

Internet Sites for Middle School Level

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Listings for subjects in the curriculum online at <http://www.merrybee.info/subj.html>

Listings for uses of the Internet in the classroom at <http://www.merrybee.info/book.html>

- <http://www.ascd.org/portal/site/ascd/menuitem.b71d101a2f7c208cdeb3ffdb62108a0c/template.book?bookMgmtId=a16393cbc00d9010VgnVCM1000003d01a8c0RCRD>

Creating Literacy-Rich Schools for Adolescents

Selected chapters from this book by Gay Ivey and Douglas Fisher; includes “Interventions and Support for Struggling Adolescents”. Links to related resources.

- <http://www.kentonschools.org/mslocker/lockerms.html>

Electronic Locker

Learning aids for the middle school student, either original by the district or linked to another site. Online “pages” to fill in and print: note pad, web notes guide, and schedule for the week. Other tools: dictionary, thesaurus, scientific calculator, metric calculator, graphing calculator, bibliography helper. Links to search tools and homework help.

- <http://www.girlpower.gov/>

Girl Power!

Developed by the Department of Health and Human Services “to help encourage and empower 9- to 13-year-old girls to make the most of their lives.” News, activities, health topics, role models, and more. Searchable.



.Girl Power! is celebrating 6 years!...See what's up i

Welcome to the homepage for *Girl Power!*, the national public education campaign sponsored by the [U.S. Department of Health and Human Services](#) to help encourage and motivate 9- to 13-year-old girls to make the most of their lives. Girls at 8 or 9 typically have very strong attitudes about their health, so *Girl Power!* seeks to reinforce and sustain these positive values among girls ages 9-13 by targeting health messages to the unique needs, interests, and challenges of girls.



Search Girl Power!

- **<http://www.madison.k12.wi.us/tnl/detectives/>**
Internet Detectives
 An online publication by middle school students who locate, evaluate and annotate Internet sites with the coordination of teachers. Nothing has been added since May, 2003, but most of the links are still active and it is an example for students. grades 5-9
Middle-L Listserv
 Send an e-mail to: LISTSERV@POSTOFFICE.CSO.UIUC.EDU
 Leave the subject link blank.
 In the message area enter: SUBSCRIBE MIDDLE-L [your-first-name your-last-name]
 Example: SUBSCRIBE MIDDLE-L Ann Ames
- **<http://www.middleschool.net/>**
MiddleSchool.Net.
 Judy Horn, a K-12 training specialist, received backing from ASCD for this site designed to provide support to middle school educators. Sections for curriculum resources, technology resources, school leadership, standards, lesson plans, tutorials, and reference materials.
- **<http://www.middleweb.com>**
MiddleWeb.
 Read news items, articles and recommended links about curriculum, issues, and professional development. Use materials submitted by other teachers. Sign up for newsletter. Participate in teacher exchange through selecting one of the listservs or the weblog diaries of middle school teachers. Searchable.
- **<http://www.nmsa.org>**
NMSA.
 This site of the National Middle School Association contains resources, links, research summaries, and information on specific content areas and broader issues.
- **<http://www.tesd.k12.pa.us/tems/library/pathlist.htm>**
Pathfinders.
 A Pathfinder is a guide to resources that support student learning. These Pathfinders are created for specific units of study that students at Tredyffrin/Easttown Middle School (Pennsylvania) are completing. Each is identified as being for a grade 5-7.
- **http://www.readwritethink.org/lessons/lesson_view.asp?id=112**
THIEVES.
 Mini-unit (3 class periods) gives students a structure to preview nonfiction texts. This site is the lesson plan for the teacher, but students would then use materials from the site independently. Includes a link to the February 2002 article(pdf) from The Reading Teacher in which the THIEVES strategy was presented by Suzanne Manz. grades 6-8.
- **<http://www.waunakee.k12.wi.us/midlschl/lmtc.htm>**
Waunakee Middle School: Internet Links.
 This Wisconsin middle school has created a model library homepage. Examine the section Library & Internet Resources for fiction shelves and nonfiction shelves with links to Internet sites arranged by Dewey numbers. "Class Bookmarks" section has links for 7th grade and 8th grade courses and projects.

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