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Copyright and Fair Use in the Classroom, on the Internet, and the World Wide Web  
<http://www.umuc.edu/library/copy.shtml>

Milestones for Improving Learning & Education An Updated Toolkit of Strategies and Tactics  
[http://www.p21.org/index.php?option=com\\_content&task=view&id=800&Itemid=52](http://www.p21.org/index.php?option=com_content&task=view&id=800&Itemid=52)

Citing Social Media <http://blog.apastyle.org/apastyle/2009/10/how-to-cite-twitter-and-facebook-part-i.html>

FCC's definition of Obscenity <http://www.fcc.gov/cgb/consumerfacts/obscene.html>

Developing Critical Thinking : iTHINK Skills Tutor from SIRS Knowledge Source; an interactive skills tutor that assesses student's critical thinking. <http://www.proquestk12.com/widgets/ithink/iThinkTutor.html>

YouTomb is a research project by MIT Free Culture that tracks videos taken down from YouTube for alleged copyright violation. <http://youtomb.mit.edu/about>

A free search engine for students called Sweet Search <http://www.sweetsearch.com>

A Teacher's Guide: Critical Thinking through Core Curriculum: Using Print and Digital Newspapers  
<http://www.naafoundation.org/Curriculum/NIE/NIE-Week.aspx>

Web Tools for Enhancing Collaboration <http://www.techlearning.com/article/27280>

Google Squared: Fetch and organize facts from across the web. Google Squared automatically constructs a table of facts about any category you specify. <http://www.google.com/squared/>

Wordle: Wordle is a tool for generating "word clouds" from text that you provide. The clouds give greater prominence to words that appear more frequently in the source text. <http://www.wordle.net/>

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Every hour, 10x10 collects the 100 words and pictures that matter most on a global scale, and presents them as a single image, taken to encapsulate that moment in time.  
<http://www.tenbyten.org/10x10.html>

Newsmap is an application that visually reflects the constantly changing landscape of the Google News news aggregator. <http://newsmap.jp/>

News Dots: The Day's Events as a Social Network; an interactive map of how every story in the news is related, updated daily. [http://latest.slate.com/features/news\\_dots/default.htm](http://latest.slate.com/features/news_dots/default.htm)

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Best Blogs for Special Ed Teachers <http://www.onlineuniversities.com/blog/2009/12/50-best-blogs-for-special-ed-teachers-%0>

Strategies for Comprehension Instruction [http://www.adlit.org/strategy\\_library](http://www.adlit.org/strategy_library)

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MLA Guide <http://owl.english.purdue.edu/owl/resource/747/01/>

*Readicide: How Schools are Killing Reading and What You Can Do about It* by Kelly Gallagher <http://www.stenhouse.com/emags/0780/pageflip.html>

75 Books Every Writer Should Read <http://www.onlineuniversities.com/blog/2010/01/75-books-every-writer-should-read>

PicLits: Inspired Picture Writing: "Refrigerator poetry meets beautiful imagery in this creative writing site." <http://www.piclits.com/gallery.aspx> or [http://www.piclits.com/compose\\_dragdrop.aspx](http://www.piclits.com/compose_dragdrop.aspx)

Visual Thesaurus VocabGrabber analyzes any text you're interested in, generating lists of the most useful vocabulary words and showing you how those words are used in context. Just copy text from a document and paste it into the box, and then click on the "Grab Vocabulary!" button. VocabGrabber will automatically create a list of vocabulary from your text, which you can then sort, filter, and save. <http://www.visualthesaurus.com/vocabgrabber/>

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Free database of nonfiction books; created by a group of nonfiction authors, InkThinkTank.com is intended to help find books to meet curriculum requirements. With free registration, users can search by National standards, subject, grade level, author, title, and keywords. <http://www.inkthinktank.com/>

100 Fun & Informative Blog Posts Every Grammar Geek Should Bookmark <http://www.onlineuniversities.com/blog/2009/12/100-fun-informative-blog-posts-every-grammar-geek-should-bookmark/>

