## Create a Simple Website

Who said that building a website has to be expensive, complicated, and time consuming? Are you a person without a lot of technical know-how but who would like to have a website and an online presence? In this two-part class we will look into features of easy to use, drag-and-drop website builders you can learn to handle all by yourself. We will help you create your online place.

Although you can find various website creating tools online for the purpose of this class we will focus on weebly.com and wix.com.

Other easy to use website hosts/builders include:

- Yola.com
- DoodleKit.com
- MoonFruit.com
- Jimdo.com
- WebNode.com
- SnackWebsites.com
- eMySpot.com
- www.000webhost.com/website-builder

Weebly and Wix are free site hosts offering advanced features that require paid subscription (such as a web store, custom domain name registration, etc.).

Sample sites I have made using the services:

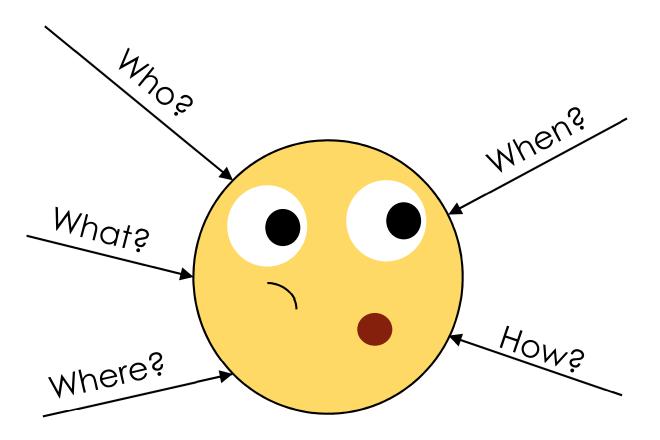
- ✓ Travel Blog <u>http://travelwithmia.weebly.com/</u>
- Flower Shop
  - ✓ via Weebly: <u>http://mflowershoppe.weebly.com/</u>
  - ✓ via Wix: <u>http://techblueemail.wix.com/mflowershoppe</u>

If you are a teacher, you can also create a website for your class via <a href="https://education.weebly.com/">https://education.weebly.com/</a>



## Before you get started think about your SITE PLAN

Basic components:

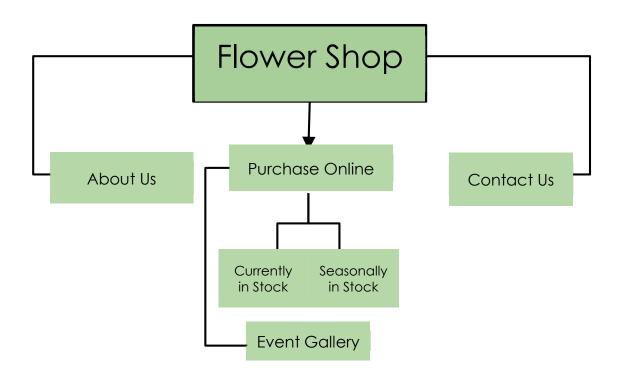


\* Figure out what you need first (by answering these questions), and then go ahead and create it.



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Flower Shop Business Site Plan:



Hair Salon Business Site Plan:



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