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Recommended Websites for Teachers and Observers

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Activities/Games for Math and Language Arts (Primary)

- ABCya – www.abcya.com/
- BBC: Words and Pictures– www.bbc.co.uk/education/wordsandpictures/phonics/
- Carl's Corner – www.carlscorner.us.com/
- Education Place Shapebook – <http://www.eduplace.com/shapebook>
- Greg Tang Math – <http://www.gregtangmath.com>
- KidsNumbers.com– www.kidsnumbers.com
- Kuta Software Free Algebra Worksheets – <https://www.kutasoftware.com/free.html>
- MakingBooks.com – www.makingbooks.com/freeprojects.shtml
- Math Play – www.math-play.com/
- Math Playground–www.mathplayground.com

- National Library of Virtual Manipulatives – <http://nlvm.usu.edu/en/nav/vlibrary.html>
- Merriam Webster Word Central – www.wordcentral.com
- MyVocabulary–<http://www.myvocabulary.com/>
- PBS Kids – pbskids.org
- SAS® Curriculum Pathways – <https://www.sascurriculumpathways.com>
- Sesame Street–<http://www.sesamestreet.org>
- Seussville– www.seussville.com/
- Sheppard Software–www.sheppardsoftware.com/
- Starfall.com – www.starfall.com

Activities/Games for Math and Language Arts (Secondary)

- AAA Math – www.aaamath.com
- Greg Tang Math – <http://www.gregtangmath.com>
- Machinarium – <http://machinarium.net/demo/>
- Math Open Reference – www.mathopenref.com/
- Math Play – www.math-play.com/
- MathPlayground–www.mathplayground.com
- Refractions Game – <http://games.cs.washington.edu/Refraction/>
- SAS® Curriculum Pathways – <https://www.sascurriculumpathways.com>
- Virtual Nerd – <http://www.virtualnerd.com/>
- Vocabulary– www.vocabulary.com
- YouCubed – <https://www.youcubed.org>
- Writer’s Almanac – <http://writersalmanac.org/>

Art Resources

- The Getty – www.getty.edu/
- Google Art Project – www.googleartproject.com/
- Guggenheim Museum– www.guggenheim.org/
- The Metropolitan Museum of Art – www.metmuseum.org
- Smithsonian – www.si.edu
- Smithsonian American Art Museum – <http://americanart.si.edu/>
- Sumo Paint – www.sumopaint.com
- Van Gogh Museum – www.vangoghmuseum.nl
- The Walters Art Museum – art.thewalters.org/

College/Career Preparation and Planning

- Academic Earth– www.academicearth.org
- College Board - www.collegeboard.org
- Federal Student Aid – studentaid.ed.gov/home
- Free Application For Federal Student Aid (FAFSA) – www.fafsa.ed.gov
- nextsteps.org–nextsteps.org/nextsteps/
- SOPHIA – www.sophia.org

Foreign Language

- ACTFL (American Council on the Teaching of Foreign Languages) – <http://www.actfl.org/>
- Anki (mobile app) – <http://ankisrs.net/>
- Babelfish.com–www.babelfish.com/
- Bowdoin Spanish Grammar by Enrique Yepes – www.bowdoin.edu/~eyepes/newgr/ats/
- CAPL– <http://capl.washjeff.edu/>
- Chilloloa – <http://www.chilloloa.com/index.html/>
- China Central Television (CCTV) - <http://tv.cctv.com/lm/klhy/>
- Chinese Culture - <https://www.chinahighlights.com/travelguide/culture/>
- Chinese Grammar - https://resources.allsetlearning.com/chinese/grammar/Grammar_points_by_level
- Chinese Language - <http://www.bbc.co.uk/languages/chinese/>
- Conjuguemos- www.conjuguemos.com
- Cultural Interviews – <http://www.laits.utexas.edu/laexec/laexec.html>
- DigitalDialects – <http://www.digitaldialects.com/>
- A Fair(y) Use Tale Video – <http://cyberlaw.stanford.edu/blog/2007/03/fairy-use-tale>
- FrenchCultural Exchange– <http://www.frenchculture.org/>
- Hiragana App (mobile app) – <https://play.google.com/store/apps/details?id=jp.jfkc.HiraganaMemoryHintApp.En&hl=en>
- Hiragana Drill - <http://kagan.mactane.org/software/kana-drill.html>
- Hiragana Pronunciation – <https://www.thoughtco.com/how-to-pronounce-hiragana-japanese-hiragana-with-audio-files-4077351>
- International Children’s Library–<http://en.childrenslibrary.org/>
- Japan National Tourism Organization - <http://japan-photo.jnto.go.jp/eng/index.php>
- Japanese Grammar – <https://japanesemeow.com/japanese-grammar-lessons/japanese-vowels-and-consonants/>
- Japanese Grammar Practice (PuniPuni Japan) - <http://www.punipunijapan.com/>
- Katakana App (mobile app) – <https://play.google.com/store/apps/details?id=jp.jfkc.KatakanaMemoryHintApp.En&hl=en>
- LangMedia - <http://langmedia.fivecolleges.edu/>

