

# **Introduction and Contribution to Wikipedia**

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## **a. Description about Wikipedia and its features**

You may not have realized, but you've probably already used a Wiki. The most famous example most people have engaged with is Wikipedia, the free internet encyclopedia that anyone can edit. While your company Wiki may not end up containing quite as many answers, the concept and functionality is the same.

Wikis can have a variety of uses and applications, but they usually share a few key functionalities.

Features of Wikipedia is

- Full Page search
- Hierarchical page display
- A list of the most recently edited pages
- Searching with Tags

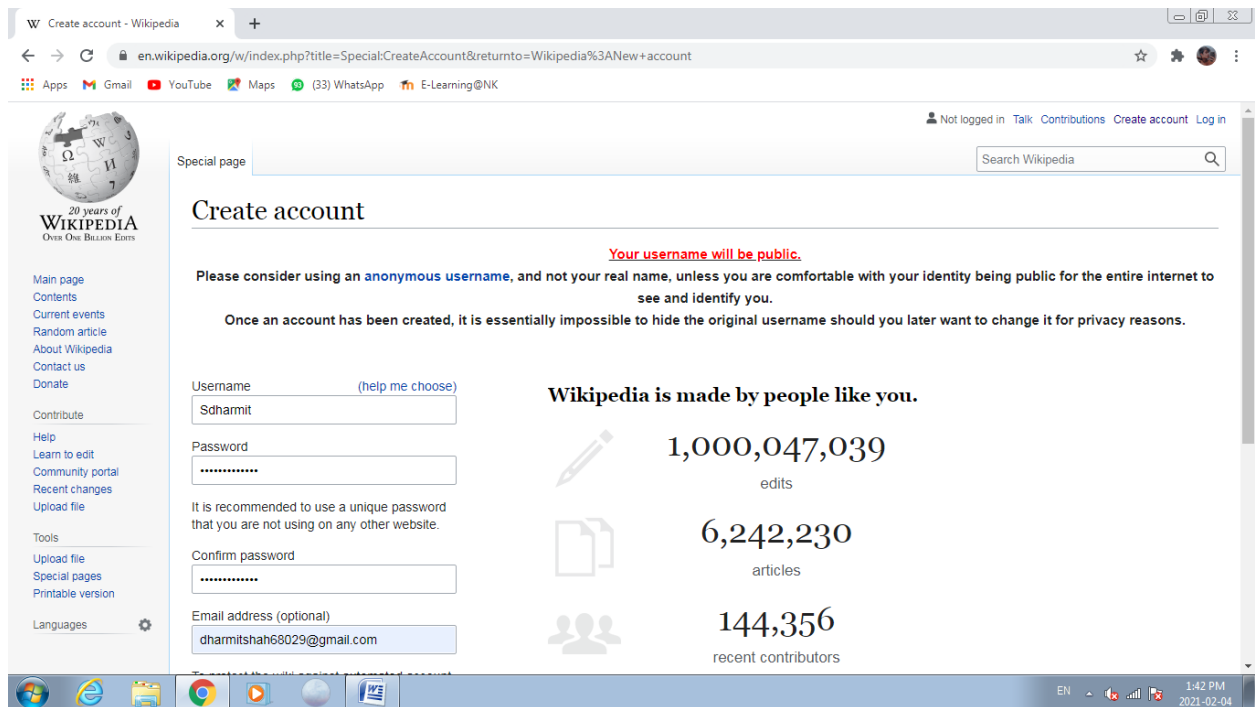
## **b. Creating Account on Wikipedia**

Step1: Go to wikipedia.org or click on this link

<https://en.wikipedia.org/w/index.php?title=Special:CreateAccount&returnto=Wikipedia%3ANew+account>

