

How to Cite Images

Just like all other sources, images must be cited. The convention is to simply include image citation under Works Cited (on the last slide of your slideshow). If you prefer, you may split your citations under two headings (*Works Cited* and *Illustrations*). Whether you use one heading or two, make an entry for each image in the correct citation format.

If you use an image from one of your research sources (like an image from a news article or a chart from a book), you don't need a separate entry for the image—just indicate in your slideshow's Works Cited what source it came from. (For maximum clarity, provide a parenthetical citation under the image itself.)

If you use an image from the internet, please follow these MLA citation guidelines from Purdue's Online Writing Lab (owl.english.purdue.edu/owl/resource/747/08/):

An Image (Including a Painting, Sculpture, or Photograph)

Provide the artist's name, the work of art italicized, the date of creation, the institution and city where the work is housed. Follow this initial entry with the name of the Website in italics, and the date of access.

Goya, Francisco. *The Family of Charles IV*. 1800. Museo Nacional del Prado, Madrid. *Museo Nacional del Prado*, www.museodelprado.es/en/the-collection/art-work/the-family-of-carlos-iv/f47898fc-aa1c-48f6-a779-71759e417e74. Accessed 22 May 2006.

Klee, Paul. *Twittering Machine*. 1922. Museum of Modern Art, New York. *The Artchive*, www.artchive.com/artchive/K/kee/twittering_machine.jpg.html. Accessed May 2006.

If the work is cited on the web only, then provide the name of the artist, the title of the work, and then follow the citation format for a website. If the work is posted via a username, use that username for the author.

Adams, Clifton R. "People relax beside a swimming pool at a country estate near Phoenix, Arizona, 1928." *Found*, National Geographic Creative, 2 June 2016, natgeofound.tumblr.com/.

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Artist: If the artist's name is not available, you can omit it.

Title: If the image has a caption or there is a title in the image itself, use that as the title. Otherwise, use the filename (the default filename when you right-click and "Save Image As").