

Georgian College - Adobe Illustrator Basic

Adobe Illustrator - Type Tool

Type Tool - Tearoff



Type Tool (T)

Area Type Tool

Type on a Path Tool

Vertical Type Tool

Vertical Area Type Tool

Vertical Type on a Path Tool

Type Tool (T) - By clicking once on your artboard or by dragging a text box. Use the Type Tool to add text to your artwork. Vertical Type tool follows the same rules only characters are aligned vertically.

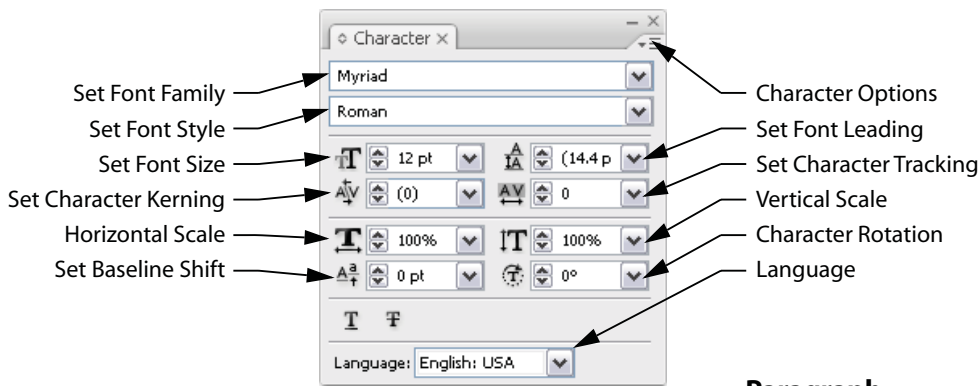
Area Type Tool - Use this tool to type inside of any closed path object. Vertical Type tool follows the same rules only characters are aligned vertically.

Type on a Path Tool - Use this tool to type on any open or closed path. Vertical Type tool follows the same rules only characters are aligned vertically.

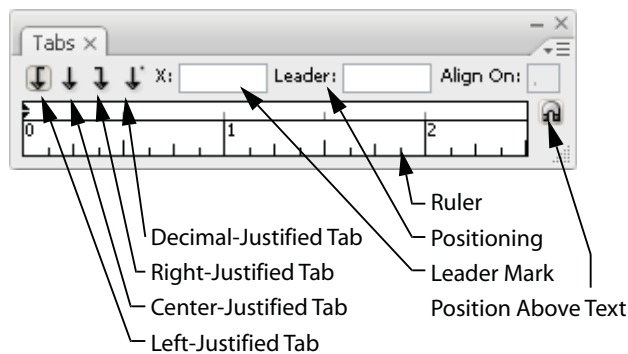
Controlling Type - There are a number of ways of controlling type by using the Character, Paragraph and Tabs palettes as well as the Type option in the main menu you can control any of your artwork copy.

Check Spelling (Apple + I) - Spell checker can be found under the Edit in the Main Menu.

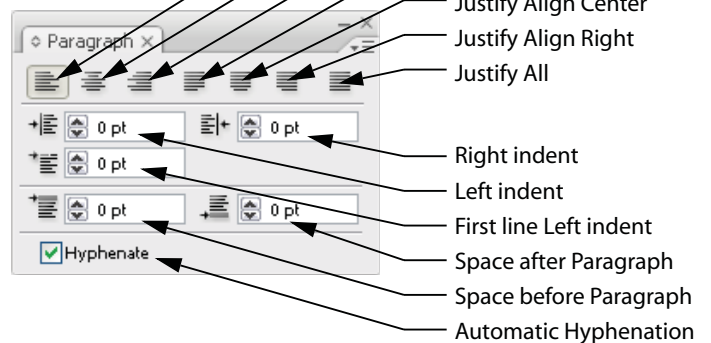
Character Palette (Apple + T)



Tab Palette (Apple + Shift + T)



Paragraph Palette



Main Menu Type Options

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| Font ... | Area Type Options ... | Create Outlines | Optical Margin Alignment |
| Recent Fonts ... | Type on a Path ... | Find Font | Show Hidden Characters |
| Size ... | Threaded Text ... | Change Case ... | Type Orientation ... |
| Glyphs Palette | Fit Headline | Smart Punctuation | Legacy Text ... |