



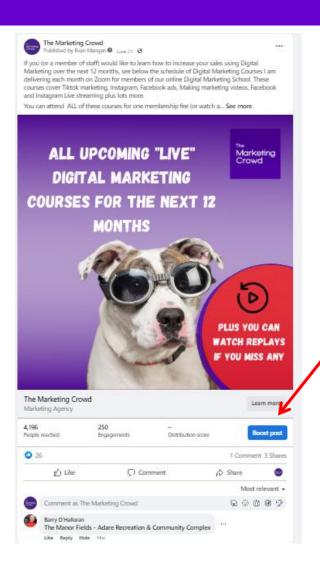


HOW TO ADVERTISE ON FACEBOOK AND INSTAGRAM (PART 2)

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Reminder - What are the 2 Big options? 1. The Boost Post Button — on a Facebook Post



When you send out a post from your page on Facebook there will be a Boost post button that allows you to turn the post into an ad

However, not all the targeting options are available and some of the settings result in wastage

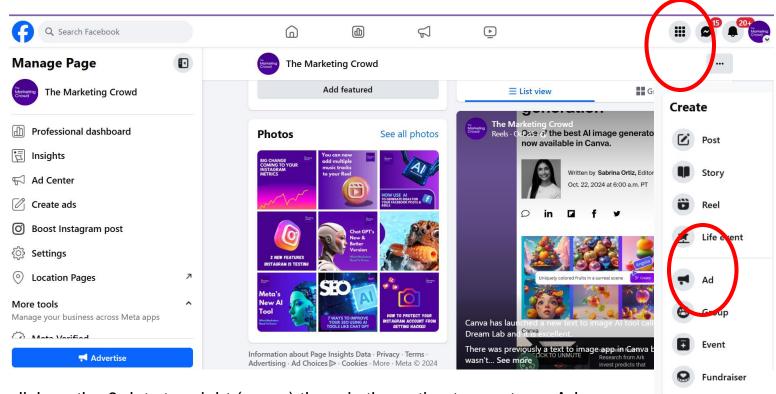
Reminder - What are the 2 Big options? 1. The Boost Post Button — on an Instagram Post



When you send out a post from your Instagram account (Business or Creator account) you will see a Boost post button

The targeting options here are VERY limited. You can only target by geography, age, gender and interest

Reminder - What are the 2 Big options? 2. The Ads Tool in Ads Manager

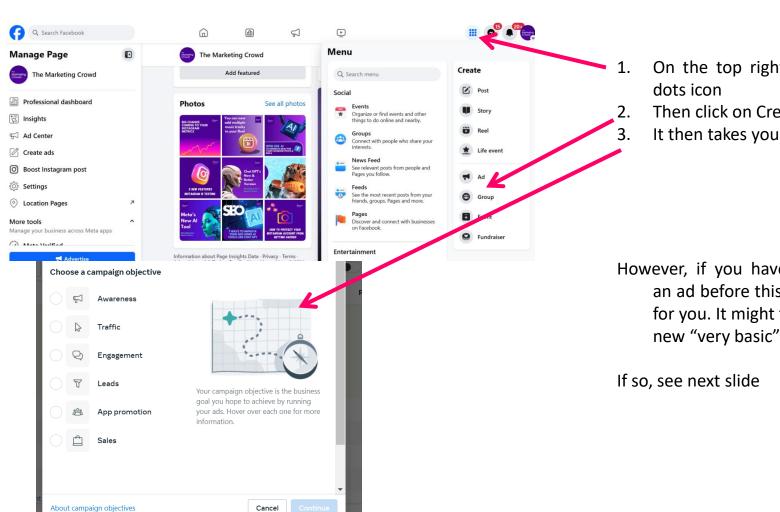


If you click on the 9 dots top right (menu) there is the option to create an Ad

This is the tool that allows small and medium sized business run ads that appear on both Facebook and Instagram but also has

- 1. All the targeting options
- Allows you to avoid wastage

To access the ad creation tool within ads manager



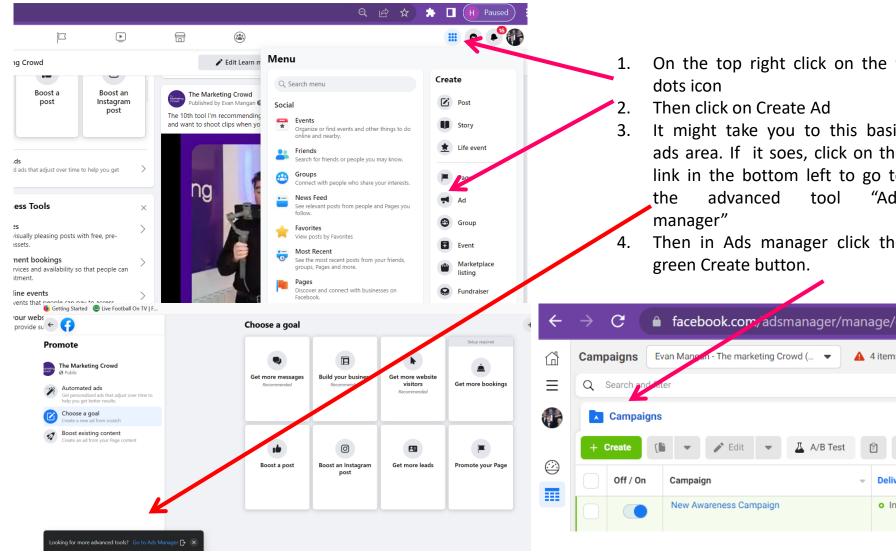
On the top right click on the 9

Then click on Create Ad

It then takes you to the Ads tool

However, if you have never created an ad before this might not work for you. It might take you to their new "very basic" ads area.

