

V. Bibliographies

Suggested Resources for Families

The following list of resources includes magazines, Web sites, and books that provide information and guidance for families seeking a safe online experience.

Magazines for Families

PC World

Every issue is filled with articles, monthly PC product rankings, news, and Web site reviews.

Wired

The focus is on current issues, technological advances, and the information revolution.

Yahoo! Internet Life

This publication combines print and online content to give users easy, direct access to the best sites on the World Wide Web. Every issue has hundreds of Web site reviews. Yahoo! Internet Life is also available online at www.yil.com.

Web Sites for Families

Bsafe Online

www.bsafehome.com

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This site is a vertical service provider (VSP) that distributes and supports a new and growing line of Internet filtering and security applications for the home, school and small business markets.

KidsClick!

www.kidsclick.org, <http://sunsite.berkeley.edu/KidsClick>

This is a search engine designed by librarians to guide young Internet users to quality, age appropriate Web sites.

KIDS FIRST!

www.cqcm.org/kidsfirst/index.shtml

Sponsored by the Coalition for Quality Children's Media (CQCM), a national not-for-profit, voluntary collaboration between the media industry, educators and child advocacy organizations. The mission of CQCM is to teach children the skills to become critical media users and to increase the availability of quality children's media. Although KIDS FIRST! does not presently evaluate Web sites, the principles and articles presented are applicable to children's Internet use.

Kidz Privacy

www.ftc.gov/bcp/online/edcams/kidzprivacy/index.html

This site is a campaign to spread awareness of the Federal Trade Commission's 1998

Children's Online Privacy Protection Act and offers tips to keep children safe from online predators.

Parents Guide to the Internet

www.ed.gov/pubs/parents/internet

This online publication was written by the U.S. Department of Education, Office of Educational Research and Improvement. The guide helps parents bridge the gap between what children know and what they know to be able to assist children with their school work and help them get ready for the information age of the next century.

A Parents' Guide to the Internet...and how to protect your children in cyberspace

www.familyguidebook.com/aboutbooksubindex.html

This is an excellent online book that offers comprehensive discussion and guidance for parents concerned about Internet usage by children.

Protecting Children Online

www.sdcounty.ca.gov/cnty/cntydepts/safety/da/protecting/index.html

Sponsored by the County of San Diego District Attorney, this is an example of a local Web site that provides statistics and direction for parents concerned with keeping children safe from Internet predators.

Yahooligans! Parents' Guide

www.yahooligans.com/parents/index.html

This Web site offers resources and articles about safe surfing, monitoring, policy-making and online security.

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Aftab, P. (1999). *The Parent's Guide to Protecting Your Children in Cyberspace*. New York, NY: McGraw Hill.

Bullard, S. (1997). *Teaching Tolerance: Raising Open-Minded, Empathetic Children*. New York, NY: Doubleday.

de Becker, G. (2000). *Protecting the Gift: Keeping Children and Teenagers Safe (and Parents Sane)*. New York, NY: Dell.

Gralla, P. and Kinkoph, S. (2000). *The Complete Idiot's Guide to Protecting Your Child Online*. Indianapolis, IN: Que.

Howells, J. and Watson, J. (2001). *Essential Computers: Parental Control*. New York, NY: Dorling Kindersley Publishing.

Hughes, D.R. and Campbell, P. (1998). *Kids Online: Protecting Your Children in Cyberspace*. North Dartmouth, MA: Baker Books.

Junion-Metz, G. (2000). *Coaching Kids for the Internet: A Guide for Librarians, Teachers and Parents*. Berkeley, CA: Library Solutions Press.

- Kehoe, B.P. and Mixon, V.A. (1997).** *Children and the Internet: A Zen Guide for Parents and Educators.* **Saddle River, NJ: Prentice Hall.**
- Lathrop, A. and Foss, K.E. (2000).** *Student Cheating and Plagiarism in the Internet Era: A Wake-up Call.* **Englewood, CO: Libraries Unlimited.**
- Levin, J.R, Baroudi, C. and Young, M.L. (2000).** *The Internet for Dummies, 8th ed.* **Hungry Minds Incorporated.**
- Mandel Family. (1999).** *Cyberspace for Kids: 600 Sites That Are Kid-Tested and Parent Approved (Grades 1-2).* **Grand Rapids, MI: Instructional Fair-TS Denison.**
- Mintzer, R. (2000).** *The Everything Kids' Online Book: E-Mail, Pen Pals, Live Chats, Home Pages, Family Trees, Homework and Much More!* **Avon, MA: Adams Media Corporation.**
- Panzarine, S. (2001).** *Teenagers and the Internet: What Every Parent Should Know.* **Westfield, NJ: The Town Book Press.**
- Raymond, I. (2001).** *A Parent's Guide to the Internet.* **Mars Publishing.**
- Schwartau, W. and Busch, D.L. (2001).** *Internet & Computer Ethics for Kids (and Parents & Teachers Who Haven't Got a Clue).* **Interpact Press.**
- Stern, C., and Bettmann, E.H. (2000).** *Hate Hurts: How Children Learn and Unlearn Prejudice.* **New York, NY: Scholastic.**
- West, T. (1997).** *A Parent's Guide to the Internet: Raising Your Family on the Information Superhighway.* **Sivart Publishing.**

Suggested Resources for Educators

The following list consists of recommended Web sites and books that are available for teachers and librarians to help them promote safe and educational use of the Internet to their students.

