THE FANCY

Brand Guidelines

1. BRAND VALUES

BRAND VALUE PROPOSITION

Inclusive, innovative, & purposeful

Built on a foundation of discovery, our platform to celebrate great design, curate unique products, showcase innovative brands, elevate inspiring people and share stories. We source, hand-pick and curate a thoughtful collection of exceptionally designed & consciously crafted pieces from independent brands around the world. Each artist has a story and we are here to highlight **inclusivity, innovation, and purpose** with every brand. We use our platform to celebrate great design, curate unique products, showcase innovative brands, elevate inspiring people and share stories.

We believe that everyone deserves remarkable things that have personality, character, and value. It's time to fancy the gifts you give, the things you surround yourself with, and the love for all things man made. Let's celebrate the brands with a heartbeat.

THE VISION

Inspiring people through design

We exist to inspire people through interesting design and stories; allowing individuals to cultivate, celebrate, and share their unique identity through great products and content.

TAGLINES

Catchphrases used in marketing

A Big Place To Shop Small

Curated By Us. Fancied By All.

You New Favorite F Word (only to be used during early touchpoints with new consumers.)

OUR CORE VALUES

Our brand and products always represent our eight core values



GIRL BOSS



SUSTAINABLE



ARTISAN MADE



SMALL BATCH



MINORITY OWNED



MADE IN THE USA



CLEAN INGREDIENTS



GIVES BACK

CORE VALUES CONTINUED

The brands we represent...

Girl Boss: Were founded by female entrepreneurs or have a female in their most senior leadership position.

Sustainable: Produce their products with environmentally sensitive production methods; with constituent materials sourced sustainably.

Gives Back: Give back at least 1% of sales to charitable organizations.

Minority Owned: Are founded by entrepreneurs that are members of a BIPOC community.

Made In The USA: Fabricate their products here at home and support local economies.

Clean Ingredients: Restrict the use of parabens, SLS, phthalates, formaldehydes, or synthetic fragrances in all products.

Artisan Made: Create products entirely made in the designer's studio or by an artisan group of less than 10 people.

2. LOGO

LOGO

These logotypes are desgined to showcase craft, sophistication, and playfulness.

PRIMARY

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SECONDARY



LOGO CLEAR SPACE

LET THE LOGO BREATHE. Attempt to give the logo space on the top, bottom, and sides so that it does not appear to be connected to type and graphics around it. The "F" in Fancy is a good measure of this necessary space.



INCORRECT LOGO USAGE

Please do not change or alter the logo. It can only be featured in the brand colors.

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Do not use the logo in non-brand colors

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Do not rotate the logo

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Do not remove 'The' from the logo

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Do not add strokes or outlines to the logo

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Do not stretch the logo
Always scale proportionally

2. TYPOGRAPHY

TYPOGRAPHY USAGE

Standard typography for our brand and communications are displayed here. You can download all of these fonts for free here.

HEADLINES

Noto Serif Bold/ Bold Italic

Carefully curated things.

Secondary

Poppins Bold

Carefully curated things.

TERTIARY:

Poppins Medium

Carefully curated things.

Body Copy:

Poppins regular or light

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Script:

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To be used only
for short phrases,
headers, CTAs.
To be paired
with our more
primary fonts.

Carefully curated things.

New Products

TEXT SIZING

Follow this text sizing in marketing materials to create cohesion for the brand. All text sizing is an event point. Adjust slightly, if necessary, to fit certain dimensions.

Headers 26-36 pt

WELCOME TO THE FANCY

Sub-headers

16-26 pt

Explore our artisan made goods

Body Copy

12-14 pt

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Script:

26-30 pt

3. COLOR

PRIMARY COLORS

The Fancy primary color palette is sophisticated, neutral, and goes with any color or imagery. Please use only the primary color palette for the website and logos.





100% Black

100% White

SECONDARY COLORS

The secondary color palette can be used for marketing purposes in social media, email, website, etc., to add warmth to the brand.



Fancy Navy #243746 RGB 36, 55, 70 CMYK 86, 69, 51, 46



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TERTIARY COLORS

The tertiary palette should be used sparingly for CTAs and other call outs when an accent color is needed.



COLORS BY THE SEASON

How to use our colors

Our colors have been designed to work with every season by combining different primary, secondary, and tertiary colors together. During the winter, our palette will be heavier, in the fall it will be warmer, in the summer it will be lighter, and in the spring it will combine both light and warm. Black and white can be used freely in all the palettes.



COLORS BY GENDER

How to use our colors

Our colors are able to lean more masculine, feminine, or neutral depending on specific color pairings. For masculine leaning creative our palette will veer more blue and deep, for feminine leaning creative our palette will veer warmer, and for neutral creative, our palette will incorporate fewer contrasting colors.



