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How-to

**Beginner's Guide**

# Embedding Google Maps



WORDPRESS



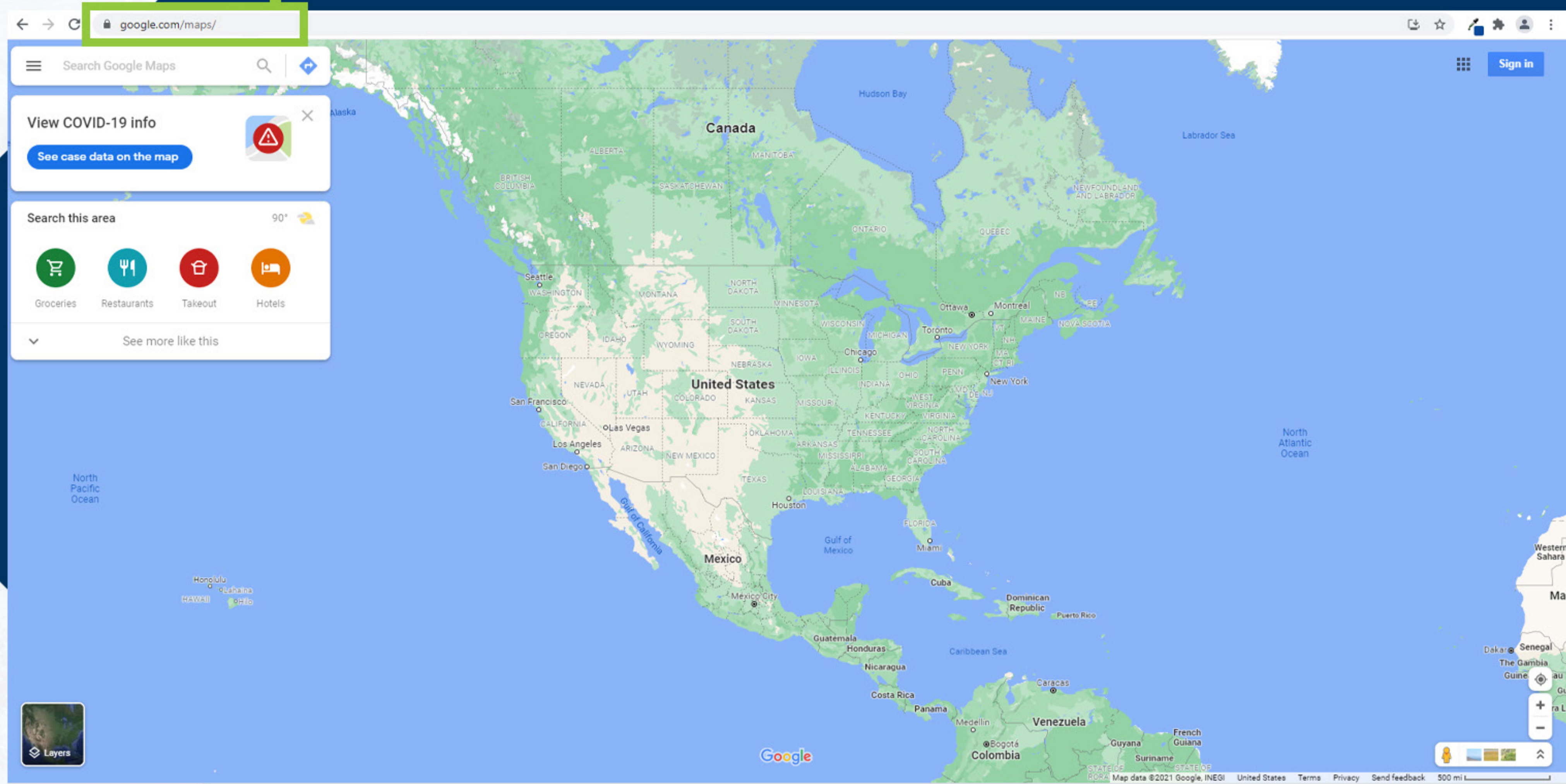


Step

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# Navigate to Google Maps.

