

fundamental to a thriving creative community

Copyrights enable creatives to earn their living by licensing their original works of art.

Getty Images contributors, including photographers, illustrators, filmmakers and musicians, expect us to defend their intellectual property from unauthorized use. Here are some of the ways we work to earn their continued trust, making a wealth of great content available to our customers.



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Explore this resource that helps explain the complexities of image licensing.

Additional resources

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A copyright primer with all the fundamentals, including frequently asked questions.

Copyright 102

This short podcast reveals how copyright infringement affects photographers and their work.

Become a Copyright Advocate

Working with the Copyright Alliance and PACA, we're developing a simple toolkit about the value that that copyright creates for individuals and for society, which creatives can share with teachers and students in their local schools. Contact us at:

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