Annotated Bibliographies <http://owl.english.purdue.edu/owl/resource/614/01/>

Books Turned into Movies <http://www.teenreads.com/features/books2movies.asp>

PoemHunter <http://www.poemhunter.com/>

Author Study ToolKit <http://www.adlit.org/authorstudy>

YA Booklists by Theme, includes non-fiction, too [http://www.adlit.org/books\\_by\\_theme/](http://www.adlit.org/books_by_theme/)

A practical guide to improving boys' literacy skills (61pp.) <http://www.edu.gov.on.ca/eng/document/brochure/meread/meread.pdf>

Springfield Township High School's Virtual Library on the Elizabethan Period <http://www.sdsc.org/shs/library/stulinde.html>

Port Huron High School Media Center on the Renaissance <http://www.teacheroz.com/renaissance.htm>

Get Graphic: The World in Words and Pictures: learn more about graphic novels, investigate booklists, explore graphic novel news and information. Graphic Novels can be an important part of both educational and leisure reading for students of all ages. Graphic novels, astoundingly popular with kids and young adults, can be as simple or complex as any other literature. <http://www.getgraphic.org/teachers.php>

BrainyFlix and Brainy Pix: Learn SAT and ACT vocabulary the funnier way.

<http://www.gotbrainy.com/>

Google Lit Trips: Using Google Earth, discover where in the world the greatest road trip stories of all time took place. <http://www.googlelittrips.com/GoogleLit/Home.html>

Novlet: Collaborative nonlinear story writing. <http://www.novlet.com/>

Yudu: Publish Digital Magazines and More Online for Free: Read online magazines, free eBooks and other digital content -- browse 1000s of free digital magazines or buy your favorite titles in the YUDU Store. Self publish your own digital magazines, eBooks, and digital brochures free publisher software. <http://www.yudu.com/>

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Have you seen this online graph interface? kEwL!  
[http://www.swivel.com/graphs/show/20268138?graph%5Bgraph\\_type%5D=HorizontalBarGraph&controls=open](http://www.swivel.com/graphs/show/20268138?graph%5Bgraph_type%5D=HorizontalBarGraph&controls=open)

Free 24/7 Math Solution: Algebra 1, Algebra 2, Geometry, Trigonometry, Precalculus, and Calculus. <http://www.brightstorm.com/d/math>

Mathway: Problems solved! It solves your math problems with step-by-step explanations. <http://www.mathway.com/>

Free Digital Textbook Initiative: <http://www.clrn.org/fdti/>

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Over 4 hours of free video detailing how things we use everyday are manufactured. <http://manufacturing.stanford.edu/hetm.html>

How Products Are Made explains and details the manufacturing process of a wide variety of products. <http://www.madehow.com/>

## Science

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Each chemical element contains a link to a page that explains its chemical properties, health effects, environmental effects, application data, an image and also information of the history/inventor of each element. <http://www.lenntech.com/periodic/periodic-chart.htm>

Brain Tour: Brain Basics: Interactive Information about the brain  
<http://www.alz.org/brain/01.asp>

100 Best Reference Sites for Science Students  
<http://www.onlineuniversities.com/blog/2010/01/100-best-reference-sites-for-science-students/>

Popular Science has partnered with Google to offer their entire 137-year archive for free browsing <http://www.popsci.com/archives>

Anatomy of the Ear <http://blog.apastyle.org/apastyle/2009/10/how-to-cite-twitter-and-facebook-part-i.html>

100 Best Free Science Documentaries <http://www.onlineuniversities.com/blog/2010/01/100-best-free-science-documentaries-online/>

Construction of the Cell Membrane <http://www.wisc-online.com/objects/ViewObject.aspx?ID=AP1101>

"Exploratorium, one the first science museums to build a site on the World Wide Web, now contains over 18 thousand award-winning Web pages exploring hundreds of different topics." <http://www.exploratorium.edu/>

