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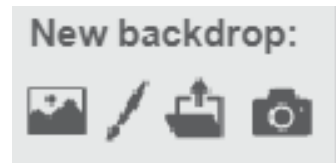
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To create an account in Scratch

1. In the top right, click where it says **Join Scratch**.
2. Choose a Scratch Username (DO NOT use your REAL NAME)
3. Choose a password and confirm the password
4. Select your birth month and year, gender and Country
5. Enter and confirm your email address
6. Click on the link in the email that you receive from the Scratch team.
7. You are now ready to explore and create projects!

To add a backdrop

1. Click on the **Stage** box below the stage itself.
2. Go to the Backdrops tab above the work area.
3. Just below the tab, you will see the title **New backdrop:** and some icons.
4. Click on an icon to add an image for a backdrop.



This one lets you choose an image from the Backdrop Library



This one lets you create your own image using drawing tools



This one lets you upload an image from your computer.

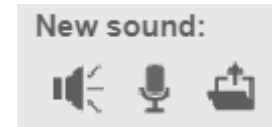


This one lets you use a picture you take with your computer's camera.



To add an existing sound

1. Click on the Sprite to which you want to add a sound.
2. Go to the **Sounds** tab above the work area (it is to the right of the costumes tab).
3. Just below the tab, you will see the title **New Sound:** and some icons.
4. Click on an icon to add a sound.



This one lets you choose a sound from the Sound Library (there are lots of sounds here!)



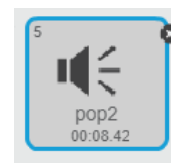
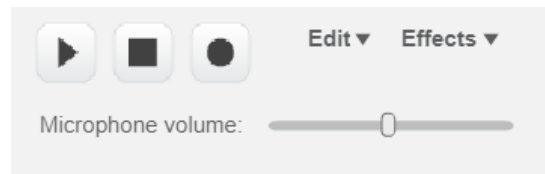
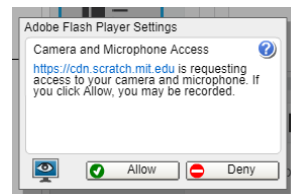
This one lets you create your own sound using your computers microphone



This one lets you upload a sound file from your computer.

To record a new sound

1. Click on the **microphone icon** under **New Sound**
2. If this warning message comes up, and you still want to record a sound, click the green check mark beside **Allow**.
3. As soon as you click on the **black circle**, the sound recording will start. When you have finished making the sound, click on the **black square**.
4. To listen to your sound, click on the **black triangle**.
5. If you want to delete a sound, click on the sound icon and click the black x in the top corner.





To add a costume to a Sprite

1. Click on the Sprite to which you want to add a new costume.
2. Go to the **Costumes** tab above the work area.
3. Just below the tab, you will see the title **New costume:** and some icons.
4. Click on an icon to add an image for the costume.

New costume:



This one lets you choose a costume from the Costume Library



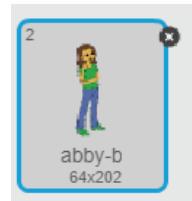
This one lets you create your own costume using drawing tools



This one lets you upload an image from your computer.



This one lets you use a picture you take with your computer's camera.



5. If you want to delete a costume, click on the image and click the black x in the top corner.

To add a new Sprite

1. Just below the stage and above the existing Sprites, you will see the title **New sprite:** and some icons.
2. Click on an icon to add an image for the costume.

New sprite:



This one lets you choose a Sprite from the Sprite Library



This one lets you create your own sprite using drawing tools



This one lets you upload an image from your computer.



This one lets you use a picture you take with your computer's camera.