WHY BLEED? BLEED IS IMPORTANT TO INCLUDE WHEN YOU HAVE A BACKGROUND THAT MEETS THE EDGE OF THE PRINTED PRODUCT.

# SAFETY MARGIN 1/8"

Avoid placing important text or logos outside this area.

### TRIM LINE

The printed product will be cut here.

# BLEED AREA 1/8"

Extend your background 1/8" beyond the cut line if it bleeds off the edge of your product.

IMPORTANT

Remove template layer **BEFORE** submitting.

**DESIGN TIP:** AVOID PLACING TEXT NEAR THE EDGE. AESTHETICALLY IT CREATES AN IMBALANCE! **DESIGN TIP:** EXTEND YOUR BLEED TO ENSURE YOUR ARTWORK MEETS THE EDGE OF THE PAPER WHEN PRINTED!



### GOLD IMAGE

#### PRINTING

## FINAL SIZE 18" X 4"

## DOCUMENT SIZE WITH BLEED 18.25" X 4.25"