

Local Flavor

Show life as it's lived.

Explore the Local Flavor collection



A taste of authenticity.

As many take a break from constant connectivity, the craving for authentic cultural moments increases. When brands partner with local creators and spotlight regional craftsmanship, it makes their work more memorable and allows them to share something unique with the world at large.

Create with the Local Flavor templates

From local to national.

Nike launched women's footwear in partnership with Delhi-based brand NorBlack NorWhite.

Source: CNN

Corona's "Impossible Plants" campaign encouraged sun exposure in Japan, where nearly all residents are vitamin D deficient.

Source: Muse by Cluos



Connect with the culture.

To feel like a truly local experience, the stories being shared must belong to a community or a specific culture, not just be about one. Brands need to embrace the culture's authentic voice — no translators, no filters.

Trend takeaway.

When marketing reflects diverse cultures and communities, it feels more personal to the audience and helps the message resonate.



Visualize with a Local Flavor moodboard

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When people see themselves or their communities represented, it humanizes the company.

Brenda Milis
Principal of Consumer and Creative Insights, Adobe

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