must specify the sizes of every element you use, pair your color schemes, and figure out how the overall design will look.



4.Step Two: Add Your Copy And Images

The next thing you want to do after designing the layout of your website and adding colors is to include your copy and images.



4. How To Add Images On Canva

To add your images, there are two ways you can go about it.

The first way is to go to the editor's menu on the left side of your screen, head over to **Elements**, and on the search bar, and search for **Frames**. Once you've done

that, you will see different shapes of frames that can contain your images. You can choose any frame you like. Then all you need to do is add your images to the frame.

The second method is adding images directly to your design without the frames. The only downside is that you are limited to the square shape.

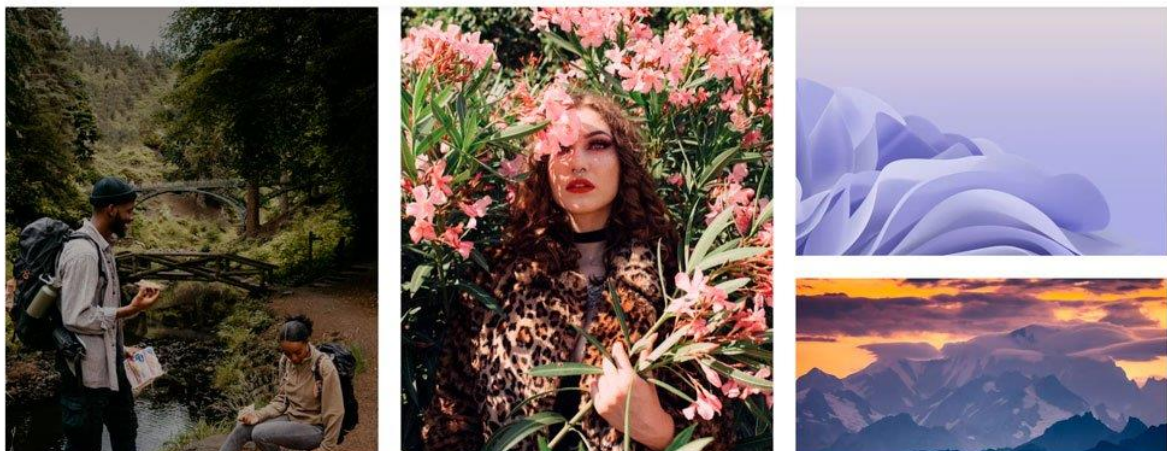
5. How To Upload Images To Canva

To upload an image on Canva, go to the editor's menu on the left side of the screen; you will see **Upload**, click on Upload and then click on the purple button that says Upload image. From there, you can upload any image you desire. Alternatively, you can record yourself and upload it on Canva.

Where To Find Free Images

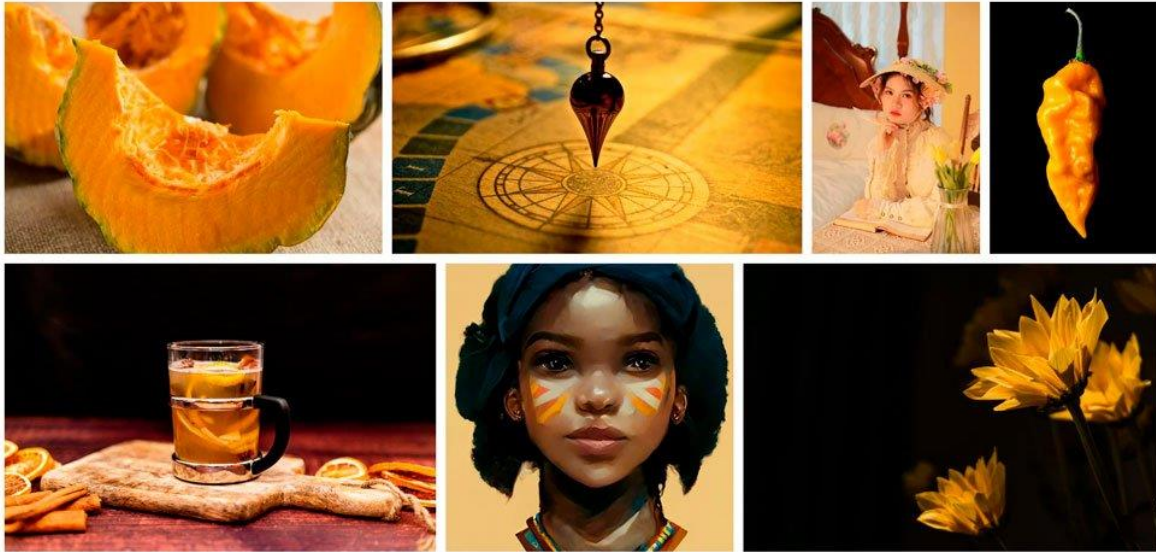
If you don't know where to find images, you can use them on your website. Then, here are some great sites that offer free and paid images