[ <https://www.google.com/maps> ]

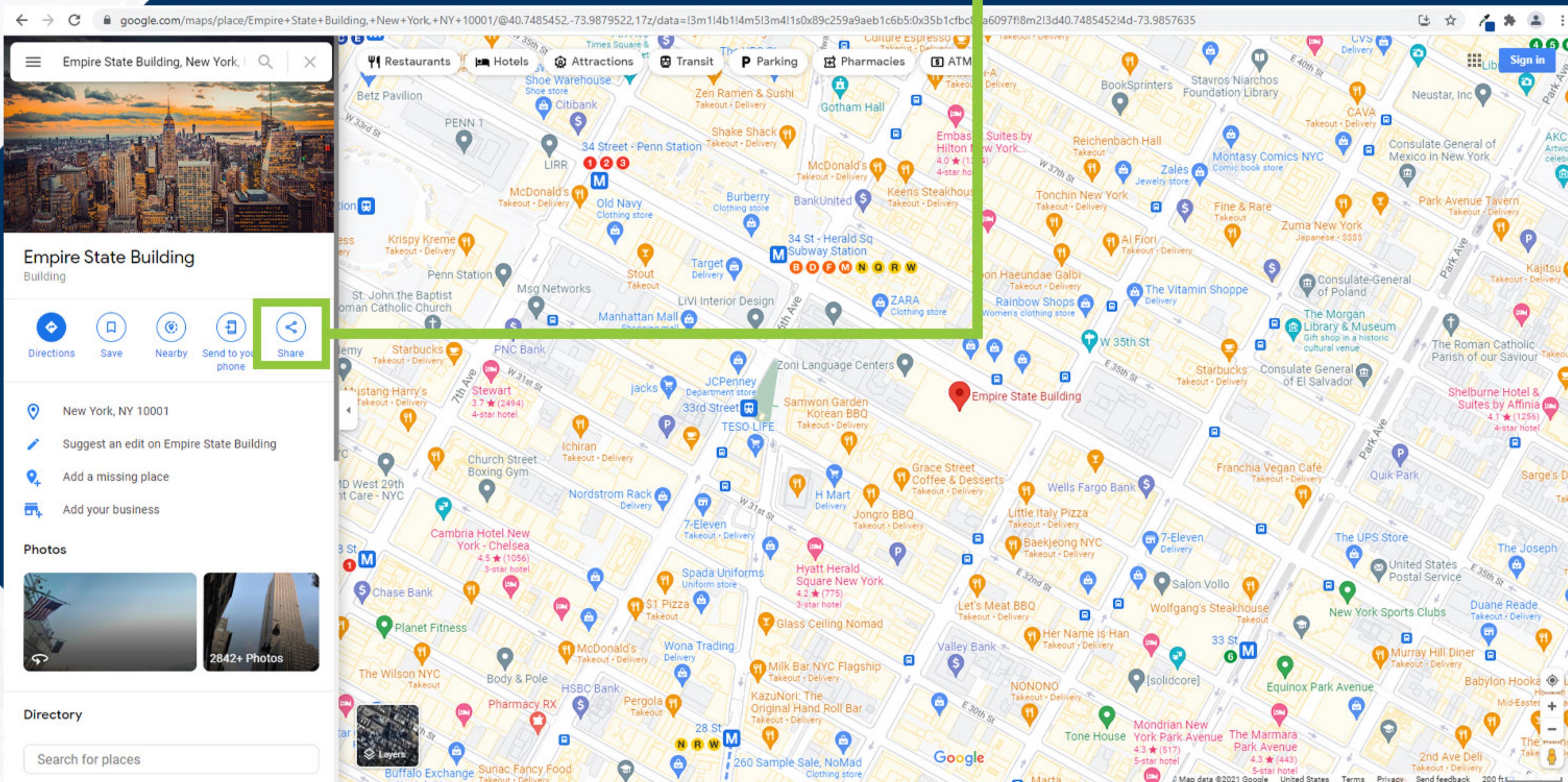




Step

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Find the location you would like to display on your embedded map and click **Share**.





