# Google Search Quick Tips

Looking for a **specific phrase**? Enter it as a **quote (in Quotation marks "x").**

To **exclude a word** from your search, simply add the word to your search with a **minus sign** in front of it.

To search **within a specific website**, enter your search term followed **by: site:(website).**

To locate **specific words within a webpage**, enter: **allintext: (your search terms)**.

To locate **specific words** within a title, enter: **allintitle: (your search terms)**.

To locate **specific words within a domain name or URL**, enter: **allinurl: (your search terms)**.

To find **news stories in Google News** from a specific location, enter: **(your search terms) location:(location)**.

To **search with a wildcard, simply add an asterisk (*)** for a missing word.

There are several symbols that you can use as search operators in Google:
@ - use this when searching for social media tags (@google)
& - use to find strongly connected ideas and phrases like (A&E)
$ - use to indicate prices, like (sony $400)
# - use to find content with hashtags (#travel)

To find out the **weather** at a specific location, enter: **weather (city)**.

Need to do a **quick calculation**? Enter it in the **search window** and your answer will magically appear.

Need to **define a word**? Just type: **define (word)** and Google turns into a dictionary.
Need to translate a word? Simple. Just type: translate (word) to (language).