

Create your own e-learning

**DID YOU KNOW?**

62.4% of institutions of higher education have evolved from offering only online courses to providing online degrees.

E-learning is becoming increasingly popular. More and more e-learning on all kinds of topics are being used in higher education. Various platforms make it easier to create an e-learning yourself. In this lesson you will create your own e-learning using platform Coursify for a specific target group.

ASSIGNMENT 1: TOPIC AND RESEARCH

Step 1

Write down all the topics that you are interested in. For example, your hobbies or other interests.

Step 2

Which of the above topics can you explain to others?

Step 3

Write down below what you already know about this topic.

Step 4

Search online for sources to verify or supplement your knowledge about the topic. Write down the links below.

Step 5

Write down what you want to explain in your e-learning, what are the learning goals?

Make sure to formulate at least three learning goals.

Learning goal 1:

Learning goal 2:

Learning goal 3:

Step 6

Look for a suitable video for each learning goal. Share the links below.

Link video learning goal 1:

Link video learning goal 2: _____

Link video learning goal 3: _____

ASSIGNMENT 2: EVALUATE YOUR SOURCES ON RELIABILITY

Together with a classmate, discuss the points below in order to evaluate the reliability of a source.



Who is the author/organisation of the source?



What is the (educational) background of the author/organisation?



What is the purpose of the author/organisation? Is it to inform/educate the reader, or to persuade, entertain or sell something?



Is there any indication that the author is biased on the subject?



What is the date of publication of the source? Does the source contain an original document?
Is the information up to date?

In scale of 1 – 5, how reliable do you think this source is?



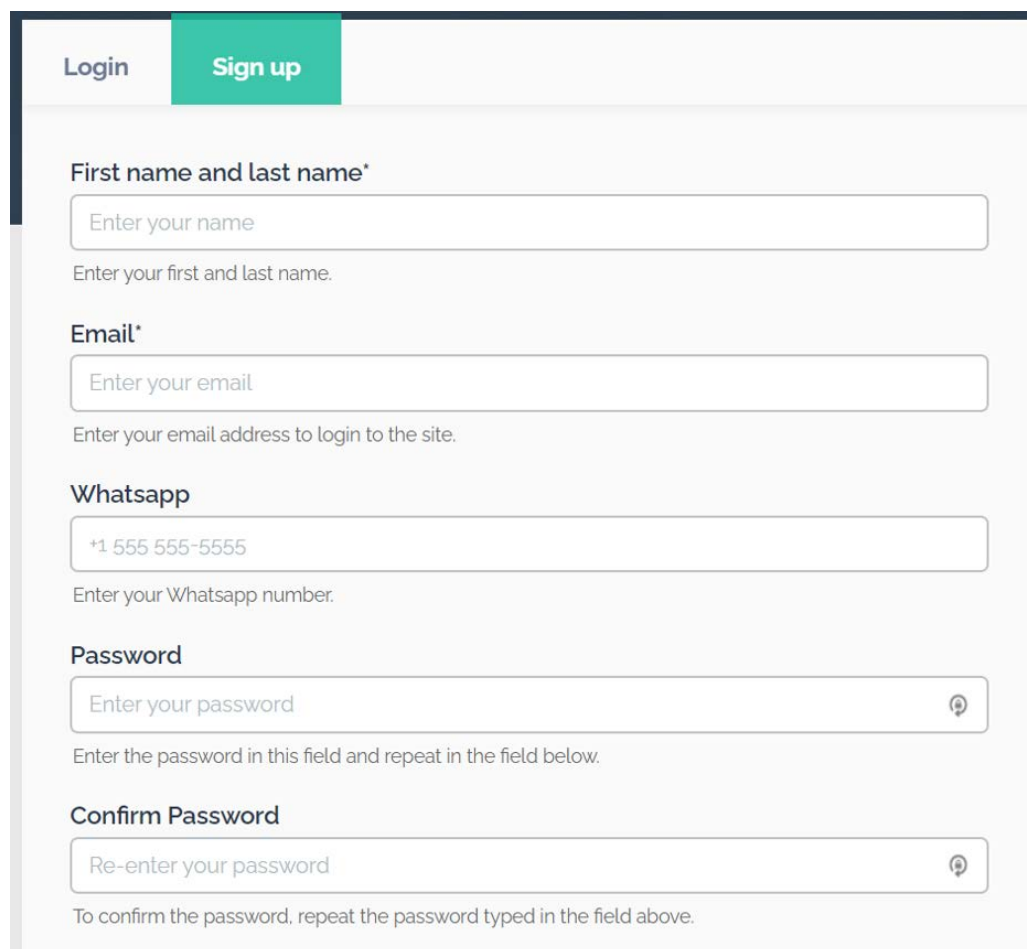
DID YOU KNOW?

