

The Best Internet Homeschool Resources:

Reference:

Merriam–Webster Language Center

The complete Merriam–Webster Collegiate Dictionary and Thesaurus online — free and searchable with definitions and audio pronunciations. You can also read the Word of the Day, play Word Games, and purchase books and CDs.

Encyclopedia.com

The Internet's premiere free encyclopedia! Newly updated and expanded with more than 50,000 articles plus links giving you access to millions of articles and pictures in Electric Library, Encyclopedia.com puts tons of information right at your fingertips. It's free, quick and useful! Discover the best information available and get your answer fast – with Encyclopedia.com.

Information Please

Information Please is the world's largest free reference site. Here you can find facts on thousands of subjects including sports, entertainment, technology, business, education, and health.

Reference Desk.org

The Internet's Best Reference Source! Dictionaries, Encyclopedias, Thesaurii, Facts of the Day, and much more!

ONE LOOK DICTIONARIES

Search for a word or term in an online Internet dictionary or glossary. Free search access to a frequently updated database of words, terms, names, acronyms vs Internet links to online dictionaries and glossaries.

LIBRARY OF CONGRESS

Welcome to the Library of Congress, the nation's oldest federal cultural institution. The Library preserves a collection of nearly 121 million items, more than two–thirds of which are in media other than books. These include the largest map, film and television collections in the world. In addition to its primary mission of serving the research needs of the U.S. Congress, the Library serves all Americans through its popular Web site and in its 22 reading rooms on Capitol Hill.

OCEAN PLANET

Ocean Planet, premiered at the Smithsonian Institution's National Museum of Natural History from April 1995 to April 1996, where it attracted nearly two million visitors. This electronic online companion exhibition contains all of the text and most of the panel designs and images found in the traveling exhibition.

NASA SPACE ONLINE

NASA is deeply committed to spreading the unique knowledge that flows from its aeronautics and space research.

THE DISCOVERY CHANNEL

The award–winning Discovery Channel Online is your web–guide to all things science, nature, animals, technology, history, adventure and exploration. Features include: up–to–the–minute science news, real–time international expeditions and original in–depth feature editorials.

Homeschool Magazines:

About.com Homeschooling Magazines

Magazines useful to homeschoolers, available online or by mail.

[At Home In America](#)

A free publication by homeschool veterans: online or printed versions.

[Charlotte Mason Monthly](#)

A free email newsletter dedicated to the methods and philosophies of Charlotte Mason, a British educator from the late 1800's.

[Free Algebra Newsletter](#)

Free monthly newsletter created to help children understand and excel in algebra. For teachers, tutors, parents, and homeschoolers.

[F.U.N. News](#)

The quarterly newsletter of the Family Unschoolers Network.

[Growing Without Schooling](#)

Focus on John Holt and unschooling.

[Home Education Learning Magazine \(HELM\)](#)

A bimonthly print publication focusing on independent learning and self-directed education

[Home Education Magazine](#)

Largest and most widely respected magazine for homeschoolers, published since 1984. Articles and columns from current and back issues archived on site. Also free newsletter, discussion boards, library, and more.

[Home Educator's Family Times](#)

Offering practical and useable articles to help parents and children succeed. Also, discussion lists, online help and support desk and resource network featuring excellent products.

[Home School Digest](#)

A national quarterly publication for serious homeschoolers. Nearly 100 pages focusing on lifestyle issues with Christian perspective.

[Home School Headlines](#)

A Free online publication to support, inform & empower homeschoolers."

[Homefires – The Journal of Homeschooling](#)

Articles include educational philosophy, learning differences and styles, and include open-ended curriculum supplementation in all subjects.

[Homeschool Fun Online Magazine](#)

Has many online articles on homeschooling and related topics.

[Homeschooling Today](#)

At this site you may see the master list of homeschool fairs and events, read computer and software reviews and subscribe to the magazine. Written from a Christian perspective.

[Patriarch](#)

A Christian magazine for homeschooling dads.

[Practical Homeschooling Magazine](#)

A Mary Pride publication. Some features include product reviews, looking at a day with another homeschooling family, and applause for homeschooler's achievements.

Sports Spectrum Magazine

Biographies with a Christian emphasis.

The Teaching Home

This magazine is written for homeschoolers by homeschoolers and has been around since 1980. Their purpose is to provide information, inspiration, and support to Christian home-school families and Christian home-school state and national organizations.

Texas Home School Coalition Review

A free quarterly magazine published by the Texas Home School Coalition "by Texans, for Texans." Articles about home schooling in Texas and an "alert" newsletter about items that effect home schooling being considered in the Texas legislature.