Web Sites for Educators

AT&T Learning Network: Resources for Teachers

www.att.com/learningnetwork/teachers

This comprehensive site is self-described as the place “where education and technology e-merge.”

ProQuest: Information and Learning

www.bigchalk.com/cgi-bin/WebObjects/WOPortal.woa/db/Home.html

This site provides an extensive spectrum of educational Internet services to teachers, students, parents, librarians and school administrators involved in K-12 education. The site is divided into easy to navigate sections for teachers (by level), students, librarians/media specialists, and parents.

Children on the Internet

www.otal.umd.edu/UUPractice/children

This document analyzes the elements of quality educational Web sites. Statistics and tips on Internet usage by children are offered as well as a list of recommended sites.

Education Planet: The Education Web Guide

www.educationplanet.com

This Web site directs teachers, students and parents to web-based educational web tools and e-learning services. An Extensive ‘Search’ option links the user with over 20,000 educational supplies for all grade levels. Teachers share ideas on how to integrate technology into curriculum.

NZiTech Network’s Safety Online: Building Safer Online Communities

<http://www.nzitech.net/safety/index.htm>

This online publication is a safety resource guide for Educators and Parents. The guide aims to help educators, teachers, and parents decide on strategies to help protect their students and children online. It includes information about dangers, strategies for protection, monitoring, filtering, and empowering your children to make effective decisions when using the Internet.

Yahooligans!: Teachers’ Guide

www.yahooligans.com/tq/index.html

This site offers many online lesson plans by subject and general resources for teaching Internet literacy including use policies and related links.

Books for Educators

Bissell, J.S., A. Manring, and V. Rowland. (2001). *Cybereducator: The Internet and World Wide Web for K-12 and Teacher Education*. New York, NY: McGraw-Hill.

DiGeorgio, M., and Lesage, S. (2001). *The 21st Century Teachers' Guide to Recommended Internet Sites*. New York, NY: Neal-Schuman Publishers.

Gimotty, S.L., J. McClay, and R. Olmedo. (1998). *Computer Activities through the Year: Grades 4-8*. Westminister, CA: Teachers Credited Materials.

Gordon, D.T. (2000). *Digital Classroom: How Technology is Changing the Way We Teach and Learn*. Cambridge, MA: Harvard Education Letter.

Heide, A., and Henderson, D. (2001). *Active Learning in the Digital Age Classroom*. Portsmouth, NH: Heinemann.

Heide, A., and Stilborne, L. (1999). *The Teacher's Complete & Easy Guide to the Internet, 2nd ed.* New York, NY: Teachers College Press.

Hird, A. (2000). *Learning from Cyber-Savvy Students: How Internet-Age Kids Impact Classroom Teaching*. Sterling, VA: Stylus Publishing.

Kendall, J.S. and Marzano, R.J. (2000). *Content Knowledge: A Compendium of Standards and Benchmarks for K-12 Education, 3rd ed.* Alexandria, VA: Association for Supervision & Curriculum Development.

Miller, E.B. (2000). *The Internet Resource Directory for K-12 Teachers and Librarians, 2000/2001 ed.* Englewood, CO: Libraries Unlimited.

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Mitchell, K. (1999). *Teachers on the Internet: Using it in the Classroom*. Instructional Fair-TS Denison.

Provenzo, E.F. (2001). *The Internet and the World Wide Web for Teachers, 2nd ed.* Boston, MA: Allyn & Bacon.

Shelly, G.B., Cashman, T.J. and Randolph, G. (2001). *Teachers Discovering Computers, Integrating Technology in the Classroom, 2nd ed.* Course Technology, Inc.

Stern, C., and Bettmann, E.H. (2000). *Hate Hurts: How Children Learn and Unlearn Prejudice*. New York, NY: Scholastic.

Suggested Resources for Students

The following Web sites and books are recommended for youth who use the Internet for schoolwork or entertainment.

Web Sites for Students

America Links Up: A Kids Online Teach-In

www.getnetwise.org/americalinksup/index2.html

America Links Up: AKids Online Teach-In is a public awareness and education campaign sponsored by a broad-based coalition of non-profits, education groups, and corporations concerned with providing children with a safe and rewarding experience online. This site contains a number of valuable resources for parents and kids.