- Online Nihongo – <http://www.onlinenihongo.com/>
- Spanish, language & culture– www.colby.edu/~bknelson/SLC/
- SpinTX- <http://www.coerll.utexas.edu/spintx/>
- StudySpanish– www.studyspanish.com/index.htm
- WordReference– www.wordreference.com/

Government Resources

- Central Intelligence Agency: (CIA) – www.cia.gov
- Ed.gov – www.ed.gov
- Federal Communications Commission (FCC) – www.fcc.gov
- Federal Emergency Management Agency (FEMA) – www.fema.gov
- Federal Emergency Management Agency (FEMA) for Kids – www.ready.gov/kids
- Federal Reserve System– www.federalreserve.gov
- Fed Stat – www.fedstats.gov/
- Federal Trade Commission (FTC) – www.ftc.gov
- FREE: Federal Resources for Educational Excellence– www.free.ed.gov/index.cfm
- GPS.gov – www.gps.gov
- Internal Revenue Service (IRS) – www.irs.gov
- Joint Congressional Committee on Inaugural Ceremonies – <http://inaugural.senate.gov/index.cfm>
- Library of Congress – www.loc.gov/index.html
- Library of Congress: American Memory - <http://memory.loc.gov/ammem/index.html>
- NASA Kids' Club–www.nasa.gov/audience/forkids/kidsclub/flash/index.html
- National Aeronautics and Space Administration – <http://www.nasa.gov>
- nationalatlas.gov™–nationalatlas.gov
- National Center for Education Statistics (NCES) Kids' Zone – nces.ed.gov/nceskids/index.asp
- National Gallery of Art –www.nga.gov
- National Geodetic Survey – www.ngs.noaa.gov
- National Institute on Drug Abuse (NIDA) for Teens – teens.drugabuse.gov/index.php
- National Institute of Environmental Health Sciences – kids.niehs.nih.gov
- National Oceanic and Atmospheric Administration – <http://www.noaa.gov>
- National Park Service, U.S. Department of the Interior – www.nps.gov
- The National Science Digital Library – nsdl.org/
- Supreme Court – www.supremecourt.gov
- USA.gov – www.usa.gov
- U.S. Census Bureau – www.census.gov
- U.S. Census Bureau: Fact Finder –

<http://factfinder2.census.gov/faces/nav/jsf/pages/index.xhtml>

- U.S. Courts – www.uscourts.gov
- U.S. Department of Agriculture – www.usda.gov
- U.S. Department of Defense – www.defense.gov
- U.S. Department of Energy – www.energy.gov
- U.S. Department of Health & Human Services: Administration for Children & Families
www.acf.hhs.gov
- U.S. Department of Health & Human Services: Child Welfare Information Gateway –
www.childwelfare.gov
- U.S. Department of the Interior – www.doi.gov
- U.S. Department of the Interior: Yellowstone National Park: For Kids –
www.nps.gov/yell/forkids/index.htm
- U.S. Department of Labor – www.dol.gov
- U.S. Department of State for Youth – <http://future.state.gov>
- U.S. Department of State: Office of the Historian – <http://history.state.gov>
- U.S. Department of Transportation – www.dot.gov
- U.S. Department of Veterans Affairs – www.va.gov/
- U.S. Department of Veterans Affairs – Veterans Day – www.va.gov/opa/vetsday/
- U.S. Energy Information Administration – Energy Kids – www.eia.gov/kids
- U.S. Environmental Protection Agency (EPA) – www.epa.gov
- U.S. Environmental Protection Agency: Students for the Environment –
www.epa.gov/students
- U.S. Food and Drug Administration – www.fda.gov
- U.S. Geological Survey – www.usgs.gov
- U.S. House of Representatives – www.house.gov
- U.S. National Arboretum – www.usna.usda.gov
- U.S. National Library of Medicine – www.nlm.nih.gov
- USDAMyPlate – www.choosemyplate.gov
- The U.S. National Archives and Records Administration – www.archives.gov
- The U.S. National Archives and Records Administration: Online Exhibits –
www.archives.gov/exhibits
- U.S. Senate – www.senate.gov
- The White House – www.whitehouse.gov