Unless The Lord ... Magazine

For Christian homeschooling parents.

Free Things for Educators!

This site contains many sources of free items for educators! Preschool thru 12th grade. Public school, private school, home school. Updated often!

GIGGLE POTZ

Teaching and Learning Resources for students, teachers and parents

Home Education Magazine

Home Education Magazine presents free online newsletters, discussion boards, a networking list, and selections from the magazine, including articles, interviews, columnists, resources, reviews and more!

Homeschool Central

Homeschool Central is the place for homeschoolers and those interested in homeschooling to find all of the homeschool resources they need.

SCHOOL EXPRESS

chool Express is a an educational portal website. Follow our links to thousands of Free Worksheets, hundreds of Free Software programs, Online Kids Activities, ePhonics, and links to hundreds of educational websites.

BARB'S PEOPLE BUILDERS

New &used books for children, education, and homeschooling

EDUCATION WORLD

Lesson Planning Center!

PRO TEACHER

Teacher Resources

SCHOOL DAYS

Features Teachers' Lounge, ideas &more

TEACHER VISION

Teacher lesson plans & classroom management

THE RESOURCEFUL TEACHER

Features educational webpage graphics

A to Z Home's Cool Homeschooling

A complete homeschooling community and portal site: chat, boards, events, articles, kids' sites, links to learning materials, support groups and laws worldwide.

Aaron's Home School Place

Family page with information and links about home schooling.

Abecedarian Academy Homepreschool

This site provides an overview about ways to begin homepreschool. It includes resources, useful links, and articles about the 'unpreschooling' concept.

Aletheia's Homeschool Learning Page

A humorous site about teenage homeschoolers. Contains knowledge useful to all.

Amy's Silly Homepage

Homepage designed and written by an 8 year old homeschooler. Has information about homeschooling, activities, crafts, writing, and SETI, as well as coloring pages and more.

About.com Homeschooling Community

Homeschooling community with annotated links, unit studies, games, chat, forum, and weekly newsletter.

Absolute Authority on Home Schooling

A comprehensive collection of content, community, and tools available on the subject of home schooling.

Adventures and travel for homeschoolers

Travel and tour services for homeschoolers all across the U.S. From preset tours and adventures to customized travel, homeschoolers receive many travel services for their specific needs.

Allexperts Home Schooling Q&A

Volunteer Experts (people who have actually taught their children using home schooling) answer your detailed one-on-one questions on how to home school your kids for free.

The BIG list of Internet Homeschoolers

A Large guestbook of homeschoolers. Go and add your homeschool family to the list.

Bird Family Homeschooling

Information about homeschooling. Links to essays, useful sites, unit studies, and classic children's literature list.

Bresnahan Family Page

A Mormon family from Utah shares about their state and homeschool experiences.

A Brief Personal Background

A biography of a mom that has homechooled for 11 years

Charlotte Mason Approach

Articles to help apply the Charlotte Mason approach.

[Chris Cardiff's Homepage: Free Minds Require Free Educational Markets](#)

A collection of articles.

[Christian Homeschool Resource Center](#)

Christian and homeschool resource center created by the Howard family in Japan.

[Coleman Family Home Page](#)

Homeschool info

[Deborah's Homeschool Page](#)

Deborah has done a great job with her homeschool page. You will want to check it out.

[The Eckhardt Family Home-school Home-page](#)

Site has information on homeschooling & encouragement for stay-at-home moms & Christian families.

[EasyFunSchool.com](#)

Provides free articles, resource links, a newsletter, and other features to help make homeschooling easier and more enjoyable.

[Eclectic Homeschool Online](#)

An online homeschool community with extensive resources and support for creative homeschoolers.

[FamilyEducation.com Homeschooling](#)

Discussion boards, quizzes, articles, expert advice, and software downloads.

[Furious Shepherd's Homeschooling Links](#)

Hundreds of homeschooling and educational links.

[Family home schooling site](#)

This site contains info and links for homeschooling, ADD/ADHD, violent crime prevention, and lung cancer info.

[Goehringer-Jennings Home Page](#)

A Pennsylvania family shares their homeschooling experiences and favorite links.

[Gregg Family Home \(Homeschooling, Kids' Stuff, more\)](#)

Each family member has their own part of the Home. The kids each have a room filled with stuff they love, Hairpin's Garden has homeschooling and other stuff planted there, and Pappy's garage has fly fishing equipment and Army gear. Pets and places we've lived too.

[Haven Happenings](#)

Articles by and for homeschoolers.

