

# How to make your own minecraft skin

Have you ever been jealous? No? Well of-course you have! But have you ever been jealous of those chill players rocking their chic skins in minecraft? But of-course you have!

What if I told you – that – you – can – also – get – your – own – chic – glamorous - minecraft skin?  
r/woosh right?

Insert your own r/woosh here - \_\_\_\_\_?

Yes, you heard it right. You can make your own designer, cool minecraft skin, and look like a million dollars wherever you go.

Here I will tell you how – via the two routes + one secret one –

## Basic Way (1<sup>st</sup> route)

1. Download either Alex's or Steve's skin template from minecraft preferences area.
2. Now that you have downloaded their skin templates, open it in an image editing program - MS paint (it comes default with most pcs' – however it doesn't allow you to use transparency in your skin) or GIMP(another free software for image editing).
3. Now that you have opened the file on your desired software, you will notice that when you try to input the paint, the paint will fill the pixels. You will get the idea of how to do it easily.
4. Finally, go on and suave up – colour me surprised (by colouring your eyes), choose your own clothing, colour your own skin and make the character you always wanted to be.
5. After you finish up, save the file and open minecraft again.
6. Go to the same preferences area and choose the character you want to apply the skin to, then click on upload button.
7. Props to you. You did it! (Taking my help)

## Advanced Way (2<sup>nd</sup> route - The Minecraft Skin Edit tool route)

1. Open the [Minecraft Skin Edit Tool](#)  
\* The Minecraft Skin Edit Tool gives you real time preview of how your character looks as you edit your skin on the website, and also displays the body parts you are editing as you are.
2. On the large part of the screen, you will see the body parts listed out, and on the bottom right corner is the real time preview of your character in-game.
3. Choose the colours at the bottom of the screen, and begin editing. Creative Freedom you have enough of. Give it your all like your life depends on it. Seriously, it's just your first time so don't worry too much.

4. Start Editing and give it your all like your life depends on it. Go above and beyond. (Not serious)
5. If you click on the preview at the bottom of the screen, it will start running. You can use the cursor to rotate it for a better inspection. Seriously, get in there.
6. Done? Save it anywhere on your PC.
7. Now open the preferences page again on minecraft and choose your character, upload the skin and huzzah!!

## Alternative Ways (Secret Route)

Now there are many other ways to obtain customised skins for your minecraft character. First is that there are many sites other than Minecraft Skin Edit that allow for easy making of a customised skin. One such I found was :- [minecraftskins](#). It offers a really easily accessible interface and honestly really good.

But more ways ways also exist.

For example – [Minecraft Skins Forum](#) – Many players upload their skins, so you can also just download skins from there. Let's be honest, don't you want to play as Mario? Superman? Donald Duck anyone? Can you make that on your own? Well maybe you can. But what if there was a much easier way for that to be made possible? And here it is – presented to you on a silver platter – radiating blue light to your eyes.

[What if you want a custom made skin according to your wants and needs ?](#)

Well for that, you can request someone on the same forum to do it for you free (if they are kind enough and can manage that) or you can pay someone too.

You can also utilise other third-party website or apps that offer you their services in creating skins.

Anyways, after you obtain the skin you desire, you can just follow the same method to upload it to minecraft as specified earlier.

**Too much minecraft for the day.  
Signing Off.**