# Using Lightbox

* Download, unzip, and put the “lightbox” folder in your site folder, as is.
* Create a html page where you want to use the lightbox, (or use an existing one), but **the page needs to be at the TOP level of your site, NOT INSIDE the folder “lightbox”.**
* On the html page where you want to use the ligntbox in the html code, in the header, right before the link to the existing ccc, paste:

<script src="lightbox/dist/js/lightbox-plus-jquery.min.js"></script>

<link rel="stylesheet" href="lightbox/dist/css/lightbox.min.css">

Then, put your gallery images in the folder “gallery” inside the folder “lightbox”.

Each image should have a “full size” jpg and a “thumbnail”.

Recommended dimensions for the “full size” image is for its larger side to be about 600-900 px.

For convenience, name the images:

gal1.jpg

gal1\_thumb.jpg

gal2.jpg

gal2\_thumb.jpg

…..

and so on.

# Implementing in a page

in the content div of your page, where you want the gallery, paste:

(this is an example of a 3 image gallery)

<div id="gal\_container">

<!--gal img1-->

<a class="example-image-link" href="lightbox/gallery/gal1.jpg" data-lightbox="example-set" data-title="words about the image bla bla.">

<img class="example-image" src="lightbox/gallery/gal1\_thumb.jpg" alt="more desc words "/>

</a>

<!--gal img2-->

<a class="example-image-link" href="lightbox/gallery/gal2.jpg" data-lightbox="example-set" data-title="words about the image bla bla.">

<img class="example-image" src="lightbox/gallery/gal2\_thumb.jpg" alt="more desc words "/>

</a>

<!--gal img3-->

<a class="example-image-link" href="lightbox/gallery/gal3.jpg" data-lightbox="example-set" data-title="words about the image bla bla.">

<img class="example-image" src="lightbox/gallery/gal3\_thumb.jpg" alt="more desc words"/>

</a>

</div>

<!--end gal container-->

then, test.

feel free to change the CSS in “lightbox/dist/css/lightbox.min.css”, scroll to bottom to find the styles for

.example-image-link

.example-image-link:hover

#gal\_container