[The Holiday Zone: Activities for English Language Learners](#)

Home-schooling friendly site offers parents and kids a variety of seasonal language-rich activities

[Home Educated Activities Teams, Inc.](#)

A full service home education organization to assist home educators with support, activities, team sports, and an umbrella school.

[Home Sweet Home-School](#) – Hundreds of homeschool resource links, articles, unschooling and encouragement forums,

and virtual field trips.

[The Home-Ed Mailing List](#)

Home education mailing list. It has a huge amount of traffic.

[Home's Cool](#) – Large homeschool site offering information, comments and stories, chat, forums, classifieds, and auctions.

[Homeschool Central](#) – Provides many resources necessary to be a successful homeschooler.

[The Homeschool Grapevine](#)

A listing of homeschool events for each of the fifty states.

[Homeschool Highway to Learning](#)

Complete Resource information for the beginning homeschooler. Free newsletter, free curriculum information, chat room and online bookstore.

[The Homeschool Oasis](#)

Encouragement for those considering it, starting out or burning out. Plan to spend some time exploring this 300-plus page site.

[Homeschool Teacher's Lounge](#)

Teaching ideas for structured homeschoolers. Includes weekly articles and a bulletin board for exchanging ideas.

[Homeschool Zone](#)

Comprehensive site for home educators, parents and kids with information on starting homeschooling and resources to support your program with online support groups and newsletters.

[HomeSchoolCrossing.com](#)

A free site that includes the Exchange online auction, the EagleEye bookstore price search and comparison tool, the Activities and Events local events calendar, and discussion forums.

[HomeSchooler.Net](#)

Provides information, activities, fun and games, chatrooms, forums, legal information, email pal matching, a free homepage service and free web based email to homeschoolers worldwide.

[4Homeschooling](#)

Links to national organizations, curriculum ideas and supplies, chat and discussion groups, and software and record keeping for homeschoolers.

[Homeschooling 101: Why We Do It](#)

Part of NPR's All Things Considered: The Changing Face of America series.

[Homeschooling Dads](#)

A refreshing site from the Dad's perspective.

[Home Kids](#)

Homeschoolers: Submit your stories, poems and recipes to be published on our site! Read other neat submissions from other "home kids". Site is run by a homeschooling, Christian family.

[Home-Is-School! Home-Is-Cool!](#)

Christian & homeschool resource page of the Howard family. Information on Christianity, homeschool, parenting, and

military homeschool families.

[Homeschool at Sassafrass Grove](#)

A vast site for home education info and ideas including worksheets and tools and hundreds of links on pertinent topics in all subject areas.

[Homeschool Helpworx A Simple Guide To Homeschooling](#)

Help for the homeschooling family. Free worksheets, forms, ABC's, 123's, curriculum requirements for grade levels, developmental characteristics for children, shapes, colors etc.

[Homeschool.com](#)

Your virtual home school, resources and information for homeschooling families.

[Homeschooling](#)

Home Education allows for more individual learning styles. Families are free to spend more time together while learning together. Learning is a life-long process and should be pleasureable. Resources and newsletter.

[Homeschooling101](#)

How to home school your children, while holding down a full time job.

[Homeschooling Catholic](#)

Why one family homeschools, a list of Catholic curriculums on the internet, a list of families with homeschooling web pages and FREEBIES for homeschooling families.

[Hughes Family Homepage](#)

This family tells about their homeschool and the challenges of raising a child with Down's Syndrome.

[Hut's Hut](#)

This Homeschool Mom has spent hours combing the web and these are her favorites.

[Jennings Homeschool Page](#)

Provides information for families who want to homeschool in Missouri, and also tells about their personal experiences.

[Joan's Referrals](#)

Homeschooling Mom and her ideas on homeschooling, adoption, and earning money online.

[Jon's Homeschool Resource Page](#)

A large collection of homeschool resources. Online support groups, regional support groups, FAQs, discussion boards, chat, mailing lists and links.

[Kid Country USA](#)

This site is from the oldest four children of a family of seven homeschooled children. It is their on-line newsletter and games to print out and play.

[Lackey Family Home Page](#)

Our site has homeschooling tips and links to great curriculum sources.

[Little Lambs School at Home](#)

Christian family homeschool site.

[Lighthouse Homeschool](#)

Offers in–depth homeschooling organizational help and resource information, books, crafts, recipes and coloring projects, interactive games, chat and a weekly encouragement page.

Lytingale's Homeschool & Educational Resources Listing

Hundreds of categorized and described links to sites for homeschoolers and others interested in education; testing resources.

Magistra's Homeschooling Page

This site has information about homeschooling, Classical Christian Education, disabilities, my church, and gerbils.

