

## Finding Images Using Alternative & Open Access Resources

If you're interested in finding images that can definitely be used for educational purposes, here are some tips and steps for finding them through alternative and open access resources like Flickr Commons and Wikimedia Commons as well as tips for customizing your Google Image Search.

### Creative Commons Licenses

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### Flickr Commons

- Use keywords to search for images.
- Click on the image you're interested in.
- License Information on right will link to Creative Commons license.
- When using the image, give credit to the person who created it.

### Wikimedia Commons

- From homepage, select 'Images'.
- Use keywords to search for images or chose from selection of categories.
- Click on the image you're interested in.
- Icons on the right indicate how the image can be used and shared.
- Creative Commons license will appear at the bottom of the screen.
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### Google Image Search

- Advanced Image Search.
- Enter Keywords and select preferences.
- Scroll down to Usage Rights.
- Select Free to Use and Share from the drop-down menu.
- When using the image, give credit to the person who created it.

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