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CREATING BRAND ACCURATE PRODUCTION PDF FROM CANVA

Some of the features outline in this document, require paid version of Canva Pro. If using the free version, additional processes and costs may be needed to conform the PDF to print production level.

When designing for print, follow traditional print production rules to get best results:

- use good resolution imagery
- · establish brand colors in CMYK to ensure consistency of final print
- include bleeds for production purposes
- download a print ready production pdf when ready to send off for printing, or share a link to native canva file if needed.

Establishing CMYK branded colors

• go to home and select Brand



• select brand kit and add new; give your new brand kit a name

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• to add a new color, locate colors section and Add new

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• set your CMYK values to your brand values; create as many colors as needed

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• you can now access these branded colors in your design by selecting Brand and applying to your text or shape

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Add Bleeds

• if you intend to print elements to the page edge (images or shapes), these objects should extend at least 1/8th of an inch beyond the trim.



• to visually show bleeds, go under file menu to view settings and select Show print bleed



• bleeds will now be visible for inspection; scan the 4 sides and extend images or shapes as needed



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