A planetarium program with a real-time 3-D space simulation featuring a database of more than 100,000 stars. Unlike most planetarium software, Celestia doesn't confine you to the surface of the Earth. You can travel throughout the solar system, to any of over 100,000 stars, or even beyond the galaxy. <http://www.shatters.net/celestia/>

Click and Clone: Practice the steps of cloning in this interactive, animated colorful site. <http://learn.genetics.utah.edu/content/tech/cloning/clickandclone/>

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100 Terrific Tools to Grade Your Life <http://www.onlineuniversities.com/blog/2009/10/100-terrific-tools-to-grade-your-life/>

Brain Tour: Brain Basics: Interactive Information about the brain  
<http://www.alz.org/brain/01.asp>

Dream Research web site <http://psych.ucsc.edu/dreams>

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Measuring Worth - Relative Value of US Dollars <http://www.measuringworth.com/uscompare/>

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Intelligent Viewing: 100 Most Informative Video Collections on the Web  
<http://www.onlineuniversities.com/blog/2009/12/intelligent-viewing-100-most-informative-video-collections-on-the-web/>

50 Fascinating Lectures for Music Lovers <http://www.onlineuniversities.com/blog/2009/12/50-fascinating-lectures-for-music-lovers/>

Vintage Ad Browser <http://www.vintageadbrowser.com/>

Free online music beat creation resource <http://www.jamstudio.com/Studio/index.htm>

Music Copyright Law in the U.S. as of October 28, 2009 <http://www.rbs2.com/copyrm.pdf>

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Classical Antiquity Bookshelf; a blue bullet indicates works available in the original Greek or Latin. [http://www.gutenberg.org/wiki/Classical\\_Antiquity\\_%28Bookshelf%29](http://www.gutenberg.org/wiki/Classical_Antiquity_%28Bookshelf%29)

Novlet: Collaborative nonlinear story writing in any language. <http://www.novlet.com/> and <http://www.novlet.com/localization/languages>

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Free database of nonfiction books; created by a group of nonfiction authors, InkThinkTank.com is intended to help find books to meet curriculum requirements. With free registration, users can search by National standards, subject, grade level, author, title, and keywords. <http://www.inkthinktank.com/>

Learn about Congress: Interactive Learning Module  
[http://congress.indiana.edu/learn\\_about/launcher.htm](http://congress.indiana.edu/learn_about/launcher.htm)

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<http://www.procon.org/>

2010 Census & Redistricting the Nation <http://www.redistrictingthenation.com/>

Footnote - The place for original historical documents online <http://www.footnote.com/>

*Article:* The way we present the topic of slavery to young people is all wrong By Marc Aronson  
-- School Library Journal, 7/1/2008 <http://www.schoollibraryjournal.com/index.asp?layout=articlePrint&articleID=CA6573995>

Springfield Township High School's Virtual Library on the Elizabethan Period  
<http://www.sdast.org/shs/library/stulinde.html>

Port Huron High School Media Center on the Renaissance  
<http://www.teacheroz.com/renaissance.htm>

NBC News' iCue is a free, online, collaborative learning community that incorporates gaming, discussion, and video resources created by NBC Learn, the educational arm of NBC News.  
<http://www.icue.com/portal/site/iCue/welcomepage>

To receive information about news future topics, go to <http://www.abc-clio.com/schools/service/catalog.aspx?camp=083HHA1> to sign up for *ABC-CLIO History and the Headlines*, a FREE email newsletter with context and analysis on breaking news around the world.

