

Adding Pictures to Your Webpage

1. Open index.html and links.html in SeaMonkey Composer.
2. Go to www.free-graphics.com/main.html in Internet Explorer.
3. Click on the **Clipart** category on the left-hand side.
4. Click on **Sports**.
5. Click on the second **Baseball_And_Softball** with the picture that says “Go Giants!”
6. Scroll down until you see the picture that says “Go Twins!”. It’s about half-way down in the left column.
7. Click on the picture.
8. This will bring up a larger version of the picture.
9. Right-click on the picture and click *Save Picture As...*
10. Navigate to your folder and save the picture with the filename “gotwins.jpg” in your folder.
11. The picture file is now saved on the hard drive ready to be inserted into a webpage. Go to your index.html page.
12. Find a spot that you want to put the picture and put your blinking cursor there.
13. Click on the *Image* button in the toolbar at the top.
14. This brings up a dialog box asking us to choose an image to insert. Click on the *Choose File...* button.
15. If it doesn’t already show you the pictures in your folder, navigate there. You should see the picture we just saved “gotwins.jpg”. Click on it and then click *Open*.
16. In the **Alternate text:** box type “Go Twins!”. This is the text that will show up when someone puts his or her mouse over the picture. You can fill in anything you want, or you don’t have to put anything. Alt. text is nice to use as a description of what is in the picture, especially for people on a dial-up Internet connection.
17. Click *Ok*. The picture should now show up where you inserted it.
18. Format the picture to your liking. Remember you can center it just like you can text.
19. Go to www.gifs.net
20. Look through the pictures on this website. Notice how they are moving. These are called animated gifs. Pick one you like and follow the same process you used above it insert it into your webpage. Remember, save it to your folder, insert image, type in alt text, and then format the picture however you like. When it shows up on your page it won’t be animated, but don’t worry it will be when it’s up on your website.
21. SAVE!!
22. We can also use pictures as links. Select the second picture you put onto your webpage and right-click on it. Choose *Create Link...*
23. Enter a website URL that deals with the subject of your picture. For example, if I put a baseball, I might link it to <http://www.mlb.com>
24. Click *Ok*. Now when someone clicks on that picture it will take them to the website that you linked it to.

25. Save!!
26. Select "Contact" in your navigation table.
27. Right-click on it and select *Create Link...*
28. In the **Link Location** box type "mailto:fillinyourYahooIDhere@yahoo.com".
This creates a link that will allow someone that visits your webpage to send you an email to your Yahoo! Email address. Click *Ok*.
29. Make sure you change it on all the navigation tables you have on your website.
30. Save!!
31. Login to your Geocities account and upload all of the files in your folder, including the pictures!
32. When you're at the **File Manager** section in Geocities you can right-click on the URL for your webpage where it says **Your site:** and choose *Open in New Window* to get to your webpage without having to type in the address.
33. Make sure you double-check all the links you put on your page to be sure they work properly. Also make sure the pictures you put on your site show up. If all you see is a blank box with a little x in it, that probably means you forgot to upload the picture, or something is wrong with your link. Anytime you make any changes to your page you need to upload the updated file to the Geocities server. You only need to upload pictures once, unless you change them somehow.
34. Here are a few websites to explore when you've finished this section. They include a number of things that you can add to your website.
 - a. www.coolarchive.com
 - b. www.creatingonline.com
 - c. www.bravenet.com
 - d. www.thefreesite.com/Webmaster_Freebies/
 - e. www.pageresource.com/
35. Another good place to start is at the greatest search engine in the world: www.google.com. Just search for something you're interested in and look around. You'll be surprised all the cool things you'll find.
36. Next will be your chance to do anything you want to your website. You can add links, pictures, that story or poem you wrote that you've been wanting to share with the world, your opinions on the newest movie or video game, or anything else you'd like to put on your website. I will do my best to help you do whatever you're interested in. Your assignment before next time is to please make sure you have some ideas about what you'd like to put onto your site so that you don't spend the whole class time looking around trying to figure out what you'd like to do!
37. For our last class you will have the opportunity to share your own website with the class. I'm excited to see what you've all done!
38. We have barely scratched the surface of all the cool things that can be done online! I hope you've learned some things about the Internet and perhaps you'll continue to work on your site and learn even more!