

# LIBRARY RESEARCH LINKS

## An Internet Hotlist on Research Topics

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### Introduction

You COULD look for books or magazines to find out information, but try using the power of the Internet too. The links below will get you started.

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### The Internet Resources

- [BrainTrack University Index](#) - US college directory by state.
- [Call of the Wild Webquest](#) - A webquest based on the book, 'Call of the Wild.'
- [Citation Machine](#) - Simple Templates for citing bibliographic information
- [Colleges--U. S. Universities by State](#) - Links to U. S. universities by state
- [Greece WebQuest](#) - Time Traveller
- [Internet Searching--Alta Vista Images](#) - Provides photos and graphic. Search by keywords.
- [Internet Searching--Altavista](#) - Excellent search engine
- [Internet Searching--Google](#) - Excellent search engine.
- [Internet Searching--Yahoo en Espanol](#) - Yahoo search directory in Spanish.
- [Internet--Internet sites in Spanish](#) - Internet sites for students who speak Spanish as their primary language.
- [Inventions--Famous Inventions](#) - Inventions A-Z
- [Inventors--Famous Inventors](#) - Inventors A-Z
- [Inventors--Inventors Hall of Fame](#) - History of inventions and their inventors.
- [Kids Click!](#) - Kid friendly search engine.
- [Math--AAA Math](#) - Interactive math skills practice.
- [NoodleBib Express](#) - Bibliography tool. To create a citation, choose a citation type from the dropdown list above and click the Go button. NoodleBib Express includes all of the citation forms for MLA and APA. Your citations are not compiled into a source list and cannot be saved. Copy and paste the citations in to Microsoft Word.
- [Persuasion Map](#) - Create a persuasion map using a fill in the blank template. Your map will not be saved once you exit the program.
- [ProCon.org](#) - Pros and cons of controversial issues
- [Quality Information Checklist](#) - An online quiz to help you learn how to evaluate web sites.
- [Social Issues](#) - Pros and cons of 39 contemporary social issues
- [Social Issues 2](#) - Links to social issue pros and cons.
- [The Interactive Raven](#) - A look at the vocabulary and literary devices in Edgar Allan Poe's famous poem, The Raven
- [Where the Red Fern Grows Webquest](#) -

## ENGLISH

- [Biographies--A&E Network's Biography Find](#) - Over 20,000 of the world's famous people, past and present.
- [Biographies--Biographical Dictionary](#) - Over 27,000 biographies of notable men and women of the world, from present day to ancient times.
- [Biographies--Biography Center](#) - 11011 biographies of famous people. Use the alphabetical index.
- [Biographies--Distinguished American Women of Past and Present](#) - Biographies of women who contributed to American culture.
- [Biographies--Founding Fathers](#) - Biographies of signers of the Declaration of Independence, the Articles of Confederation and the U.S. Constitution.
- [Biographies--Multnomah County Library Homework Center](#) - Links to biographies in different categories and links to biography megasites.
- [Early Humans: Research and Analysis](#) - Links to web sites about early humans related to Maroo of the Winter Cave.
- [Faces Game](#) - A game based on Louis Sachar's book 'Holes.'
- [Poetry](#) - Poetry on Infoplease.com
- [Poetry--Poet's Corner](#) - user-friendly library of works that promotes browsing and exploring through a site that spans thousands of works by hundreds of authors covering thousands of years.
- [Poetry--Poetry Exhibits](#) - Includes biographies, photos, and other information on more than 450 poets.
- [Quotations](#) - This literary reference site features quotations from the great works of literature.
- [Quotations--Bartleby's Familiar Quotations](#) - 11,000 quotations.
- [Quotations--QuoteWorld](#) - 15,000 quotes by topic and author.
- [Quotations--Quoteland](#) - Quotes by topics

## CAREERS

- [Career Voyages](#) - Explore career options
- [Fun Works](#) - Explore careers with interest quizzes games, etc.
- [KnowHowVirginia.org](#) - Choose the field and then 'investigate' for career information.
- [O' Net Occupations Online](#) - Search for careers in the Occupation Quick Search window in the upper left hand corner of the website.
- [Occupational Outlook Handbook Index](#) - Alphabetical list of occupations. Includes earnings, education requirements, job outlook, nature of work, ect.
- [Today's Military](#) - Listing of 4,100 careers in the military.