Alternative way to access the ads tool



- On the top right click on the 9 dots icon
- Then click on Create Ad
- It might take you to this basic ads area. If it soes, click on the link in the bottom left to go to advanced tool "Ads manager"
- Then in Ads manager click the green Create button.

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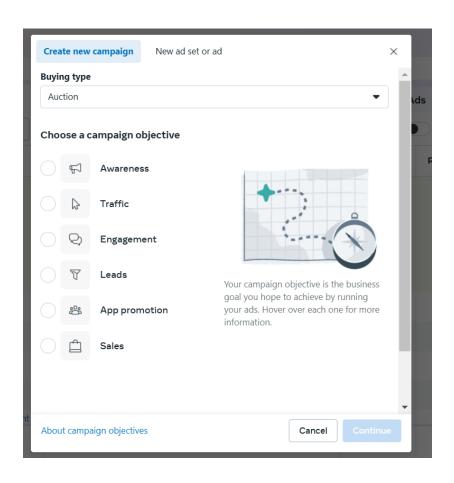
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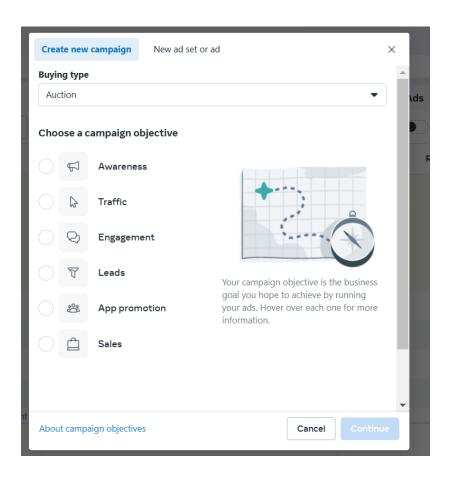
They will ask you what is your main objective



You start an Ad campaign by deciding what your objective is

- Do you want to drive traffic to your website?
- Do you want to drive traffic to you site PLUS measure how many sales or enquiries or downloads you achieved from the ad campaign?
- Do you want more people to see your FB page post?
- Do you want to get more likes for your page?

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Select an objective to see the available conversion location and event options for each:

Awareness: Show your ads to people who are most likely to remember them.

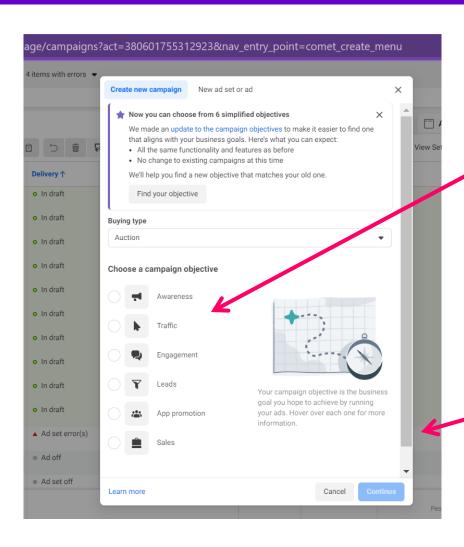
Traffic: Send people to a destination, like your website, app or Facebook event.

Engagement: Get more messages, video views, post engagement, Page likes or event responses.

Leads: Collect leads for your business or brand.

App Promotion: Find new people to install your app and continue using it.

Sales: Find people likely to purchase your product or service.

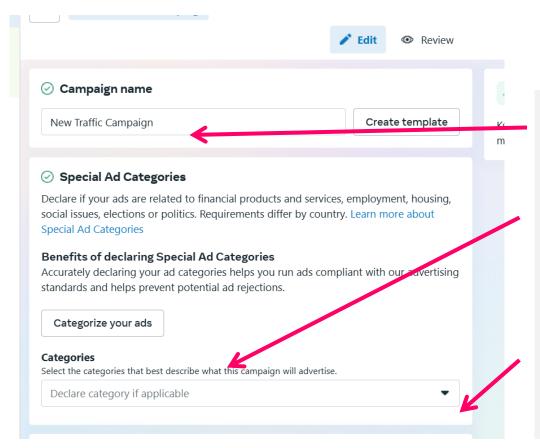


Then choose either "traffic" or "engagement"

If you are driving people off of your website choose traffic.

If you are not driving people off of Facebook choose engagement

Click on "continue

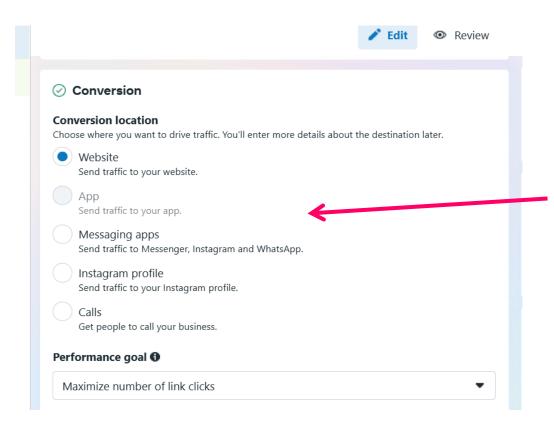


Important – Give your campaign a name you will recognise. Type in a name

If your ad is to do with Politics / social issues, car loans, credit loans, housing you need to self declare. Then certain targeting options won't be available as they do not allow discrimination in ads targeting

You can skip everything else.

Then Click on Next to progress to page 2 out of 3



Where do you want to drive traffic to?

Your website?