Producing and providing e-learning courses consumes an average of 90% less energy and produces 85% fewer CO2 emissions compared to face-to-face trainings.

ASSIGNMENT 3: CREATE YOUR OWN E-LEARNING

Step 1

Go to <https://coursify.me/> and create an account.

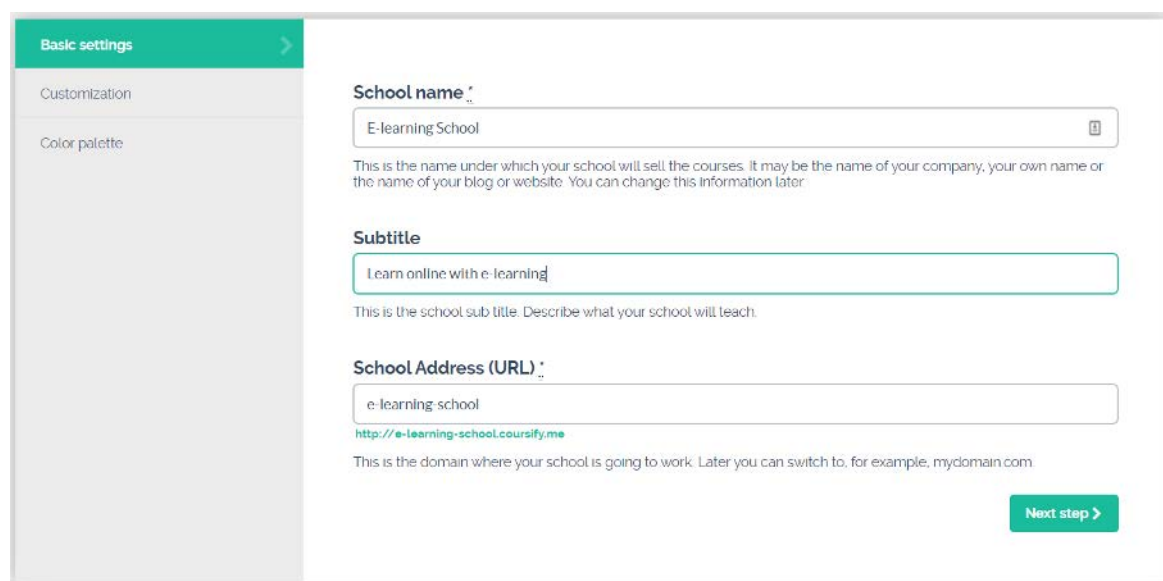


The screenshot shows the 'Sign up' form on the Coursify.me website. It has a 'Login' tab and a 'Sign up' tab. The form fields are:

- First name and last name***: A text input field with the placeholder 'Enter your name'. Below it, a note says 'Enter your first and last name.'
- Email***: A text input field with the placeholder 'Enter your email'. Below it, a note says 'Enter your email address to login to the site.'
- Whatsapp**: A text input field with the placeholder '+1 555 555-5555'. Below it, a note says 'Enter your Whatsapp number.'
- Password**: A text input field with the placeholder 'Enter your password' and an eye icon. Below it, a note says 'Enter the password in this field and repeat in the field below.'
- Confirm Password**: A text input field with the placeholder 'Re-enter your password' and an eye icon. Below it, a note says 'To confirm the password, repeat the password typed in the field above.'