4. TONE OF VOICE

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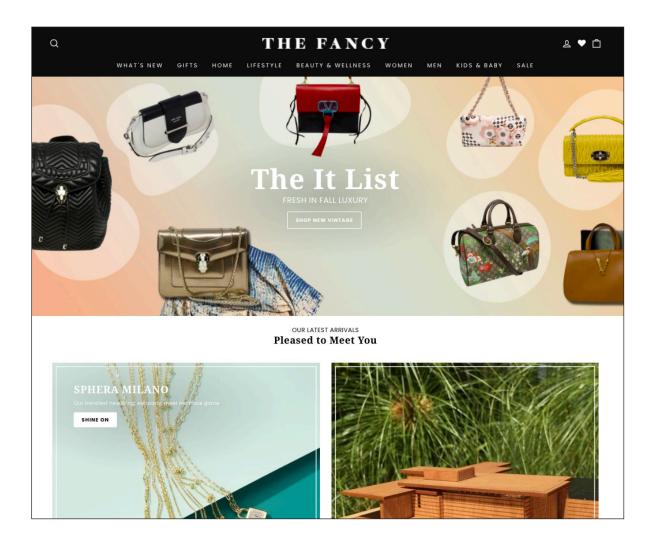
Passionate, playful, enthusiastic

Our tone of voice closely mimics our design aesthetic by being modern and playful. Our audience represents all genders aged approximately 25-45 from middle to upper class backgrounds. Regardless of age and socioeconomic status, however, our customers have a discerning eye and distinct taste for good design. They are young-minded, modern, sophisticated, early adopters, looking for special, interesting, and meaningful products.

With our dialogue, we aim to disrupt the current online retail experience and foster conscious consumption. We curate products with intention, focusing on design and values, and share meaningful work with likeminded consumers. We created a human-centered ecommerce experience that supports independent designers and elevates products infused with personality, character and value. We provide a new way to shop, curating through a unique lens and showcasing behind-the-scenes work of creators. We thoughtfully source products from people who embody our key values, and we support our featured artisans by telling their captivating stories.

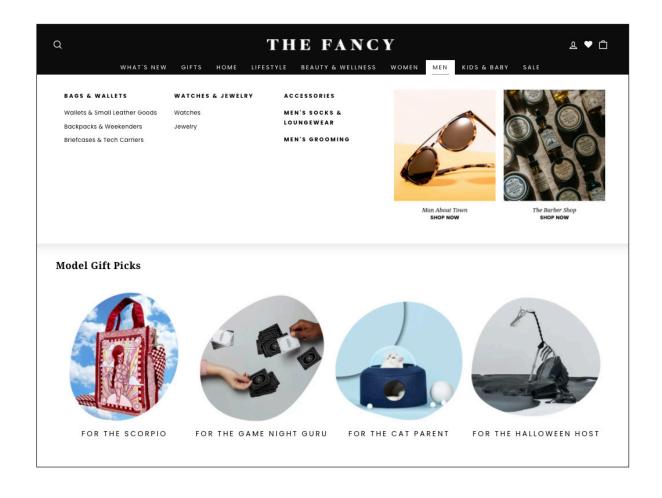
The brand should always evoke high-end, luxurious, clean, sophistication

WEBSITE (example 1)



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WEBSITE (example 2)



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SOCIAL MEDIA













Below are best practices for email marketing. Some font sizing can be altered if necessary.

EMAIL MARKETING

Headers:

26-36 pt

Noto Serif, can have fun with this whether it is all caps or not

and can use italics,

All emails are 600px wide at 72 DPI





Add additional text about the promotion this week or whatever the email is highlighting then use images in next section below. Typing random words to fill.

SHOP NOW



SUB HEADING

Write two to three short sentences here. Can adjust font to what fits and looks best.

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HEADER TITLE HERE

Add additional text about the promotion this week or whatever the email is highlighting then use images in next section below.

SHOP NOW

Subheaders: Noto Serif or Poppins Medium, 16-26 pt

Body Copy: Poppins Light/Medium 12-14 pt

IMAGERY/PHOTOGRAPHIC STYLE

The brand should always evoke high-end, luxurious, clean, sophistication with hight contrast, artistic imagery.













6. GRAPHICAL ELEMENTS

LINES & STROKES

Lines and stroke marks can be used throughout marketing pieces to add graphical elements that further highlight creative. They can also be used to focus in on specific parts within a creative piece. Experiment with dashes, vertical lines, and horizontal lines. Horizontal or vertical lines should remain within 2-6 inches, while dashes should remain 0.5-1 inch.

Element Example

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Visual Example



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SCRIPT

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Element Example

Mew Arrivals

Visual Example



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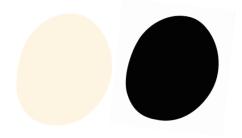




THE BLOB

Of all graphic elements, the blog should be used the **most sparingly**. This element hads a layer of playfulness to the brand, but when overused disrupts the brands main aesthetic of modern sophistication.

Element Example



Visual Example



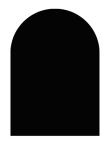




CURVED FRAMES & CURVED PHRASES

Add curved product frames and phrases so social media content and emails to increase visual appeal. You can pair these with other elements such as lines and script.

Element Example





Visual Example





OUTLINED & SOLID SHAPES

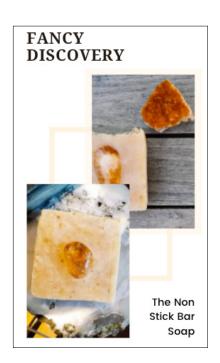
Add both outlined and solid shapes on creative to increase visual appeal. You can pair these with other elements such as lines and script. Shape outlines should have a width between 1–3 pt.

Element Example



Visual Example





Questions?

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THANK YOU