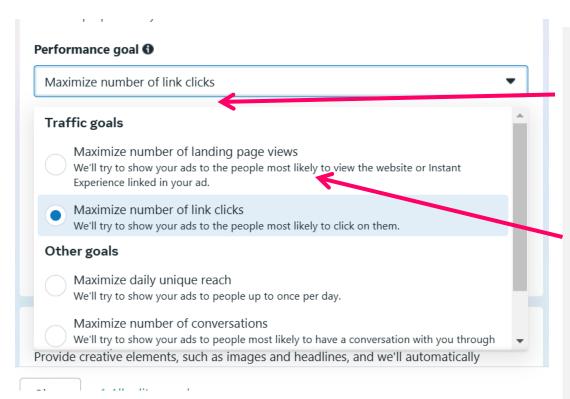
Your App?

To Messenger so people can message

you?

To WhatsApp?

Choose the one you want. And scroll down

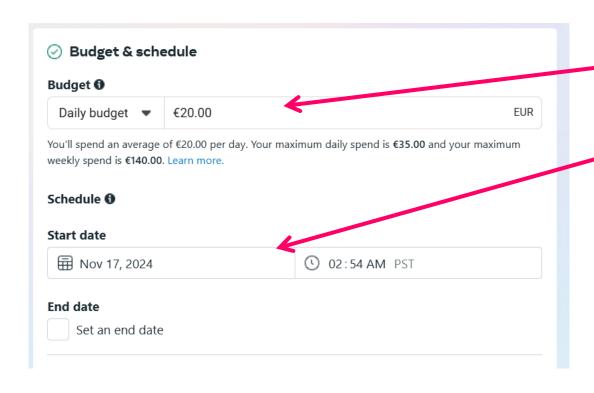


There will be a built in optimisation in your campaign. This means Facebook will try to put your ads firstly in front of the people in Your target audiences that are likely to Perform an action

Landing page views – based on previous Actions, Facebook believes the person will Not only click but is likely to also wait Around for the Page to load

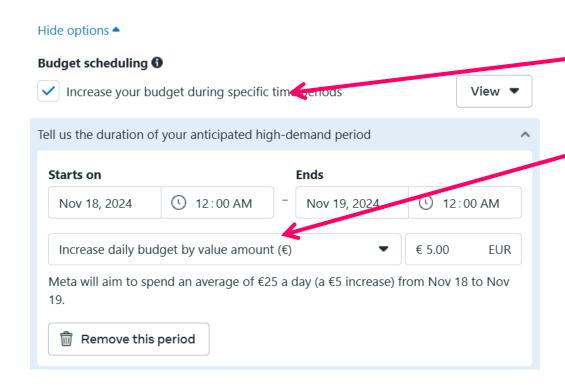
Link Clicks – people who are likely to click Daily unique reach – your ad will appear in front of people only once a day

Impressions – it could appear in front of people many times



Budget: Decide how much you will spend per day and for how long you will run the campaign for

It is better to spend your money over 3-4 days rather than spend it all on one day.

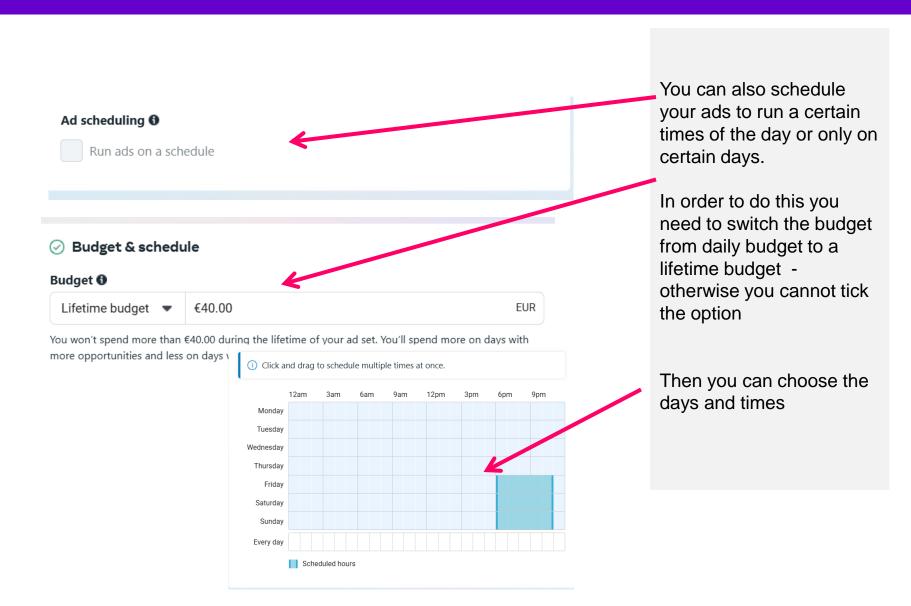


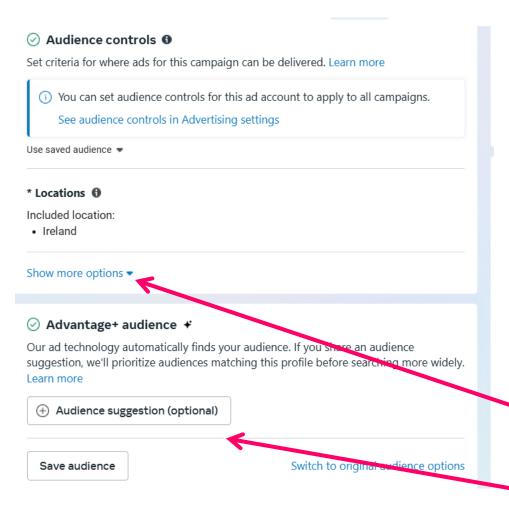
If you wish you can decide to increase your budget and spend more at a certain time on specific days.

