

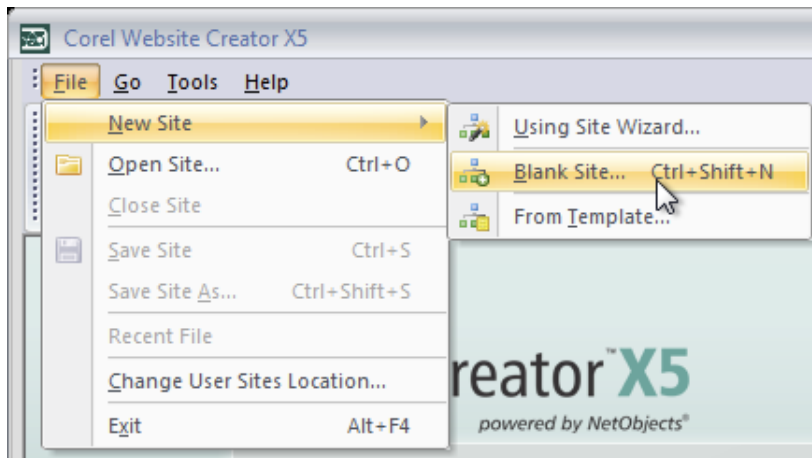
Embedding Videos from YouTube

Social media sites have exploded over the last few years. Incorporating these channels into your Website is an important part of your web presence. This tutorial will outline how to embed a video from youtube.com into your own Website.

Difficulty – **Novice**

Preparation

From the File menu, select New Site > Blank Site.



Name your site youtube.

Step 1

Locate a video you wish to embed into your Website, for this tutorial any video will be fine.

Step 2

On the video page you will notice the Embed options under the user account information.



Step 3

Use your mouse to select the code provided in the Embed field. Notice that customization options automatically open when the code is selected.

A screenshot of the YouTube embed customization dialog box. At the top, a text area contains the embed code:

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<object width="480" height="385"><param name="movie" value="http://www.youtube.com/v/fs=1&hl=en_US"></param><param name="allowFullScreen" value="true"></param><param name="allowsriptaccess"></param></object>
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 Below the code is a small video player thumbnail. Underneath is a list of checkboxes:

- Include related videos
- Show border
- Enable privacy-enhanced mode [?]
- Play in HD
- Use iframe embed code (beta) [?]

 Below the checkboxes is a row of ten color swatches. At the bottom, there are five size selection options: 425 x 344, 480 x 385 (highlighted in blue), 640 x 505, 960 x 745, and Custom. The Custom option is expanded to show input fields for Width and Height, both with 'px' units.

Step 4

We will be using the default code but feel free to customize the options here. Any selections or changes made will automatically update the code provided by youtube.

Step 10

The text box will now have a blue circle with a T. This icon means that the text box has HTML inserted.



Step 11

You can move this text box anywhere in your page by dragging it. Preview your site to view your video.

Wrapping Up

We have learned how to include videos from the social media Website YouTube. Including video is a great way to provide dynamic content to your Website visitors.