Step

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Click **Embed a map**, then **COPY HTML**.

The screenshot shows the Google Maps share interface. At the top, the 'Share' menu is open, with 'Embed a map' highlighted in a green box. Below this, the map size is set to 'Medium', and the HTML code is visible, with 'COPY HTML' also highlighted in a green box. The map itself shows the Empire State Building area in New York City, with various points of interest like 'The Morgan Library & Museum' and 'Walgreens' marked. A 'Directions' button is visible in the top right of the map area.



Step

4

Navigate to your WordPress Dashboard and **open the page editor** for the page that you would like the map to display on.

There are two versions of webpage editors in WordPress:

- a) **Classic Editor**
- b) **Block Editor**

We will go over how to add the map's embed code for both editors in the following steps.



Step

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# Classic Editor

Click the button titled **Text** to open the HTML editor.

The screenshot displays the WordPress Classic Editor interface for editing a page titled "About". At the top, there is a header with "Edit Page" and an "Add New" button. Below this, the page title "About" is shown, followed by the permalink: <https://designtest.fswp3.net/about/> with an "Edit" button. A toolbar contains buttons for "Add Media", "Add FooGallery", and "Add Form". Below the toolbar is a rich text editor with a "Paragraph" dropdown and various formatting icons (bold, italic, list, quote, link, table, calendar). On the right side of the editor, there are two tabs: "Visual" and "Text". The "Text" tab is selected and highlighted with a green box. A green callout box with the text "Located here." points to this "Text" tab. The main content area of the editor shows a large image of a family (a man, a woman, and a child) smiling outdoors.

Located here.

Visual Text





Step

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**Paste** the embed code in the desired spot.  
In this example the code is pasted at the end of the content.

Edit Page [Add New](#)

About

Permalink: <https://designtest.fswp3.net/about/> [Edit](#)

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Step

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You can now click **Update** to the change.

Edit Page [Add New](#)

Page updated. [View page](#)

## About

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**Publish**

[Preview Changes](#)

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**Update**

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Need help? Use the Help tab above the screen title.



COMPLETE

**Success!** You have successfully embedded a Google Map on your page using the **Classic Editor**. Keep going for instructions for the **Block Editor**.

