

# Element.InsertImageBefore(String)

## Description

Inserts and returns an [InlineImage](#) at the beginning of this Element. The image that will be inserted is specified by the fileName parameter.

**C#**

```
public virtual InlineImage InsertImageBefore(System.String fileName)
```

**vb.net**

```
Public Overridable Function InsertImageBefore(ByVal fileName As String) As InlineImage
```

## Parameters

### *fileName*

A String containing the filename of the image to insert.

## Returns

An [InlineImage](#) object that represents the image that was inserted.

## Exceptions

### *System.Exception*

If the image file is not a valid format. See [InlineImage.Format](#) for a list of supported formats.

## Examples

**C#**

```
InlineImage image = e.InsertImageBefore("C:\sample.jpg");
```

**vb.net**

```
Dim image As InlineImage = e.InsertImageBefore("C:\sample.jpg")
```