Health/Physical Education

- American Cancer Society– www.cancer.org
- America Heart Association – www.heart.org/HEARTORG/

- Centers for Disease Control (CDC) – www.cdc.gov

Literature/Poetry

- Classic Literature–www.classic-literature.co.uk
- International Children’s Library–<http://en.childrenslibrary.org/>
- Library of Congress: Poetry – <http://www.loc.gov/poetry>
- Luminarium: Anthology of English Literature – www.luminarium.org/
- Poetry App (mobile app) – <http://www.poetryfoundation.org/resources/mobile>
- ThePoetry Foundation –www.poetryfoundation.org
- Poets.org – www.poets.org
- Stick Figure Hamlet – <http://www.stickfigurehamlet.com/>

Science (Primary)

- Centre of the Cell – www.centreofthecell.org
- Dynamo’s Den:BBC –www.bbc.co.uk/education/dynamo/den/index.shtml
- Ecological Footprint – <http://www.myfootprint.org/>
- SAS® Curriculum Pathways – <https://www.sascurriculumpathways.com>
- 3D Brain (mobile app) – <https://play.google.com/store/apps/details?id=org.dnalc.threedbrain&hl=en>
- Complete Chemistry (mobile app) – <https://play.google.com/store/apps/details?id=com.toscanyacademy.completechemistry>
- Complete Physics (mobile app) – <https://play.google.com/store/apps/details?id=com.toscanytech.physicspractical&hl=en>
- Ecological Footprint – <http://www.myfootprint.org/>
- Earthquake Hazards Program–www.earthquake.usgs.gov/
- HubbleSite – www.hubblesite.org/
- Learn.Genetics™– <http://learn.genetics.utah.edu/>
- Life – life.time.com/
- MedMyst– <http://medmyst.rice.edu/>
- Missouri Botanical Garden – www.mbgent.net/
- MITOpen Courseware (Physics)– <http://ocw.mit.edu/high-school/physics/>
- Molecularium–<http://nanospace.molecularium.com/>
- National Museum of American History– <http://americanhistory.si.edu/>
- National Underground Railroad Center –www.freedomcenter.org/
- Newseum– www.newseum.org/todaysfrontpages/
- Nobel Prize Educational Games – www.nobelprize.org/educational/

- Ocean Leadership Education–www.oceanleadership.org/education
- Periodic Table (mobile app) – <https://play.google.com/store/apps/details?id=jqsoft.apps.periodictable.hd&hl=en>
- PhET Interactive Simulations, University of Colorado – <http://phet.colorado.edu/>
- Physics Classroom - <http://www.physicsclassroom.com/>
- Ptable – www.phtable.com/
- SAS® Curriculum Pathways – <https://www.sascurriculumpathways.com>
- Science Buddies – www.sciencebuddies.org/
- Science Daily – www.sciencedaily.com
- Science Dictionary (mobile app) – <https://play.google.com/store/apps/details?id=com.anencryptedmind.m.sciencedictionary&hl=en>
- Signals of Spring: Animals in Curriculum-based Ecosystem Studies – <http://www.signalsofpring.net/aces>
- SkyView® Free (mobile app) – <https://play.google.com/store/apps/details?id=com.t11.skyviewfree>
- University of California Museum of Paleontology – <http://www.ucmp.berkeley.edu/exhibits/index.php>
- Visual Anatomy (mobile app) – <https://play.google.com/store/apps/details?id=com.hssn.anatomyfree>
- WebRangers–www.webrangers.us/entry_gate.cfm

Social Studies (Primary)

- Arches National Park – <http://www.nps.gov/arch/index.htm>
- Ben’s Guide to U.S. Government – bensguide.gpo.gov/benfranklin/index.html
- Congress for Kids – www.congressforkids.net
- Digital History – www.digitalhistory.uh.edu
- Dynamo’sDen:BBC –www.bbc.co.uk/education/dynamo/den/index.shtml
- Ecological Footprint – <http://www.myfootprint.org/>
- History by ic – <http://www.history.com/ics>
- iCivics – <https://www.icivics.org/>
- KidsGeo.com – www.kidsgeo.com
- Kids in the House – kids.clerk.house.gov
- Library of Congress: America’s Story from America’s Library – www.americaslibrary.gov
- NationalGeographicEducation– <http://education.nationalgeographic.com/>
- Olympic.org– <http://www.olympic.org>
- PlimothPlantation-<http://www.plimoth.org/media/olc/navigation.html>

- SAS® Curriculum Pathways – <https://www.sascurriculumpathways.com>
- TIME For Kids – www.timeforkids.com