Ask Jeeves for Kids

www.ajkids.com

This site is an easy and kid-friendly way for kids to find answers to their questions online. A student enters a question and the engine returns one link that has been reviewed to assure quality, appropriate content. Designed to be a fun destination site focused on learning and “edutainment.” The service combines human editorial judgment with filtering technology to enable kids to find both relevant and appropriate answers on the Web. This site also includes study tools, games, and a message board.

Kid Pix

www.kidpix.com

This Web site is sponsored by The Learning Company School Division and is a popular multimedia creativity title in schools across the nation.

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KidsClick!

www.kidsclick.org

This is a search engine designed by librarians to guide young Internet users to quality, age appropriate Web sites.

Yahooligans! TheWeb Guide for Kids

www.yahooligans.com

Books for Students

Dyson, M.J. (2000). *Homework Help on the Internet*. New York, NY: Scholastic.

Gralla, P. (1999). *Online Kids: A Young Surfer’s Guide to Cyberspace*, 2nd ed. John Wiley & Sons.

Meers, T and Caldwell, T. (1999). *101 Best Web Sites for Kids*. Lincolnwood, IL: Publications International, Ltd.

- Pedersen, T and Moss, F. (2001).** *Internet for Kids! A Beginner's Guide to Surfing the Net.* New York: Price Stern Sloan Publishing.
- Polly, J.P. (2001).** *The Internet Kids & Family Yellow Pages, 2002.* New York, NY: McGraw-Hill.
- Sabbeth, C. (1995).** *Kids' Computer Creations: Using Your Computer for Art & Craft Fun.* Charlotte, VT: Williamson Publishing.
- Trumbauer, L. (2000).** *Homework Help For Kids on the Net (Cool Sites).* Brookfield, CT: Millbrook Press.

Additional Online Resources

Critical Thinking

Critical thinking: Promoting it in the classroom. ERIC Digest. (ED 306554)
www.ed.gov/databases/ERIC_Digests/ed306554.html

Critical thinking skills and teacher education. ERIC Digest. (ED 297003)
www.ed.gov/databases/ERIC_Digests/ed297003.html

Three definitions of critical thinking
www.criticalthinking.org/k12/k12library/definect.nclk

Teaching critical reading through literature. ERIC Digest. (ED 363869)
www.ericfacility.net/ericdigests/ed363869.html

Untangling the Web: Critical Thinking in an Online World
www.library.ucsb.edu/untangle/jones.html

Hate on the Internet

A parent's guide to hate on the Internet: Helping your child safely navigate the information highway
www.adl.org/issue_education/parents_guide_hate_net.asp#1

The Consequences of Right-Wing Extremism on the Internet
www.adl.org/internet/extremism_rw/before.asp

Combating Extremism in Cyberspace: The Legal Issues Affecting Internet Hate Speech
www.adl.org/Civil_Rights/newcyber.pdf

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Internet Safety for Children

Children Online
www.aacap.org/publications/factsfam/online.htm

Children's Online Privacy Protection Act of 1998 (COPPA)
www.cdt.org/legislation/105th/privacy/coppa.html

A Critical Framework for Media Literacy
www.media-awareness.ca/enq/med/biqpict/mlframe.html

SafeKids.com
<http://safekids.com>

Teen Safety on the Information Highway

www.ncmec.org/missingkids/servlet/ResourceServlet?languageCountry=en_US&PageId=0

Useful Statistics

Computers and the Internet

<http://kids.infoplease.lycos.com/ipka/A0772279.html>

Filtering Programs Useful but Far from Perfect

www.safekids.com/articles/filtering2000.htm

Home Computers and Internet Use in the United States: August 2000

www.census.gov/prod/2001pubs/p23-207.pdf

How Many Online?

www.nua.ie/surveys/how_many_online/index.html

Internet and Web Use in the United States: Baselines for Commercial Development

<http://elab.vanderbilt.edu/research/papers/html/manuscripts/baseline/internet.demos.july9.1996.html>

Internet Users in the U.S.

<http://kids.infoplease.lycos.com/ipka/A0778257.html>

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The Land of Confusion? High School Students and their Use of the World Wide Web for Research

www.michaellorenzen.net

The National Center for Education Statistics

<http://nces.ed.gov>

Safe and Smart: Research and Guidelines for Children's Use of the Internet

www.nsbj.org/safe-smart/index.html

Third of UK Children Use Internet

http://cyberatlas.internet.com/big_picture/demographics/article/0,1323,5901_150351,00.html

U.S. Tops World in Online Time

www.childrenow.org/newsroom/news-00/cam-ra-8-7-00.htm