Maple Woods Homeschool

Michigan eclectic homeschool site for other homeschoolers or those thinking of homeschooling. The site features links to curriculum, lesson plans and more. Come see what others are doing!

Matthew's Family Home School

Seasonal links of educational value, favorite sayings, their kids' pages, games and more.

The McKie's

Favorite field trips and home education experiences, and homeschooling in South Carolina are featured here.

Melly's Place

Homeschooling Christian family trying to be like Jesus!!!

Mom's Home

A homeschool family from Texas shares some favorite things about their homestate, their curriculum, educational links, and study helps for the subject of Egypt.

My Home School World!

An informative and fun site catering to the educational needs of the family.

Nabrit Family Adventure

This African–American family has homeschooled for over seven years. The site offers reference and link content as well as practical info on homeschooling and male rites of passage.

Perkins Family Homepage

A Resource for Christian Families. – Christian home page with resources for the family: homeschooling resources, encouragement, childrens Bible studies, activities, games, family fun, holiday celebrations, hot links, and more.

Petz Family School

A homeschool family with an educational site. Take a look at what they have been working on and submit your work to share with other homeschoolers.

Raise Up A Child

The goal of this site is to bring homeschooling and educational information and resources together into one comprehensive unit that can be accessed with ease and convenience.

Rubicon Academy Homeschool

We began homeschooling our children in order to ensure that they receive the best education to prepare them for the challenges of the future. We stress thinking skills and independence.

Scarlett's Home on the Web

A Christian site with homeschool resources, Bible studies, recipes, and other useful information for families.

[Sunnshin's Homeschool Page](#)

Information on homeschooling, suggested reading, support groups and online assistance

[Welcome to the Early's Home](#)

Great ideas for book report alternatives and more from the Early family.

[WindyCreek Homeschool](#)

Come on in and join the Lande family at WindyCreek Homeschool. Ideas for homeschooling highschoolers using AP courses, college courses, distance education, etc. Chores and organization. Children's newsletter, children's writing. Web based curricula. This is a child-safe and family oriented site.

[You Can Teach Your Kids at Home](#)

Provides learning activities geared toward preschoolers. Includes teaching tips, story stretchers, and a guide to getting started.

[The Zentek Family Welcomes You!](#)

A family with young children shares their plans for educating their children, and tells of their family newsletter that helps their children keep their language arts skills polished.

Teaching & Learning

[Character Building Company](#)

Musical character education curriculum for homeschoolers.

[classicapple.com](#)

K – 2nd grade curriculum.

[Covenant Home Curriculum](#)

K–12 curriculum from a reformed Christian world view.

[Crosswalk.com Curriculum Guide](#)

Reviews and online shopping for curriculum.

[EasyHomeschool](#)

Economical alternatives for curriculum.

[e-Tutor](#)

Internet-based curriculum for K–12.

[The First Online K–12 Homeschool](#)

Online homeschool providing a complete k–12 education.

[Free Online Phonics Classes on the Net](#)

Teaches how to improve reading skills.

[FunWay2Learn](#)

Book with preschool games that get children moving and learning.

[Homeschool Associates](#)

Curriculum design and support to families.

[The Homeschool Planbook](#)

Planners for tracking lesson plans, grades, hours, and attendance.

[Homeschool Specialists Textbook Catalog](#)

Online textbook catalog for homeschoolers.

[Homeschool Your Child for Free](#)

Reviews, ratings, of free homeschool resources.

[Homeschooling Supplies](#)

Australian mail order book seller of homeschooling materials.

[Honeycomb Instructional Material](#)

Order homeschooling materials from various publishers.

[How to Write](#)

College Prep Writing using all free online curriculum.

[Intellikit](#)

Promotes thinking skills by discussing moral issues.

[Internet Home School](#)

Direct online K-12 instruction in a variety of subjects.

[King's Harvest](#)

Christian homeschool shares curriculum, links, and freebies.

[KiteCD Educational Resources](#)

Educational resources and links for homeschoolers.

[The L.A.M.B. Company Curriculum](#)

Curriculum that is custom designed around the needs of each student.

[Marie's Penmanship Series](#)

Master the art of handwriting, calligraphy, and manuscript.

[Neuro-Learning Systems](#)

Help for reading problems.

[New Century](#)

Homeschool resources and curriculum.

[Pearables](#)

Character curriculum and Bible studies for all ages.

[Preschool curriculum](#)

Prepare a child for kindergarten.

Professor Mom's Schoolhouse

Sells various homeschool curriculum.

Randi's Reruns Homeschool Resources

Homeschool materials.