This is totally optional.

It might be useful if ..

- You are running an offer and want to increase your spend at the offer deadline approaches
- 2. You think that you tend to get more enquiries at a certain time of day / day of week



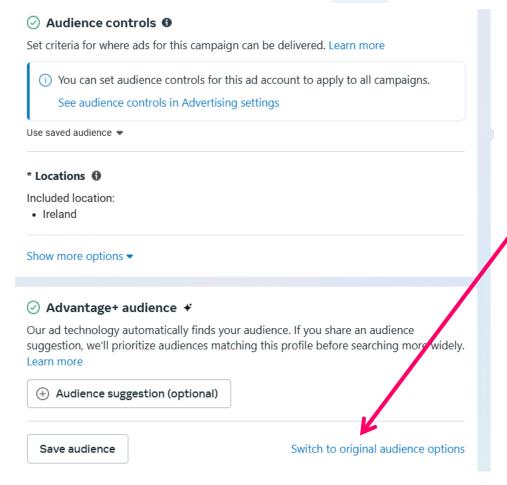


Step 2: Choose the people you want to target.

Option1 - Based on Advantage + targeting

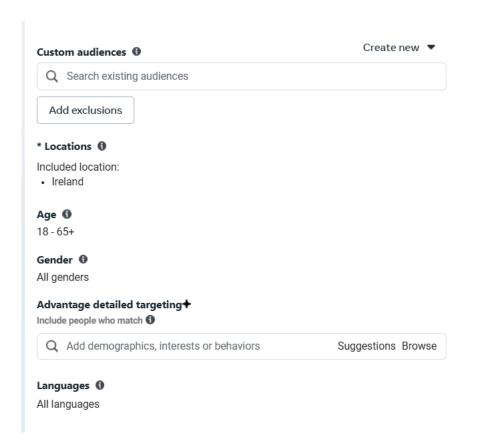
Meta has introduced the option to have their Al do a lot of the targeting for you. You give it an idea of what you want but you then give it the ability to find other people who it thinks will respond to your ad

- 1. Choose a location eg. Ireland or Kerry
- 2. Click show more option and you can exclude people in your custom audiences eg. Your web visitors or followers
- 3. Then click on audience suggestions. Here you can specify an age range and some demographics, interests / behaviours



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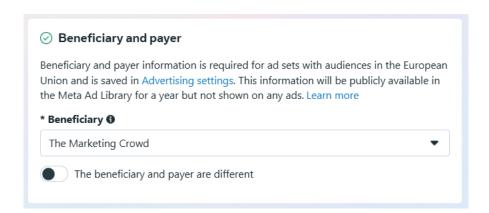
Option 2 – If you don't want to use Advantage+ you can take full control of the targeting. Just click "switch to original audience options"



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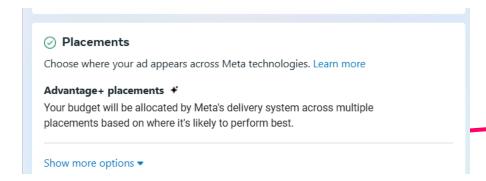
Target your advanced custom audiences under "custom audiences"

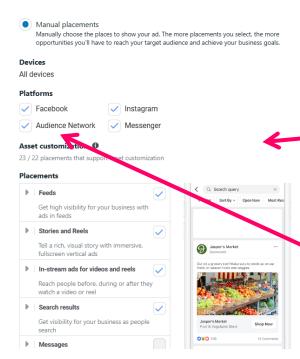
Target by...
Location
Age & gender
Interests / Behaviours / Demographics



Step 3: declare who is the beneficiary and payer of the ad

If you are paying and benefiting just enter your business name





Step 3: Decide where You want your ad to appear.

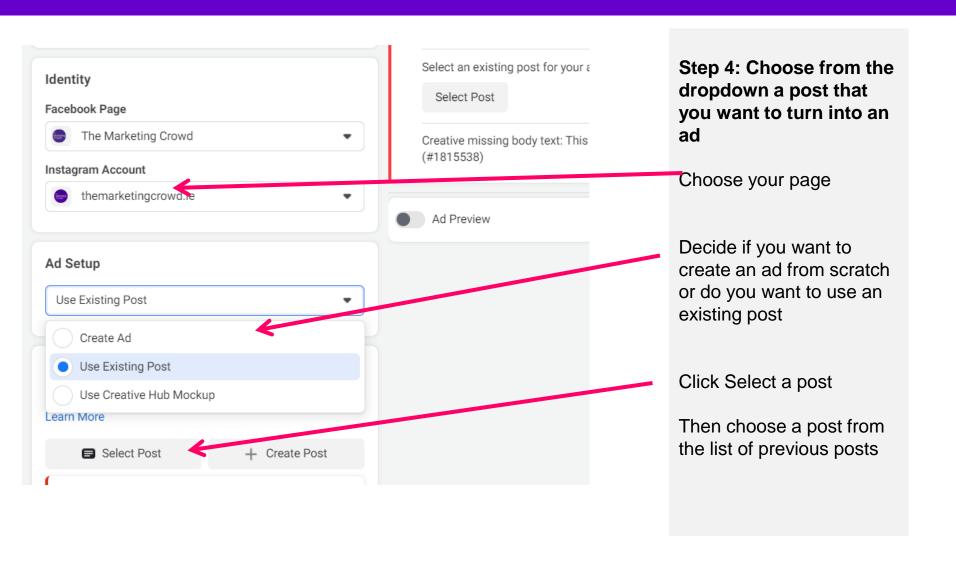
To view your options hover your mouse over advantage + Placements and then click the edit button and then tick Manual Placements

You can now see that your ad will go out on Facebook, Instagram . Messenger and Audience network.