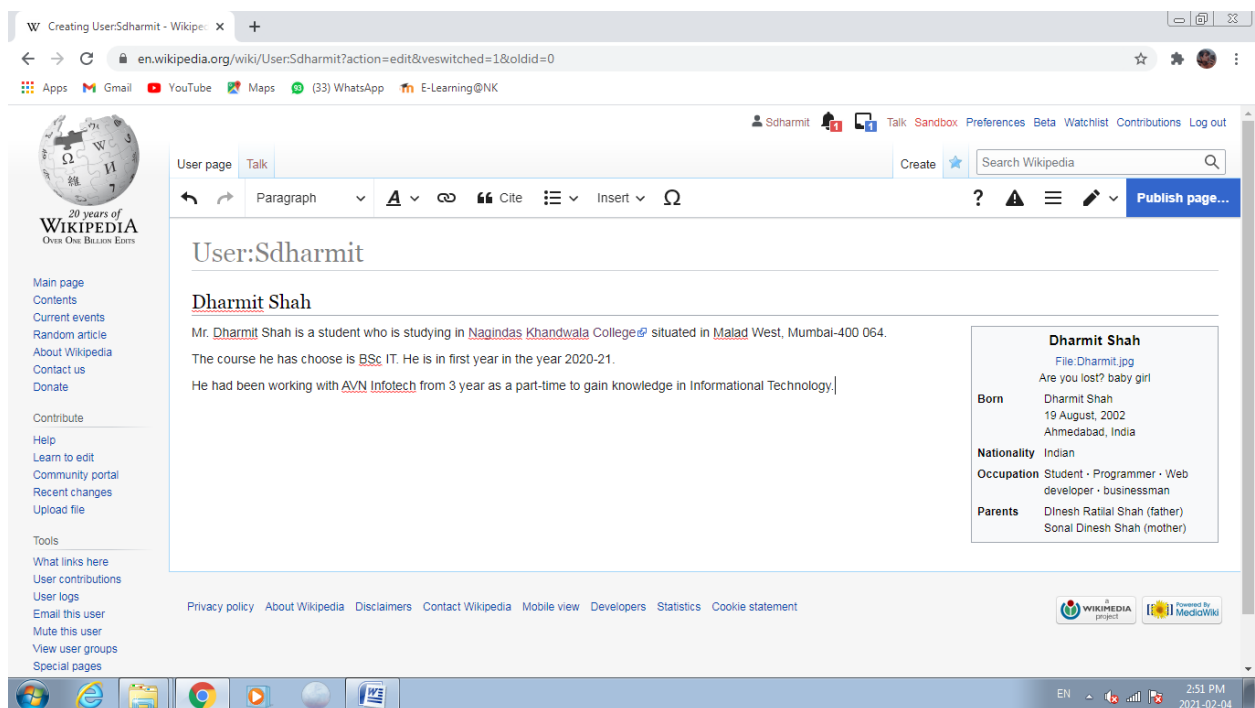
Step 2: Click on the create account

Step 3: Enter your details than click on to create account your account will be created



## c. Creating your page on Wikipedia

Click on the create button to create your page



To publish you page click on the blue button **publish page**

## d. Editing your page on Wikipedia

Click on the edit option to edit your post once you created

The screenshot shows the Wikipedia user page for 'User:Sdharmit' in edit mode. The browser address bar shows 'en.wikipedia.org/wiki/User:Sdharmit?action=edit'. The page features a sidebar on the left with navigation links like 'Main page', 'Contents', and 'Tools'. The main content area has a title 'User:Sdharmit' and a subtitle 'From Wikipedia, the free encyclopedia'. Below this is the user's bio, which includes their name 'Dharmit Shah', their current studies at 'Nagindas Khandwala College' in 'Malad West, Mumbai-400 064', their course 'BSc IT', and their work experience at 'AVN Infotech'. An Instagram link is also provided. On the right side, there is a structured data box for 'Dharmit Shah' containing details like birth date (19 August, 2002), nationality (Indian), occupation (Student, Programmer, Web developer, businessman), and parents (Dinesh Ratilal Shah, Sonal Dinesh Shah). At the bottom, a blue button labeled 'Publish changes...' is visible. The footer of the page mentions the last edit date as 4 February 2021.

To finish your edit click on **publish changes**