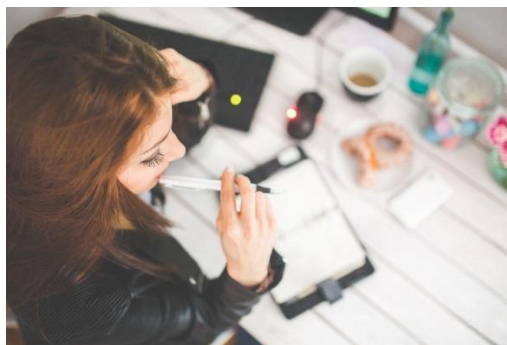# Referencing Images

In-text reference

Use the artist's surname and year of publication (or copyright year) under the image.

Example:

(Kaboompics, 2016)

Note: It is a good idea to check if your use of an image complies with fair dealing for educational purposes: Copyright guidelines

Reference list

A reference list entry for an image follows this pattern:

ArtistSurname, A. A. (copyright year). *Title of work* [Medium: Painting, drawing, sculpture, photograph,

etc.]. Retrieved from http://xxxxx

Example:

Kaboompics. (2016). *Young woman thinking with pen while working / studying at her desk* [Photo].

Retrieved from http://kaboompics.com/one_foto/896/young-woman-thinking-with-pen-while-

working-studying-at-her-desk

What if I can't find a title for the image?

Write a short description of the image and use this as the title.

What if I can't find an artist's name?

Use the name of the website author (this may be an organisation).

Example:

Kaboompics. (2016). *Young woman thinking with pen while working / studying at her desk* [Photo].

Retrieved from http://kaboompics.com/one_foto/896/young-woman-thinking-with-pen-while-

working-studying-at-her-desk2.

If you can't find a website author either, use the title (or description if there is no title) of the image in place of the author. In this case, don't repeat the title of the image after the date, just put the web address.

Example:

Young woman thinking with pen while working / studying at her desk [Photo]. (2015). Retrieved from

http://kaboompics.com/one_foto/896/young-woman-thinking-with-pen-while-working-studying-

at-her-desk2.

What if I can't find a date?

Use (n.d.) in the place of a date. This stands for 'no date'.

Example:

Kaboompics. (n.d.). *Young woman thinking with pen while working / studying at her desk* [Photo].

Retrieved from http://kaboompics.com/one_foto/896/young-woman-thinking-with-pen-while-

working-studying-at-her-desk2.

What if I can't find an artist's name, date or title?

Use a description of the image in place of the artist's name, followed by the media type, then use (n.d.) for the date and add the web address.

Example:

Women at desk with pen [Photo]. (2015). Retrieved from http://kaboompics.com/one_foto/896/young-

woman-thinking-with-pen-while-working-studying-at-her-desk2.