Learn about Presidential Elections: In History and Today. Explore key topics in the history and meaning of our nation's presidential elections to help your students become active observers and analysts of elections past and present. <http://www.abc-clio.com/page/election/index.html>  
[What's in a Campaign?](#)  
[Who Votes and How?](#)  
[Why is the President Important?](#)  
[General Resources](#)

Digital Library on American Slavery "The Digital Library on American Slavery offers data on race and slavery extracted from eighteenth and nineteenth-century documents and processed over a period of eighteen years. The Digital Library contains detailed information on about 150,000 individuals, including slaves, free people of color, and whites. ... One of the unique aspects of the Digital Library is the information on individual slaves that will be made available along with additional data on their owners stretching over time." <http://library.uncg.edu/slavery/>

**Primary Sources** on the from Anderson High School (Indiana) Library  
<http://www.ahslibrary.net/categories.php?view=4>

Digital History: An interactive, multimedia history of the United States from the Revolution to the present. <http://www.digitalhistory.uh.edu/>

**Primary Sources** from Eduscapes: Access to a wide range of primary resources such as letters, diaries, journals, logs, data, documents, speeches, and videos.  
<http://eduscapes.com/tap/topic88.htm#1>

Repositories of **Primary Sources**: A listing of over 5000 websites describing holdings of manuscripts, archives, rare books, historical photographs, and other primary sources for the research scholar. [http://www.uiweb.uidaho.edu/special-collections/Other\\_Repositories.html](http://www.uiweb.uidaho.edu/special-collections/Other_Repositories.html)

**Primary Sources** from Filamentality: Don't depend on someone else's interpretation of a document. Read it yourself and draw your own conclusions. Listen to speeches and hear for yourself, who said what. <http://www.kn.pacbell.com/wired/fil/pages/listdocumentpa.html#cat1>

Dispute Finder: If you download the Foxfire extension, Dispute Finder will highlight controversial content and provide alternative points of view. *However*, even without the extension, when you click on a topic, you can choose to see "opposing evidence" of the claim, "supporting evidence" and "alternative claims." <http://disputefinder.cs.berkeley.edu/thinklink/>

Library of Congress Teachers' Page: A central site for **primary source** classroom content and tips on how to use primary sources <http://www.loc.gov/teachers>



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100 Terrific Tools to Grade Your Life <http://www.onlineuniversities.com/blog/2009/10/100-terrific-tools-to-grade-your-life/>

NoSlang.com Drug Slang Translator; Learn the latest drug slang terms kids are using.  
<http://www.noslang.com/drugs/dictionary.php>

HealthiNation is your source for health video that educates and inspires. Working with our team of medical advisors, we make complex health topics easy to understand. You'll find patient experiences, health experts who give you the straight answers, and enlightening 3D animations to show you how things work inside the body. You can watch our videos free on the Internet! <http://www.healthination.com>



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Copyright-Free images available for school projects (or even commercial applications!)  
<http://www.morguefile.com>

100 Free e-books for Financial Your Literacy  
<http://www.onlineuniversities.com/blog/2009/11/100-free-ebooks-for-your-financial-literacy/>

Intelligent Viewing: 100 Most Informative Video Collections on the Web  
<http://www.onlineuniversities.com/blog/2009/12/intelligent-viewing-100-most-informative-video-collections-on-the-web/>

Fairness & Accuracy in Reporting (FAIR, the national media watch group)  
<http://www.fair.org/index.php>

“Web 3.0 Concepts Explained in Plain English” at <http://www.labnol.org/internet/web-3-concepts-explained/8908>

Video: difference between a database and a web site  
<http://www.xtranormal.com/watch/3536171/>

Open Clip Art Library (OCAL) Almost 30,000 FREE clip art images in the public domain.  
<http://www.openclipart.org/>

Free online music beat creation resource <http://www.jamstudio.com/Studio/index.htm>

How to Keep Track of What People are Saying about You  
<http://www.schoollibraryjournal.com/index.asp?layout=articlePrint&articleID=CA6720981>

GIMP is the GNU Image Manipulation Program. It is a freely distributed piece of software for such tasks as photo retouching, image composition and image authoring. This graphical image-editing program is a sophisticated alternative to expensive commercial software. It works on many operating systems. <http://www.gimp.org/>