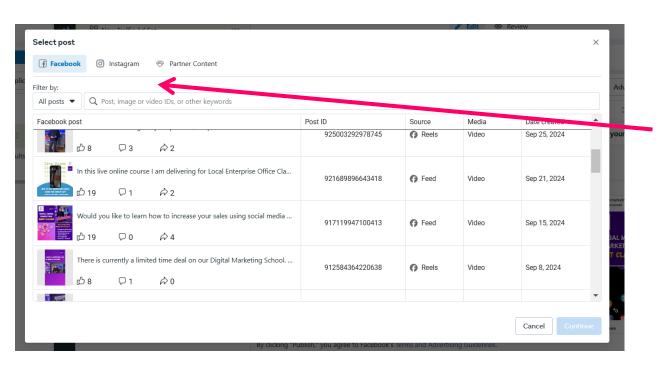
Starting out perhaps leave all the placements ticked and you can then check after the campaign has finished which placements worked well or poorly. Based on this you might switch some off in future Campaigns

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How to turn a post into an ad that goes out on Facebook & Instagram



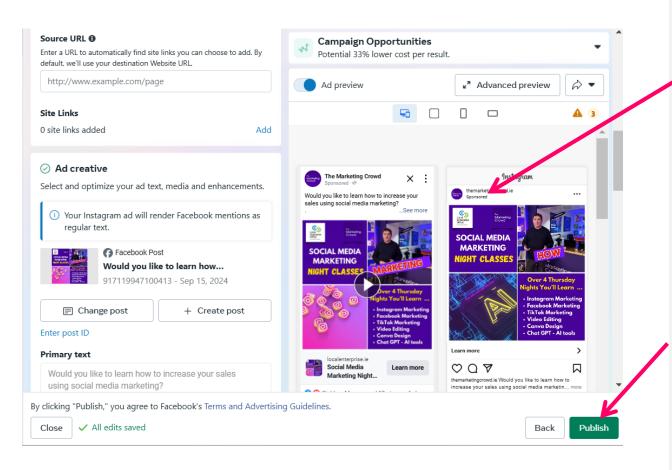
How to turn a post into an ad that goes out on Facebook & Instagram



Then choose a post from the list of previous posts or reels on Facebook or Instagram

Once you select one then click continue

How to turn a post into an ad that goes out on Facebook & Instagram



You can preview how it looks in different Placements

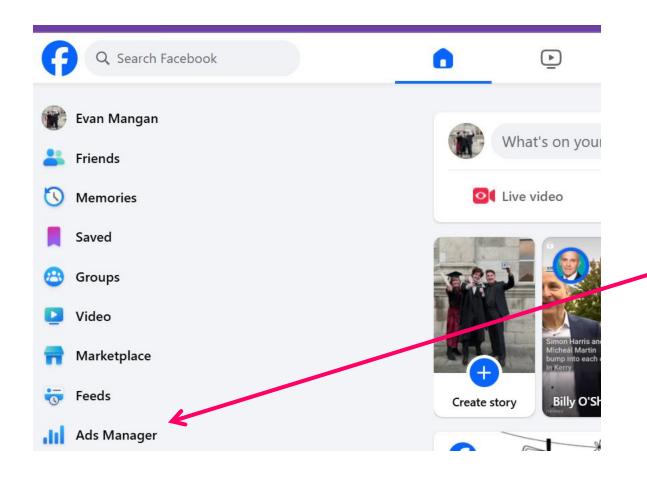
If there isn't already a link on your post or reel they will prompt you to enter a url and choose a call to action button

When you are ready to place order click the green Button

Your ad has now gone off to Facebook for review.

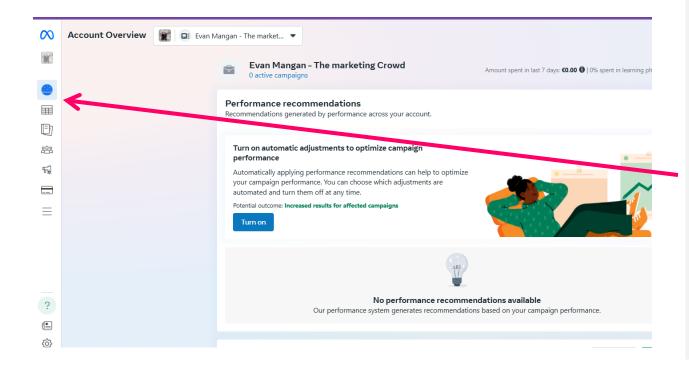
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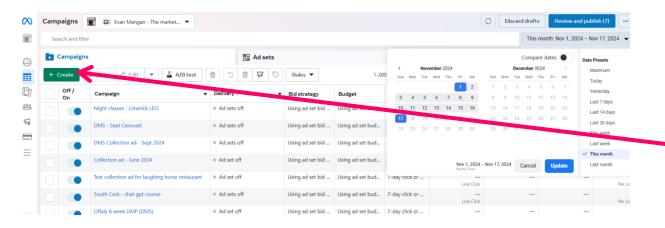
In order to see the result of your campaign you need to go into Ads Manager

On your main feed, on the left-hand menu click on Ads Manager



When you land on Ads manager you are taken to account overview

Hover your mouse over the left hand menu and select campaigns

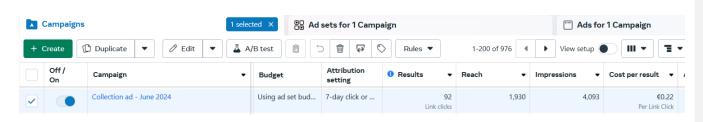


You will then see all of your campaigns

However, there might not be any data for the Campaigns

Click on the date on the top right and then select "maximum"

You will then see the data for all your previous campaigns



When you look at one of your campaigns ...