Step 2

Choose a school name, subtitle and school address. This can be related to your name, or the topic of your e-learning.



The screenshot shows the 'Basic settings' page on the Coursify.me website. On the left is a sidebar with 'Basic settings' (selected), 'Customization', and 'Color palette'. The main content area has three fields:

- School name ***: A text input field with the value 'E-learning School' and an eye icon. Below it, a note says 'This is the name under which your school will sell the courses. It may be the name of your company, your own name or the name of your blog or website. You can change this information later.'
- Subtitle**: A text input field with the value 'Learn online with e-learning'. Below it, a note says 'This is the school sub title. Describe what your school will teach.'
- School Address (URL) ***: A text input field with the value 'e-learning-school'. Below it, the URL 'http://e-learning-school.coursify.me' is displayed in green. A note says 'This is the domain where your school is going to work. Later you can switch to, for example, mydomain.com.'

A green 'Next step >' button is located at the bottom right of the form.

Step 3

Choose a logo for your school and a cover image.

Basic settings ✓
Customization >
Color palette

School logo


 Select image

The logo is the symbol of your school. Can be equal to your company, blog or other project. Choose a logo that matches with your school.

The image must have at least 180x180 pixels with a safe area of 120px. Download the template here: [PSD](#) or [JPG](#). Accepted formats: jpg, jpeg, gif and png.

Cover image


 Select image

Choose a cover image that matches with your school. You can upload your own image or choose one of our [Image Bank](#).

Minimum dimensions recommended: 2560x730 pixels. Accepted formats: jpg, jpeg, gif and png.

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Skip this step >

Step 4

Choose a colour palette for your course.

Basic settings ✓
Customization ✓
Color palette >

Color palette

Choose the color palette of your school. You can customize the colors in the advanced settings.

☒ **Coursify.me Default**
☐ Grayscale
☐ Red
☐ Violet

☐ Sun Yellow
☐ Mint Green
☐ Sky Blue
☐ Old Pink

[Advanced settings](#)

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Next step >

Step 5

Your school is ready! Press 'Go to My School'.

Basic settings ✓
Customization ✓
Color palette ✓

Your school is ready!

Visit your school page and add your first course!

Go to My School >

Step 8

Scroll down and press 'Add section'.

How to create an e-learning
E-learning School

Price
Free

Publish course

Testimonials

Your course doesn't have a text or video testimonial. Click in the button below to create a new one.

+ Add testimonial

Course curriculum

Begin your course by creating the sections and then the lessons within each section.

+ Add section

Full Name
Author's testimony

+ Add testimonial

Step 9

Add a new section by entering the name and press 'Create section'.

Add a new section

Create sections for the organize the course lessons

Section name

Choose the name of your section.

Display position

Choose the display position of the section on the course page.

Create section

Step 10

Add your first lesson by pressing 'Add lesson'.

Course curriculum

Section 1

+ Add lesson

+ Add section

Step 11

Add the link of a suitable video and press 'Next'.

Create lesson

Choose the content of lesson

IMPORT FROM

- Youtube
- Dropbox
- My computer
- Do you want to integrate with other platforms?

Choose from YouTube

Insert video link

YouTube video URL

Example <https://www.youtube.com/watch?v=LqszotBFPxI>

Next

Step 12

Enter the title of the lesson and add some additional information to the video in the box 'Description'. Once you are finished, click 'Create lesson'.

Create lesson

Choose the content of lesson

Youtube

Imported content

Lesson title *

For example: What does the course cover?

Order of exhibition

Section *

Description

B **I** **U**

☐ **Demo content**

This content can be viewed by the student if he has not enrolled.

☐ **Allow download**

If checked, the student can download this content in the student area.

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Create Lesson

Step 13

Enter a new lesson by clicking 'Add lesson'. Make sure that you create at least three lessons, a lesson for each learning goal. Once you're ready with all your lessons, click 'Publish course'. Your course is now ready and published!