Blender is the free open source 3D content creation suite. This 3-D design and animation program (pictured above) is used in the film industry. Available for all major operating systems under the GNU General Public License. <http://www.blender.org/>

Techtorials Archive: Education World's Technology Integration Center -- Apple, Basics, Troubleshooting, E-mail, Excel, Internet, Keyboarding, Office, PowerPoint, Web Design, and Word. [http://www.educationworld.com/a\\_tech/archives/techtutorials.shtml](http://www.educationworld.com/a_tech/archives/techtutorials.shtml)

Scratch: Scratch is a programming language that makes it easy to create your own interactive stories, animations, games, music, and art -- and share your creations on the web.  
<http://scratch.mit.edu/>

10 Tools to Create Digital Books from *Tech & Learning*  
<http://www.techlearning.com/article/28822>

WebTools4U2Use will introduce you to a lot of different Web 2.0 tools. But how do you choose the right one? <http://webtools4u2use.wikispaces.com/Webtools4U2Use>

Free to educators, the CyberSmart! Student Curriculum empowers students to use the Internet safely, responsibly, and effectively. <http://www.cybersmartcurriculum.org/>

Weebly: Web creation made easy... What can I do with Weebly? -- Create a free website & blog -- Easy drag and drop interface -- No technical skills required -- Dozens of professional designs -- Free domain hosting <http://www.weebly.com/>

Wetpaint: Make it easy for groups of people to share information: Build a Wetpaint website that is built on the power of collaborative thinking. Here, you can create websites that mix all the best features of wikis, blogs, forums and social networks into a rich, user-generated community based around the whatever-it-is that rocks your socks. <http://www.wetpaint.com/>

Fotoflexer: Online Photo Editor: Effects -- Fonts -- Shapes -- Doodling -- Distortions -- Retouch -- Layers -- Recolor -- Curves -- Morph <http://fotoflexer.com/>

Capzles: Create multimedia with videos, photos, music, blogs, and documents for free.  
<http://www.capzles.com/>



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“TrueTube is a free, website which uses real-life stories and issues to encourage teenagers to explore and debate the world of morality, ethics, politics and religion. TrueTube brings to life the subjects at the heart of Secondary Education using short-form web-based video and multimedia technology. The site encourages teenagers to find their voice as they explore their own value systems and those of their peers around the corner and across the world.”  
<http://www.truetube.co.uk/>

Larry Sanger, co-founder of Wikipedia, has launched a new Web site designed to gather and organize educational videos for students ages 3 to 18. The site, WatchKnow.org, currently features more than 11,000 videos across 2,000 categories on subjects such as math, science, and history. The nonprofit site features new software that allows wiki-style collaboration among users. "Think of it as YouTube meets Wikipedia, filtering out everything but quality educational videos," Sanger said. <http://www.watchknow.org/>



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Volunteer Center of Gloucester County [http://www.gloucestercountyvolunteers.org/volunteer-center-of-gloucester-county-oneday-shortterm.asp?Page\\_ID=1131](http://www.gloucestercountyvolunteers.org/volunteer-center-of-gloucester-county-oneday-shortterm.asp?Page_ID=1131)

Volunteer New Jersey <http://www.volunteernewjersey.org/vnj/>

Volunteer Center of Gloucester County (via United Way)  
<http://www.volunteersolutions.org/tvcogc/volunteer/>



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Have you seen what WorldCat can DO??!! Check this out! Here's an example using Shakespeare... <http://www.worldcat.org/wcidentities/lccn-n78-95332>

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- ▶ Go to <http://www.worldcat.org> and in the search bar
- ▶ type **au:** before the author's name (if a historical figure wrote something, this works for that, too!)  
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- ▶ Click on any title for which the person you want to view is the author (*not* on one with an editor)
- ▶ Slide down under **All authors/contributors** to Find more information about
- ▶ Choose the author's name in the pull down menu and click **GO**; you're there!

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