

# CSS IMAGE GUIDE FOR BEGINNERS



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# Background Color

The following sets the **background color** of the image element, visible if the image has **transparent areas**.

```
1 img {  
2   background-color: #f0f0f0;  
3   /* Sets a light grey background color */  
4 }
```



Without background



With background



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# Border Radius

This property **rounds the corners** of the image.

```
1 img {  
2   border-radius: 8px;  
3   /* Gives the image rounded corners */  
4 }
```



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# Box Shadow

This adds a **shadow effect** to the image, creating a sense of depth.

```
1  img {  
2    box-shadow: 4px 4px 8px #177777;  
3    /* Adds a shadow to the image */  
4  }  
5
```



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# Borders

This will add a **border** around the image.

```
1  img {  
2    border: 5px solid #F17573;  
3    /* Adds a solid border around the image */  
4  }  
5
```



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# Background Position

This property sets the **starting position** of a background image.

```
1 div {  
2   background-image: url('image.jpg');  
3   background-position: center;  
4   /* Or any other values */  
5   /* top, bottom, left, right */  
6 }
```

top center

left center

right center

bottom center



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# Background Size

This property specifies the **size** of the element's background image.

```
1 div {  
2   background-image: url('image.jpg');  
3   background-size: cover;  
4   /* Or contain, or a specific size */  
5 }
```



contain



cover



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# Opacity

This property makes the image **transparent**.

```
1 img {  
2   opacity: 0.5;  
3   /* Makes the image semi-transparent */  
4 }
```



Opacity: 1;



Opacity: 0.5;



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