## About

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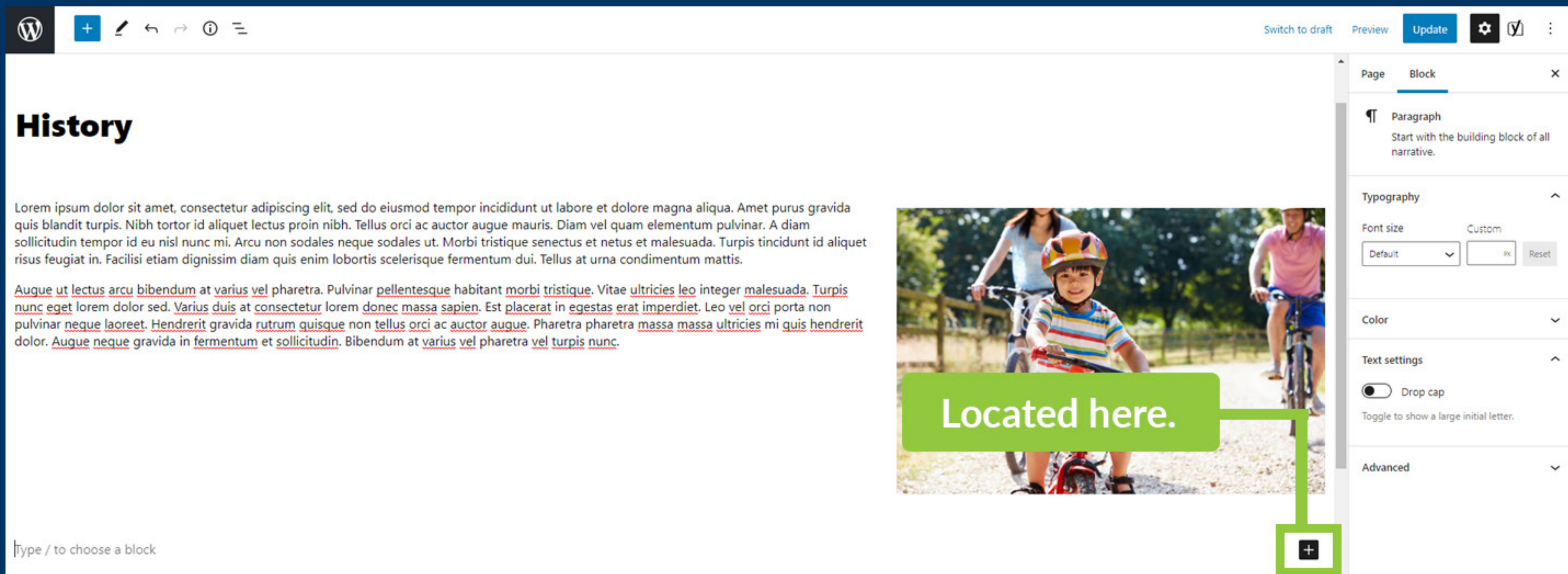


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## Block Editor

Click in the area you'd like to add the map, so the **plus button** displays. The example below is showing clicking underneath the existing content.



