

Finding and Using Photos

We must get permission to use anyone else's materials, period. This also includes music in the background of videos.

You can find free photos to use at the following websites:

www.freeimages.com (Royalty-free)
www.morguefile.com (Royalty-free)
<http://commons.wikimedia.org> (Public Domain and Creative Commons)
www.compfight.com (Flickr search with easy Creative Commons filter)
<https://www.pexels.com> (Royalty-free)
<https://stocksnap.io> (Public Domain)
<http://www.ipmimages.org> (Royalty-free)
<https://pixabay.com> (Royalty-free)
<https://unsplash.com> (Royalty-free)

Note - government photos are usually in the public domain. This means photos taken by the government on public domain sites. the USDA has a really nice [Flickr account](#) and all the pictures are in the Public Domain. This does not mean any picture on a government website. The USDA account is an example of what we can use. Every picture on the front of the [FDA website](#) are examples of pictures we cannot use.

As a policy, site all photos, even if they're from a free site so that everyone knows where they came from. Then if you're not around to check with everyone knows that we obtained the photo properly.