

Information Resources FACT CHECKING AND IMAGE CHECKING

- **FactCheck** <https://www.factcheck.org/>

A nonpartisan, nonprofit project of the Annenberg Public Policy Center Aims to educate the voter by monitoring the accuracy of statements made by major political figures.

- **Fact checker: The Washington Post** <https://www.washingtonpost.com/news/fact-checker/>

Their fact checks are excellent and sourced; however their clear left-center bias is reflected in the fact that they fact check right wing claims more than left. Otherwise a good resource.

- **PolitiFact** <https://www.politifact.com/>

Works to determine whether claims by political figures and pundits are accurate. Staffed by journalists and editors. PolitiFact is owned by the nonprofit Poynter Institute for Media Studies.

- **Snopes** <https://www.snopes.com/>

The venerable fact-checking site operating since 1995. Occasionally accused of partisanship, Factcheck.org found these claims to be unfounded.

- **Science Feedback** <https://sciencefeedback.co/>

A worldwide network of scientists sorting fact from fiction in science-based media coverage.

- **AFP Fact Check** <https://factcheck.afp.com/>

Global news agency that specializes in debunking misleading content from the Asia Pacific region.

- **International Fact-Checking Network** <https://www.poynter.org/ifcn/>

Nonpartisan international network organized by the Poynter Institute. Most reliable fact-checkers are signatories of the IFCN, whose code of principles that must be followed to remain in the network

- **AFP Fact Check** <https://factcheck.afp.com/>

From Agence France-Presse in France. Best English-language fact checker for non-USA fact checks.

- **Full Fact** <https://fullfact.org/>

Focuses on political claims/misinformation in UK media. UK version of Politifact.

- **Lead Stories** <https://leadstories.com/>

Detects and debunks trending fake news and hoaxes on known fake news sites and networks, prank generators and satirical websites.

- **CheckYourFact.com**, by the Daily Caller Foundation – founded by Tucker Carlson.

Owned by the Daily Caller, which is not a reliable news organization. Check Your Fact operates independently of them and adheres to the IFCN principles. Check Your Fact is one of very few right leaning IFCN fact checkers. They primarily focus on hoaxes and political statements.

REVERSE IMAGE SEARCH

TinEye Reverse Image Search	https://tineye.com/
Image Edited?	http://imageedited.com/
Google Images	https://images.google.com/
Yandex	https://yandex.com/images/

APPS FOR REVERSE IMAGE SEARCH

Search By Image -

App for Android that helps you find similar images or pictures using either Google, TinEye, or Yandex reverse image search engine.

Photo Sherlock -

App for Android or iOS provides search by image taken from your camera or an existing image in your gallery. Can be useful to find information about photos on Google, for example to detect the real owner or a photo from social network, or if you want to check if a photo is fake or original.

These Faces are not Real : Many “deepfakes” look odd, but technology is fast improving - By Travis Hartman and Raphael Satter. Reuters Graphics. July 15, 2020.

<https://graphics.reuters.com/CYBER-DEEPPFAKE/ACTIVIST/nmovajnxpa/>

How to Spot Deepfake Videos Co-authored by wikiHow Staff August 8, 2019

<https://www.wikihow.com/Spot-Deepfake-Videos#:~:text=Check%20for%20double%20edges%20around%20the%20eyes%2C%20mouth%2C,irregularities%2C%20it%E2%80%99s%20likely%20you%E2%80%99re%20looking%20at%20a%20deepfake.>

Beware the Cheapfakes : Deepfakes are troubling. But disinformation doesn't have to be high tech to be damaging. By Joan Donovan and Britt Paris. Slate, June 12, 2019.

<https://slate.com/technology/2019/06/drunken-pelosi-deepfakes-cheapfakes-artificial-intelligence-disinformation.html>