[Unsplash](https://unsplash.com/)



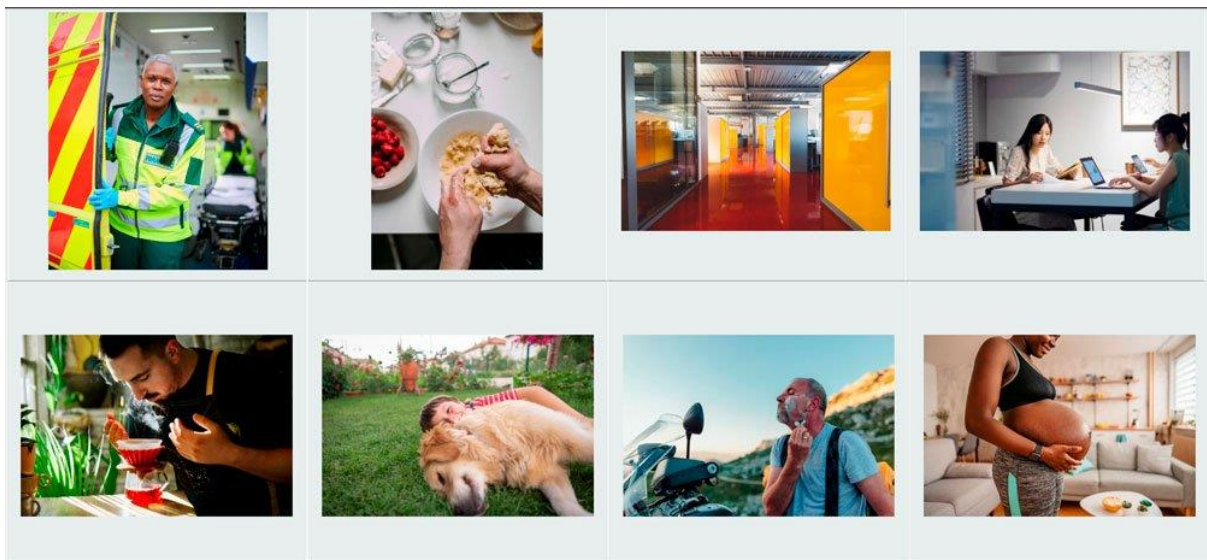
Unsplash is one of the best websites to source clean and free images without annoying watermarks. It has thousands of images you can download for free for your website.

[Pixabay](https://pixabay.com/)



Another site where you can get millions of free images is Pixabay. Pixabay is where to find whatever you are looking for.

[Istock](#)



iStock offers both free and paid images. And yes, their paid images are worth it. However, Pixabay and Unsplash are enough if you want quality and free images.

6. Uploading Copy

Uploading copies to Canva is simple and straightforward. However, it is also good if you have your copy stored away on Google Docs or any other software you use.

But, if you don't have the time to come up with copies or don't even know how to start, you should try .Copy.ai is an AI content writing tool that can generate sentences and paragraphs from just a few words. Also, it comes with templates that you can make use of.

How To Add Links To Your Canva Website

You have to be able to link to other sections on your Canva website and also to other pages. Suppose you are wondering how to add hyperlinks to your Canva website. Follow the following steps.

1. Select the element or double-click the text you want to add a link to
2. Click on the loop-like icon on the editor's tab above.
3. If you don't instantly see it, click the three dots .
4. Enter the link and press Enter if you are linking to another website page
5. If you are linking to a page, select the page you want to link to in the **Pages in this document** section. Once you've done this, you are good to go.

7.Step Three: Publish!

The next thing you want to do after designing your Canva website is published it and make it visible to the public. Publishing a website is also as simple as creating a website on Canva. All you need to do is to click **Publish On the Website** on the editor's menu and choose the type of domain you are going for.

8. How To Add Custom Domain To Canva Website

If you don't want to publish using the default Canva domain, there is a way you can use your custom domain with your Canva website. This is particularly helpful for individuals creating portfolios or business websites.

You can purchase a domain using Canva if you don't currently have one, or use your existing domain. To do this

- Go to the **Publish As Website** in the top right corner of the menu bar
- Select if you want a navigation menu on the drop-down.

- After that, you will be asked whether you want to use a free domain, purchase a domain using Canva, or use an existing domain. Choose your most preferred option.
- The instructions are self-explanatory if you are purchasing a domain using Canva. All you need to do is to follow instructions, and you are good to go.
- If you are using an existing domain, click on **Add another domain** and input your domain name. Ensure that you don't add www.
- When you've done that, click **Continue**. Canva will provide you with some values you will need to input on your domain host.

For more domain help, you should check out this [post](#) by Canva.