hardback cover pdf guide

When preparing your cover artwork, please provide it as a spread following the guidelines opposite and the diagram below:

Cover PDF Requirements:

- Spine: Calculate the width of your spine and overall cover size by entering the specifications of your hardback book on our website: https://printedeasy.com/products/hardback-books
- Extended Cover Size Add an additional 3mm of printable area to both the top and bottom of the front and back covers to accommodate the larger size of the hardback cover.

 For example, an A4 cover, typically 210mm x 297mm, would become 206mm x 303mm with the added 3mm at the top and bottom
- 17mm Bleed: Ensure a 17mm bleed on all edges for the cover wraparound
- **Hinge Area:** Include 10mm on each side of the cover edge for the hinges, totalling 20mm
- Trim Marks: Include trim marks in your design

The diagram below provides example measurements for an A4 (210mm x 297mm) hardback book with a 10mm spine.

Important:

These measurements are just an example. To get the exact dimensions for your specific book's cover and spine, please use our online tool by entering your book's specifications here: <u>Calculate Your Cover and Spine Size</u>. Ensure you create your artwork using the exact measurements provided.

