

## The New Site dialog box properties

Understanding the New Site dialog box settings will make creating your website easier.

- **Page Width:** The typical page width for a web page is between 960 and 1000 pixels, which fits within a browser on a 1024 (width) x 768 (height) monitor resolution. You do not need to enter the unit of measure, which is pixels by default. Muse creates a static-width page, meaning the width will not expand or collapse based on the screen size or resolution of the device where the site is viewed.
- **Min Height:** The minimum height tells the browsers that the page must be at least a specific value of pixels tall (a value you enter). It can, of course, be taller, but that is the minimum unless you decide to change it later.
- **Columns:** Similar to in a page layout program like Adobe InDesign, columns in Muse divide the page area using “non-printing” column guides.
- **Column Width:** Muse creates the column width automatically for you based on the page width, number of columns, and gutter options set, but you can change it here if your design requires it.
- **Gutter:** This is the distance between columns.
- **Margins:** Margins are guides that can be used to ensure that your page content is moved in from the edge of the page.
- **Padding:** Padding values determine the number of pixels between the edge of the browser window and the top, bottom, and left edges of your web page. When you select Center Horizontally, the Left value is dimmed because Left centers the page in the browser window.