## SCIENCE

- [Animals--Animal Hotlist](#) - Links to web sites of 40 different animals.
- [Animals--The Electric Zoo](#) - Links to web sites about various animals.

- [Chemistry--Chemical Elements.Com](#) - Online, interactive Periodic Table of the elements.
- [Chemistry--Web Elements Periodic Table](#) - Web site displays graphics showing elements' structures and periodic properties
- [Diseases--Center for Disease Control](#) - Health topics A to Z.
- [Diseases--National Institute of Health Information Index](#) - Search alphabetically for links to sites about diseases currently being studied.
- [Earthquakes--Most Destructive Earthquakes](#) - Most destructive known earthquakes on record in the world. Earthquakes with 50,000 or more deaths.
- [Earthquakes--Recent and Significant Past Earthquakes](#) - Index of large or otherwise important earthquakes of the past (U.S. and global) for which photographs and reports are available online.
- [Genetic Disorders & Birth Defects Information Center](#) - Resource center for genetics, genetic disorders and birth defects.
- [Geologic Time--Earth Floor](#) - Links to the different geologic periods.
- [Geologic Time--Geological Time Machine](#) - Information about each of the geologic periods.
- [Geologic Time--Mesozoic Era](#) -
- [Geologic Time--Ordovician Period](#) -
- [Geologic Time--Paleozoic Era](#) -
- [Planets--JPL Solar System Dynamics](#) - Links to web sites about the planets
- [Planets--The Nine Planets](#) - Multimedia tour of the solar system
- [Specific Genetic Disorders](#) - Genetic components of human diseases.
- [Your Genes, Your Health](#) - A multimedia guide to genetic disorders.

## SOCIAL STUDIES

- [6th Grade California Social Studies Resources](#) - Links to web sites that follow California Social Studies topics and standards. Click on a unit.
- [7th Grade California Social Studies Resources](#) - Links to web sites that follow California Social Studies topics and standards. Click on a unit.
- [8th Grade California Social Studies Resources](#) - Links to web sites that follow California Social Studies topics and standards. Click on a unit.
- [Buddhist Education and Information Network](#) - Information about Buddhism.
- [Byzantium--The Glory of Byzantium](#) - Explains the origin of the empire, rise and fall, and its influence on neighboring people.
- [CIA World Factbook](#) - Information about the countries of the world.
- [Dress Code--Oxnard Union High School Dress Code](#) - Scroll to the bottom of the page.
- [Explorers--Discoverers Web](#) - Links to biographies of many explorers.
- [Explorers--European Voyages of Exploration](#) - Explorers from Europe
- [Inca History](#) - Web site about the rise and fall of the Inca empire.
- [Islam--Medieval Islamic Cultures](#) - Islam during the medieval period
- [Middle Ages](#) - Provides a good introduction to feudal life, religion, clothes, homes, entertainment, and health during the Middle Ages
- [Renaissance Connection](#) - A multimedia learning experience about the Renaissance.
- [U.S. Citizenship and Immigration Services](#) - Information about becoming a US. citizen.

## ANCIENT CIVILIZATIONS (Egypt, Greece, Rome, India, etc.)

- [Egypt--Egyptian Hieroglyphs](#) - Everything you need to know about Egyptian hieroglyphs.
- [Greece--Archaeological Adventure in Greece](#) - Mrs. Power's Web Quest assignment
- [Greece--The Ancient Greeks](#) - History of the ancient Greeks.
- [India--Ancient India](#) -
- [Mesopotamia--Ancient Mesopotamia](#) - History Link 101's Ancient Mesopotamia page connects you to the best of Art, Biographies, Daily Life, Maps, Pictures, and Research on Ancient Mesopotamia.
- [Mohenjo Daro](#) - Information about the ancient Indus Valley site.
- [Mr. Donn's Ancient History](#) - Extensive information on ancient Egypt, Greece, Rome, and African empires.

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