



Wikipedia Edit-a-thon

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<https://tinyurl.com/AbbVieWiki2025>

There are many ways you can take part:

- Expand a stub article
- Improve an existing article
- Update a list

When choosing a subject

- **Conflict of interest:** editors should avoid editing material about family, friends (or enemies), colleagues, or employers.
- On our Google Sheet, add your **Wiki username** next to the person you choose to work on to avoid double-ups.

Getting started

- Where possible, it's easiest for beginners to work in the **visual editor** as opposed to the source editor.
- You can draft new pages or test edits in your **User Sandbox**.
- If you decide to use the source editor, here is a list of the **Wiki markups** you will need to use.

Want more info?

- Check out our **step-by-step tutorial series** on YouTube: <https://tinyurl.com/FWonWikiTutorials>
- You can also find answers to **Frequently Asked Questions** on the Franklin Women website: <https://tinyurl.com/FWonWikiFAQ>



How to Wiki

All Wikipedia articles should be written from a **neutral point of view**. Wikipedia is not a soapbox or means of promotion.

- There are also specific requirements for **biographies of living persons**.

All material presented in an article must be **verifiable** using citations of independent, reliable sources.

- Articles must not contain '**original research**' i.e. facts, allegations, and ideas for which no reliable, published sources exist

A subject must meet Wikipedia's **notability requirements** to warrant a stand-alone article.

- There is a specific policy about notability as it pertains to **academics**.

What does that button do?

Below are some editing tips and tools you can use:



Use the pencil button to switch between the source editor and the visual editor



With your cursor in position, hit Cite to add your references using the URL or ISBN of your source.



Add hyperlinks to existing Wikipedia pages for connectivity.



Preview your changes before publishing and remember to write an informative edit summary of what you changed and why.



Check your Wiki notifications to follow discussions. Sign your posts with your Wiki signature (using the shortcut: ~~~~) and keep editing!

"The more you read about these sensational women, the more you get so motivated and inspired by their personal stories." ~ Jess Wade