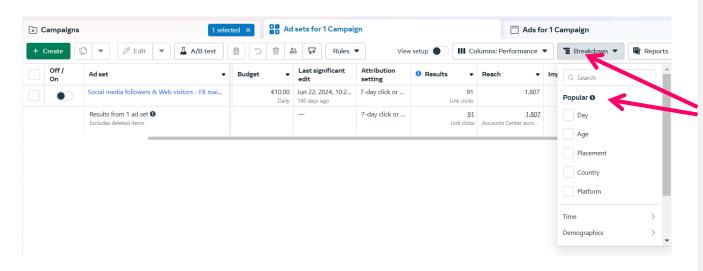
You are told how many people you reached and what the cost per result was e.g. CPC

What is a good Cost per click?

Between €0.20 and €0.40 is excellent

Between €0.40 and €1.20 is typical

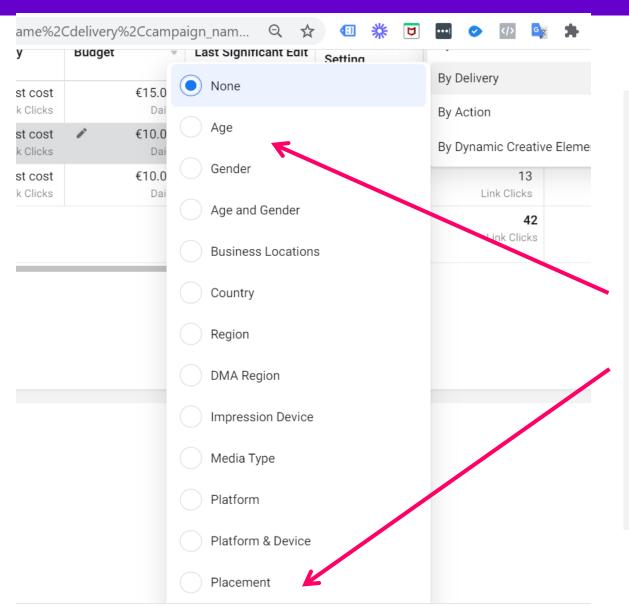
Over €2 or €3 is getting expensive



To drill down and understand more about your campaign click on your campaign

Then click Breakdown

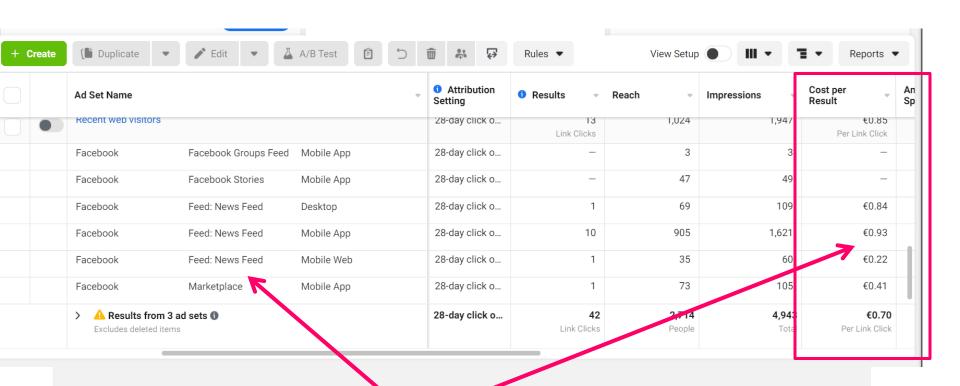
You can then choose lots of options



You can then choose to get a break down of the people who clicked on your add by

Their age, gender, location

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What is Facebook conversion tracking?



If you setup conversion tracking you will be able to see how many people clicked on your ad AND took an action on your website such as making a purchase.

Therefore, when you run an ad campaign you won't just judge it on how many clicks you got and the cost per click. You can also judge it on how many sales and the cost per sale.

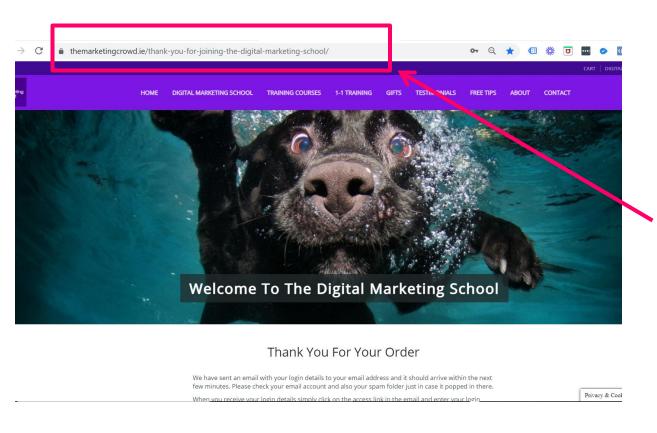
How to setup conversion tracking – Add your pixel



Step 1: Add your Facebook Pixel to your website

You have to have the Facebook pixel on your website in order for this to work.