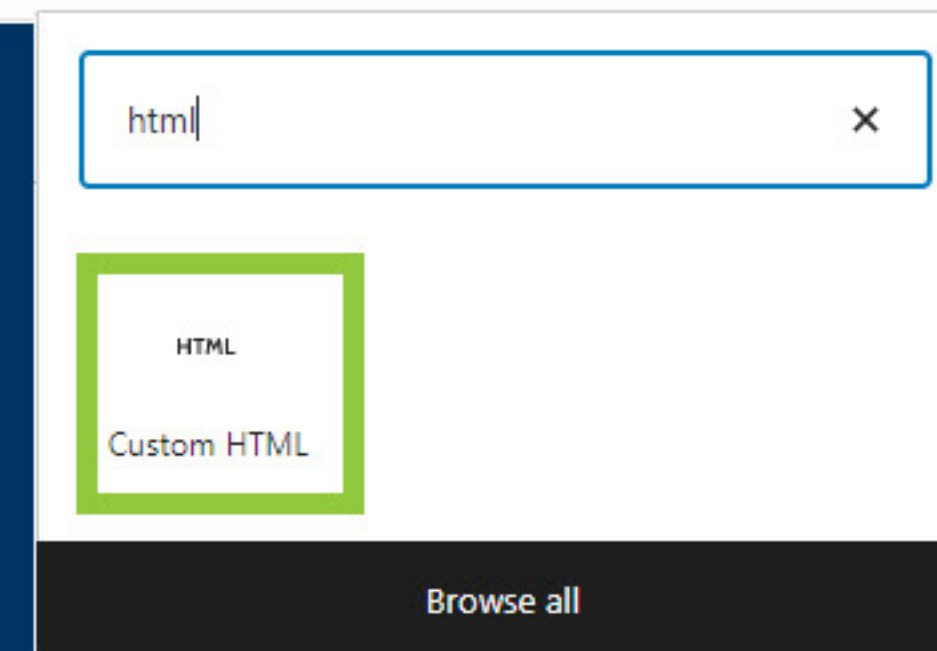
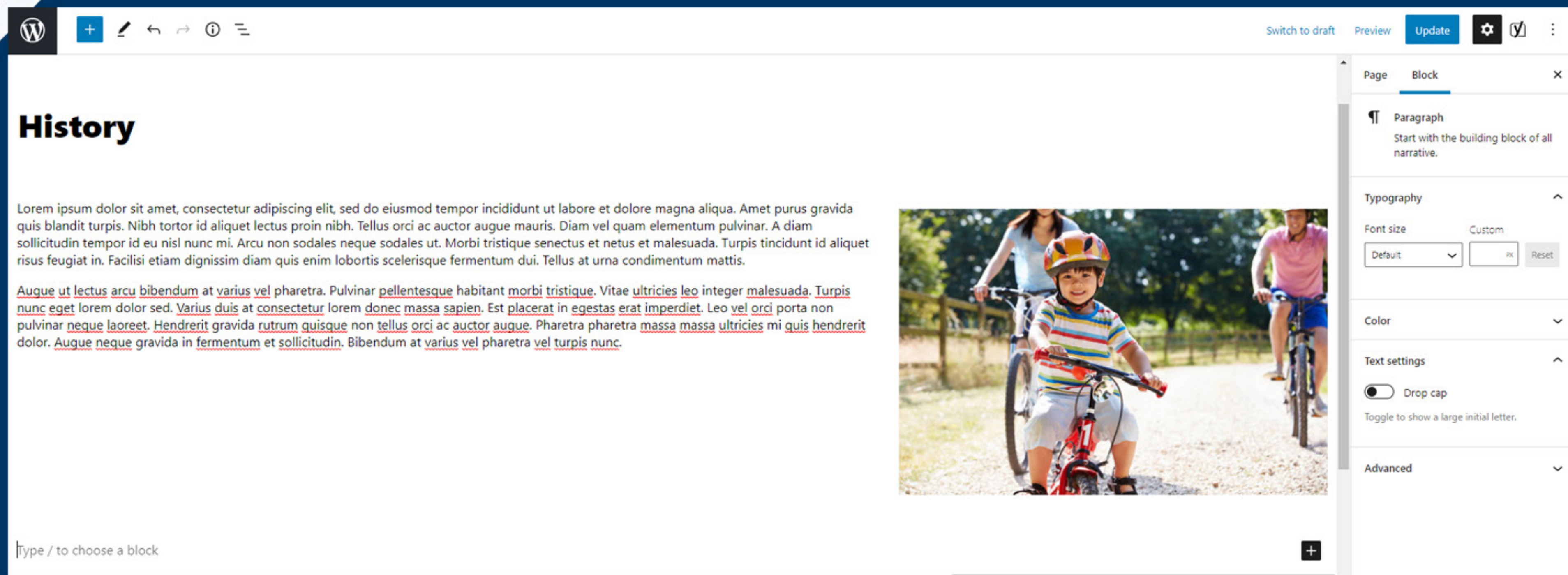
The screenshot displays the WordPress Block Editor interface. At the top, there's a navigation bar with icons for adding blocks, editing, undo, redo, help, and a menu. On the right, there are buttons for 'Switch to draft', 'Preview', 'Update', and a settings icon. The main content area is titled 'History' and contains two paragraphs of placeholder text. Below the second paragraph, there is a photograph of a young child wearing a helmet and riding a bicycle. A green callout box with the text 'Located here.' points to a plus sign icon in the block editor area directly beneath the photo. The right sidebar shows the 'Block' settings panel, which is currently empty, indicating that a new block is being added.



Step

6

The **plus button** opens the block menu.  
Type HTML in the search to quickly find the HTML block.  
Click the **Custom HTML** icon to add the block to the page.





Step

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Paste your embed code into the HTML field.  
Click **Update** to save your changes to the page.

**History**

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Preview **Update**

Page **Block**

Custom HTML



COMPLETE

# Success! You have successfully embedded a Google Map on your page with the **Block Editor**.

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