

# Adding References

Sometimes, there are days when my brain can't think of anything creative. So I want to leave a valuable tip on how to get out of this.

Marriage between Referencias. Exact! Prepare your camera and take pictures of everything that enchants you.

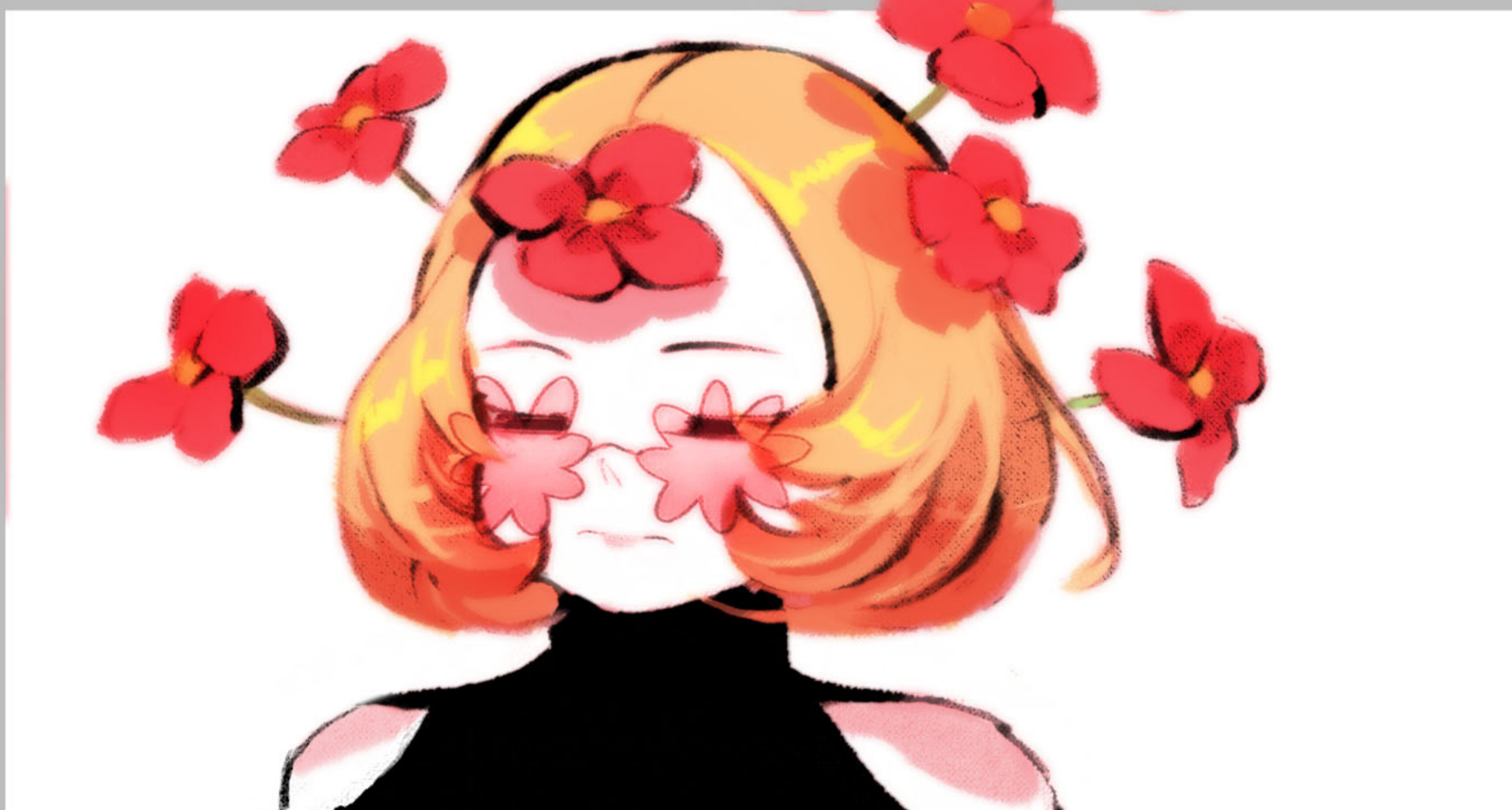
At the end, you select the photos that would give a perfect match (according to your visual Mind).



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How about an emoji challenge or something like that?



# How to marry a character with a background?

Create a story or a moment.

It may seem obvious, but when a character enjoys something around it, it generates a tremendous connection.

Like, for example, the girl painting the wall. It could simply be an empty place with the painting of a tiger. But when she enters the scene, we can feel something more in the painting, the pleasure and the safety.



## I have to admit something

Before starting to spend hours painting “Paint Tiger”, I felt a slight insecurity. Fear of not being able to make it as beautiful as I imagined and that it could be a waste of time.

In the end, it got better than I expected.

## How did I get over it?

Courage and discipline.

I know, I know, but hear me out:

Time was never waiting for me anyway, so I set 10 minutes to draw and about 10 minutes for break. But at those 10 minutes drawing, I couldn't be distracted by anything, it was pure concentration and speed.

“You can't rush art”, you say. And I totally agree! If there's one thing I don't appreciate is running with what I love. It's all a matter of planning and schedule in your life. I at least managed to absorb a lot of pleasure during the process of “Paint Tiger”. But this is because at intervals, I could better observe the drawing. And most striking is that without any winding, he was already in front of me! That's why, we need to take real actions to make something happen.