Robinson Curriculum

K-12 self-teaching curriculum consisting of 22 CD-ROMs.

Saxon Publishers

K-12 mathematics, phonics, and physics.

Slow and Steady, Get Me Ready

Home education for ages one to four.

Sonlight Curriculum

Pre-K through 12th grade homeschool curriculum.

StartWrite

Software that allows the parent to create handwriting worksheets for their children.

Tammy's

Curriculum and book reviews.

Units To Teach:

What is a Unit Study?

Article from HomeschoolInformation.com. Explains unit studies and links to several.

Core Knowledge Lesson Plans

Lesson plans and units using E.D Hirsch's Core Knowledge series of books.

Lego® Activities

Study activities using Lego bricks.

Marc's Lesson Plans Page

Unit studies, resources, information on special education.

Teacher's Helper

A new unit study, bible lesson, and health issue each month.

TeachWeb Online Classes

Free online classes and lesson plans.

Thematic Units for Primary Grades

Units based on appropriate children's literature.

Zone Unit Studies

Different Unit Study every week plus archive.

[AtoZ Thematic Units Index](#)

500 online lesson plans, thematic units, activities, ideas, and resources organized by theme.

[About.com Unit Studies](#)

Articles and ideas for unit studies, as well as online units.

[Acorn Academy](#)

Linked unit study directory and collected resources.

[Acorn Academy Study Guides](#)

Free unit study outlines to choose from.

[Collaborative Lesson Archive](#)

Lesson archive used and contributed to by thousands of teachers and homeschoolers.

[And What About Unit Studies?](#)

Unit studies, articles and resources for homeschoolers.

[Crossroads](#)

Offers unit studies, learning resources, and worksheets.

[Discovery Channel School](#)

Educational resource page with unit studies tying into their programming.

[Eclectic Homeschool](#)

Reviews of products, books, and resources for education in the homeschool.

[Eclectic Homeschool](#)

Free unit studies and information for creating your own.

[Heart of Wisdom](#)

Bible-based unit studies using living books (Charlotte Mason) and Christian materials.

[Heart of Wisdom](#)

Curriculum utilizing the Charlotte Mason and Delight Directed approach.

[Home Schooling Daily](#)

Family-oriented site containing theme study information.

[Homeschooling Homework](#)

Daily vocabulary words and geography and history questions.

[Home2Teach.com](#)

Free unit studies.

[Johnston Family Enterprises](#)

Units on Creation Science and Music.

[Let's Study Birds!](#)

Multi-sensory thematic study on birds for students 7 to 14.

[Links](#)

List of unit study resources.

[The Lord's Harvest](#)

Answering the question: "What are Unit Studies?"

[Mary's Unit Study Guides](#)

Help on creating unit study guides and free pre-made guides.

[Pimsleur Language Programs](#)

Learn Russian

[Quality Curriculum](#)

Thematic units for teachers and home school parents.

[Scout School](#)

How to use Girl Scout and Boy Scout badge requirements as unit studies.

[State Unit Studies](#)

Learn the geography of the US and information about every state.

[Textbook Mom](#)

Article about how a family uses study units.

[Unit Studies R Us](#)

Unit studies, lesson plans, workbooks, homeschool message board, email accounts, and family activities.

[Unit Study Helps](#)

Message board, FAQs, and e-mail homeschooling newsletter.

[Unit Study Helps](#)

Links, message board, FAQs and a newsletter.

[Unit Study Organization](#)

One homeschooling mother's method of organizing her unit study curriculum.

[Visual Manna](#)

Teaches visual art.

Freebies:

[The TOPEX/POSEIDON Informational CD-ROM: Perspectives on an Ocean Planet \(educational\)](#)

[Free Pocket Field Guide to Homeschooling](#)

[Chevron Cars](#)

free Freddy 4-Wheelers kids' Screensaver

Dot Auto Safety Hotline

free pencils, bookmarks, fake 100 dollar bills, stickers, &more

Madison Jason X

free frog bookmarks &online activities

McGruff

free kids' "McGruff's Bite Out of Crime" Comic Book

Operation 10 Book Cover Project

free "Good Thinking/The 10 Commandments" 10 book covers

Sacramento Water Works Association

free Mr. Leaky activity book for kids

Starbright Foundation

free diabetes games cd-rom for children with diabetes and those that want to learn more about diabetes.

The Puzzle Club®

Get to know your favorite characters by joining them in their great adventures! Free "The Puzzle Club Mystery Mansion" CD-Rom.

Winning At Home

free Home Court Advantage family cd-rom and 10 Ways to Win At Home decorative magnet, bring your family closer with God.

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