How to setup conversion tracking – tracking sales



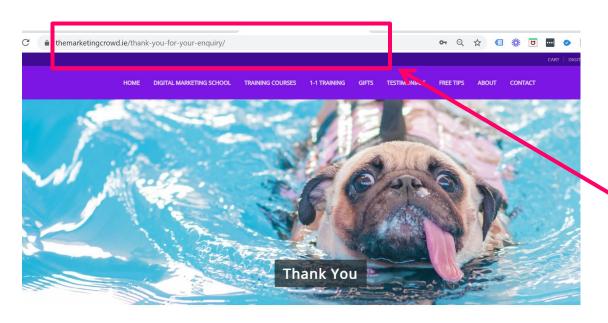
Step 2: Place an order on your website and it will take you to an order confirmation or thank you page

Only people who land on this page have placed an order. Make a note of the web address of this page.

If it is a static page, it will be the same url for everyone. However, if it is a dynamic page the url will have a different reference for each customer e.g. It could be themarketingcrowd.ie/thank-you-00123112.html

But the words thank-you will be common to all customers.

How to setup conversion tracking – tracking enquiries



Thank You For Your Enquiry

Your email is on it's way to us and we will reply to you as soon as we can

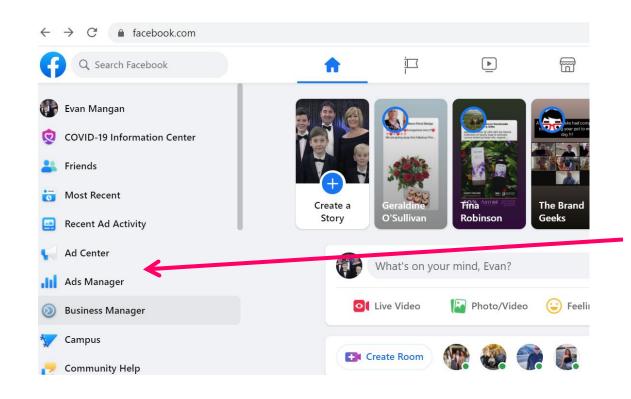
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Step 3: If you want to track enquiries, fill in your enquiry form on your website and it will take you to an enquiry confirmation or thank you page

Make a note of the Web address of this page. Only people who land on this page have enquired.

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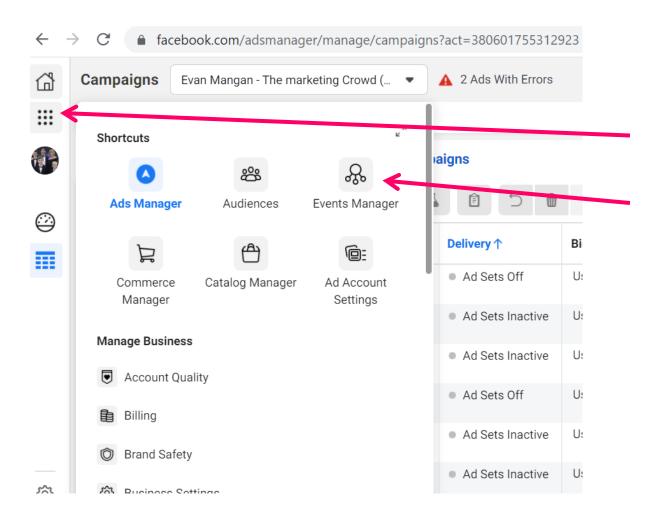


Step 4: You now need to go to the Ads manager

When you are on your FB newsfeed, look at the menu options on the very left

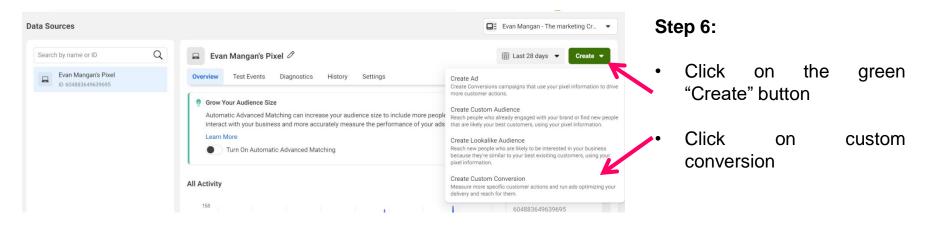
Click on Ads manager

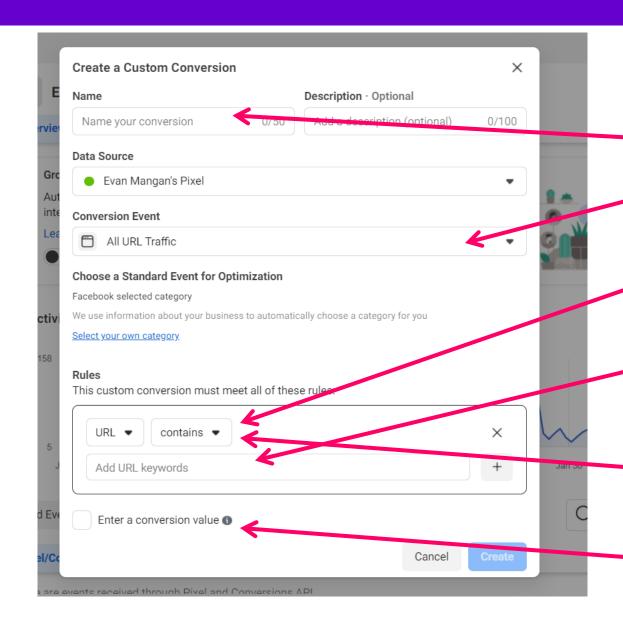
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Step 5: You now need to get to events manager

