

PAGE LAYOUT TIPS

bleeds • margins • spreads



BLEED AREA

① BLEEDS

The yellow border around your Pictavo page is the bleed area. All color blocks, images, etc. that are meant to extend off the page (or bleed) should extend to the outer edge of the yellow area.

Pictavo backgrounds (and backgrounds you import to the Backgrounds folder) will automatically fill the bleed area.

② MARGINS

The thin green line around the edge of each page is the safety margin. Make sure to keep your text and important parts of images (such as faces) within these margins. If items are meant to extend (bleed) off the page, it is acceptable to place them past the margin.



③ SPREADS

Merge two single pages together to design them as a spread, with art and photos spanning across both pages. Use the Link icon to link and unlink pages.