Social Studies (Secondary)

- Arches National Park – <http://www.nps.gov/arch/index.htm>
- Ben's Guide to U.S. Government – bensguide.gpo.gov/benfranklin/index.html
- Birmingham Civil Rights Institute – www.bcri.org/index.html
- British Museum – www.britishmuseum.org
- C-SPAN Classroom – www.c-spanclassroom.org
- Colonial Williamsburg – www.history.org
- Digital History – www.digitalhistory.uh.edu
- Field Museum – <http://fieldmuseum.org/>
- Ecological Footprint – <http://www.myfootprint.org/>
- Global Issues – www.globalissues.org/
- Golden Gate Bridge – www.goldengate.org
- Guggenheim Museum – www.guggenheim.org/
- Harry S. Truman Library and Museum – www.trumanlibrary.org
- Hawai'i Volcanoes National Park – <http://www.nps.gov/havo/index.htm>
- History by ic – <http://www.history.com/ics>
- iCivics – <https://www.icivics.org/>
- LangMedia – <http://langmedia.fivecolleges.edu/>
- Library of Congress: Native Americans – www.loc.gov/teachers/classroommaterials/themes/native-americans/students.html
- Life – life.time.com/
- National Geographic Education – <http://education.nationalgeographic.com/>
- Newseum – <http://www.newseum.org/todaysfrontpages/>
- Newspaper Map – <http://newspapermap.com/>
- Nobel Prize Educational Games – www.nobelprize.org/educational/
- Olympic.org – <http://www.olympic.org>
- Our Documents – www.ourdocuments.gov
- Out of Eden Walk – www.outofedenwalk.com
- Plimoth Plantation – <http://www.plimoth.org/media/olc/navigation.html>
- SAS® Curriculum Pathways – <https://www.sascurriculumpathways.com>
- Smithsonian – www.si.edu

- Smithsonian Education–www.smithsonianeducation.org/
- SDisasters! – <http://www.sdisastersgame.org/>
- United Nations – www.un.org/en/
- United Nations Association of the United States of America – www.unausa.org
- Victorian Web – www.victorianweb.org
- WeatherSpark –<http://weatherspark.com/>
- WORLDMAPPER – www.worldmapper.org/

Student Reference

- Bartleby.com– <http://www.bartleby.com>
- CitationBuilder–www.lib.ncsu.edu/citationbuilder/
- EasyBib – www.easybib.com/
- EducationPlaceGraphicOrganizer–<http://www.eduplace.com/graphicorganizer>
- Fact Monster –www.factmonster.com
- Gapminder - <http://www.gapminder.org/>
- Grammarly - <https://www.grammarly.com/>
- infoplease® –www.infoplease.com
- Internet Archive – www.archive.org
- MerriamWebster–www.merriam-webster.com/
- Notability (mobile app) – <http://www.gingerlabs.com>
- Plagiarismvideo(TED-Ed)–<http://ed.ted.com/lessons/the-punishable-perils-of-plagiarism-melissa-huseman-d-annunzio#watch>
- ProjectGutenberg – www.gutenberg.org/wiki/Main_Page
- Purdue Online Writing Lab (OWL) – owl.english.purdue.edu/owl/resource/592/01/
- Quizlet – <https://quizlet.com/>
- Shmoop - <https://www.shmoop.com/>
- Storybird – storybird.com
- Study Guides and Strategies – www.studygs.net/listening.htm
- UnderstandingPlagiarism – <https://www.indiana.edu/~tedfrick/plagiarism/>
- WordReference–www.wordreference.com/
- You Quote It, You Note It! – <http://library.acadiau.ca/tutorials/plagiarism/>