- Click on the 9 dots in the top left
- Click on Events Manager





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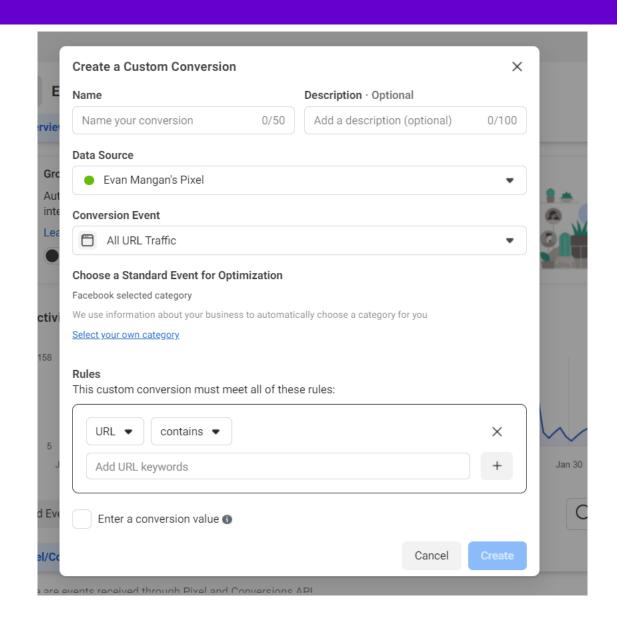
Type in a name e.g. Sales on The Marketing Crowd site

Leave it as url traffic

If the order/or enquiry confirmation page on your site was dynamic, leave the url as "contains" and enter the word(s) that are common to all visitors e.g. thank-you

If the order/or enquiry confirmation page on your site was static, change the url to Equals and then paste in the url

If the price is the same for all products add the price

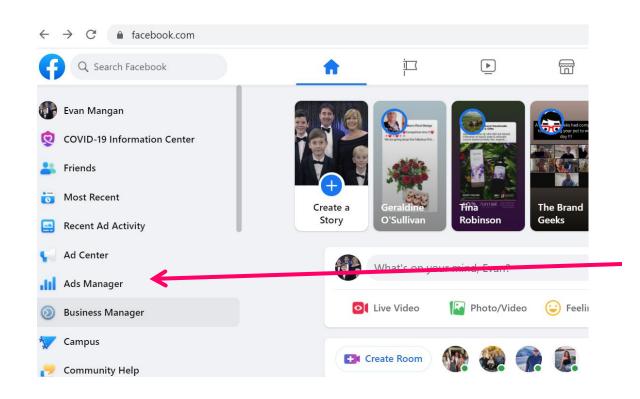


Step 8:

Repeat this process if you want to track a different conversion. E.g. you want to track sales AND you want to track enquiries

That's it. You have now setup custom conversions

Whenever you run an ad Facebook will track whether people who clicked on your ad got to the Order Confirmation or Enquiry Confirmation pages.

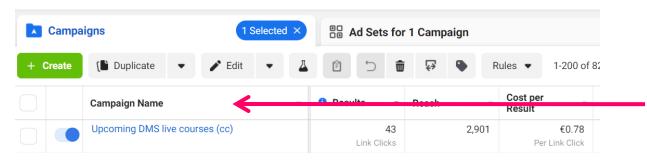


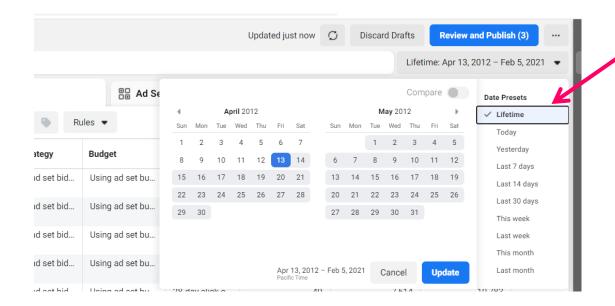
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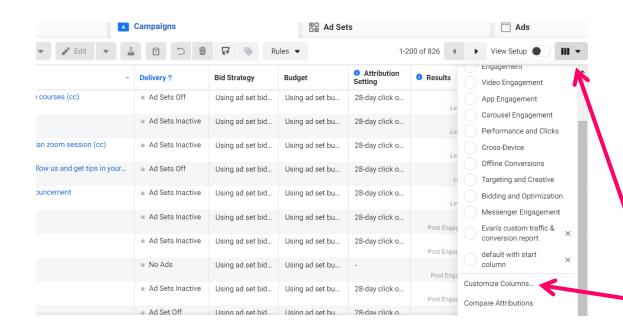
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You will now see your recent campaigns

Quite often there won't be any data next to your campaigns so you need to click on the date on the top right of the screen and select "Lifetime"

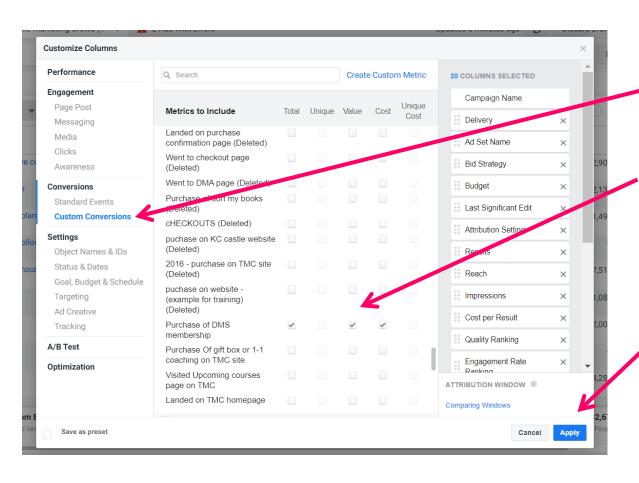


By default there won't be conversion date in your report.

You need to add the conversion data columns to the report.

Click on this icon for "Columns performance"

Click on customise column



Click on Custom Conversions

Then find the name of your custom conversion and tick the fields you would like to see in the report

Click apply