Export & Upload Guide for Illustrators

Your digital artwork must be -

- At least 3 (ideally 9) black 'outline style' digital illustrations per pack
- Transparent background
- No inclusion of written copy (text or numbers)
- Minimum 3000x3000 pixels (orientation variable)
- At least 300ppi (pixels per inch)
- Cropped to corners of illustration
- PNG format
- Compressed into a Zip File

Photoshop Guide

Image Size & Format.



When creating a new photoshop document you have the option to alter the document units, width, height and resolution.

For the highest quality resolution image, it is important to set the units to 'Pixels' & then alter the width and height to 3000 x 3000 pixels. The resolution should be in pixels per inch (ppi) format and set to 300.

You can make the background Transparent here (under 'background contents') if you prefer, but we find drawing on a new layer above white is easier on the drawing process.

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New Layers.
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When creating your illustration, one of the first things to do is add a new layer and draw onto this. New layers can be added by clicking the box with a plus inside and selecting 'New Layer'.

Transparent Background.



You can then click the white background layer followed by the eye to 'hide' the background layer when your illustration is complete - (This is the way we find most useful, simply as it can be hard on your eyes drawing straight onto a transparent background.)

Image Crop.

To crop the illustration, first click the square 'crop' button on the control bar.

Cropping to Corners.



In order to 'crop to corners' drag the crop outline to the very edge of your illustration – this reduces empty space surrounding your image.

Exporting.



To export the Illustration, click on the 'share' arrow and then 'Publish and Export'.



You can then format the image by selecting PNG and Large File Size followed by 'Export' – this allows the illustration to be exported as a high resolution image.

Follow this process for your other illustrations (if you have them) and save them all into a file on your device so they're easy to find.

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Procreate Guide

Image Size & Format.



When creating your illustration, create a new canvas by clicking the 'plus' icon in the top right hand corner before clicking the second 'plus' icon bellow to begin making a custom canvas.

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Edit the Canvas Dimensions by selecting pixels as the scale and editing the height & width to 3000x3000 px with a DPI of 300 Pixels.

Layering.



The layered boxes on the top right hand corner are where you need to click to view your canvas layers. Add a new layer by then selecting the 'plus' & draw your illustration on this layer.

Transparent Background.

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Once you have completed your illustration, you can make the background transparent by clicking on the small box next to 'background colour' to remove the tick & therefor the colour.

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