Teacher Lesson Planning/Resources

- K12 Reader – www.k12reader.com/
- Achieve the Core - <http://achievethecore.org/>
- Digital ReadWorks - <http://digital.readworks.org/>
- Education Place Activities – <http://www.eduplace.com/activity>
- Education Place Maps – <http://eduplace.com/ss/maps/>
- Education Place Monthly Theme – <http://www.eduplace.com/monthlytheme>
- FREE: Federal Resources for Educational Excellence – www.free.ed.gov/index.cfm
- Free Reading – <http://freereading.net/>
- Gateway to 21st Century Skills – www.thegateway.org/
- Google: Search Education– www.google.com/insidesearch/searcheducation/
- Illustrative Mathematics Content Standards: Kindergarten Through Grade Eight – <http://www.illustrativemathematics.org/standards/k8>
- Improving Mathematical Problem Solving in Grades 4 Through 8 – <http://ies.ed.gov/ncee/wwc/practiceguide.aspx?sid=16>
- INSIDE $+ = x \div$ MATHEMATICS: Materials & Tasks – <http://insidemathematics.org/index.php/mathematical-content-standards>
- INSIDE $+ = x \div$ MATHEMATICS: Math Practice Standards – <http://insidemathematics.org/index.php/mathematical-practice-standards>
- INSIDE $+ = x \div$ MATHEMATICS: Number Talks – <http://www.insidemathematics.org/index.php/classroom-video-visits/number-talks>
- INSIDE $+ = x \div$ MATHEMATICS: Public Lessons – <http://insidemathematics.org/index.php/classroom-video-visits/public-lessons>
- Interactive Sites for Education – <http://interactivesites.weebly.com/index.html>
- InterventionCentral – <http://www.interventioncentral.org/>
- Kahoot It - <https://kahoot.it/#/>
- Khan Academy – www.khanacademy.org
- Learning and Leading with Technology – <http://www.learningandleading-digital.com/learningandleading>
- LearnZillion.com–<http://learnzillion.com/>
- LibriVox – <https://librivox.org/>
- The Math Forum @ Drexel – Teacher2Teacher (T2T®) – <http://mathforum.org/t2t/>
- My Pearson Training – www.mypearsontraining.com/
- The National Science Digital Library – nsdl.org
- NCTM Illuminations – <http://illuminations.nctm.org/>
- NCTM Illuminations: Concentration Game – <http://illuminations.nctm.org/ActivityDetail.aspx?ID=73>

- NEWS ELA – <https://newsela.com>
- NYSED.gov Office of State Assessment – <http://www.nysedregents.org/>
- PBS LearningMedia – www.pbslearningmedia.org/
- Power of Words video – <http://www.goodreads.com/videos/24505-the-power-of-words>
- ReadWorks.org– www.readworks.org
- ReadWriteThink – www.readwritethink.org
- Shmoop - <https://www.shmoop.com/>
- TED-Ed – <http://ed.ted.com/>
- TextProject – <http://textproject.org>
- Thinkfinity – thinkfinity.org/
- Thinkport – www.thinkport.org
- We Give Books – www.wegivebooks.com
- YouCubed – <https://www.youcubed.org>

Technology/Project Creation

- Artyfactory – www.artyfactory.com
- BluebitMatrixCalculator-<http://www.bluebit.gr/matrix-calculator/>
- GCFLearnFree.org®–<http://www.gcflearnfree.org/>
- gimp (download link for GNU Image Manipulation Program) – www.gimp.org/
- Nearpod – <https://nearpod.com/>
- Pear Deck – <https://www.peardeck.com/>
- Photo Story 3 – (requires download) -www.microsoft.com/en-us/download/details.aspx?displaylang=en&id=11132
- Sumo Paint – www.sumopaint.com
- TI-Nspire™Tutorials: Atomic Learning–http://www.atomiclearning.com/ti_nspire
- Vocaroo (online voice recorder) – <https://vocaroo.com/%20%20%20>

Recommended Websites for Teachers and Observers use only

Links to the homepages of these sites should not be shared directly with students since the pages may contain questionable content. It is recommended that you deep link to pages within the site or seek permission from the site to use its content.

- Babelfish.com – www.babelfish.com/
- CNN – www.cnn.com
- Common Sense Media – <http://www.common Sense Media.org/>
- Cyberbee– www.cyberbee.com/cb_copyright.swf
- Education Oasis – www.educationoasis.com
- Internet Movie Database – www.imdb.com/
- Jing – www.techsmith.com/jing.html
- Metropolitan Museum of Art: Egyptian Art – www.metmuseum.org/about-the-museum/museum-departments/curatorial-departments/egyptian-art
- Metropolitan Museum of Art: Vermeer Collection – www.metmuseum.org/toah/hd/verm/hd_verm.htm
- Ming Dynasty – Metropolitan Museum of Art – [w.metmuseum.org/toah/hd/ming/hd_ming.htm](http://www.metmuseum.org/toah/hd/ming/hd_ming.htm)
- MoMA (The Museum of Modern Art) – www.moma.org/
- Palabra Virtual – <http://www.palabravirtual.com/>
- Spanish.language & culture – www.colby.edu/~bknelson/SLC/
- StudySpanish–www.studyspanish.com/index.htm
- Word Reference – www.wordreference.com/
- YouCanBookMe - <https://youcanbook.me/>
- Zamzar – www.zamzar.com/

These sites should be used to create content to be used for instructional purposes. They should not be shared directly with students since the pages may contain questionable content.

- Wordle™ – www.wordle.net