Understanding Margins, Padding and Spacing

Learn how margins, padding and spacing works in the BeatKongs website editor. Follow the steps below in your own producer dashboard and check the result on the visitor-facing website before publishing.

Before you begin

Sign in to your BeatKongs producer account and open **Website → Edit Website**. Work on a page you can safely test. Builder controls may vary by theme, selected element and plan.

Step-by-step instructions

1. **Step 1.** Select the element or container with unwanted space.

> SCREENSHOT TO ADD: Screenshot needed: Margin and padding controls

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Screenshot to capture: Margin and padding controls.

2. **Step 2.** Open its layout or spacing controls and identify margin versus padding.
3. **Step 3.** Adjust one side at a time; margin changes space outside the element, padding changes space inside it.

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4. **Step 4.** Check desktop and mobile layouts for overlap, then save.

Important: Margin is outside the border; padding is inside it. Excessive values often cause mobile gaps.

How to confirm it worked

Save the page, open the visitor-facing website, refresh it, and inspect the changed section on desktop and mobile. If the task involves a link, form, player, menu or other interactive feature, test that interaction directly on the live site.

Troubleshooting

- **Cannot find the control?** Select the intended element first. Some settings only appear for certain components, themes or plans.
- **Change did not appear?** Check that the correct page was saved, refresh the live page, and check whether caching is showing an older version.
- **Mobile layout looks wrong?** Reopen device preview and inspect the affected element’s width, spacing and visibility.
- **Feature is missing or not working?** Avoid deleting working content. Use Report Issues from your producer dashboard and describe the page, control and expected result.

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