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Professional Magazines

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- <http://www.eduscapes.com/activate/>
activate: The Journal of Technology-Rich Learning.
Started by Annette Lamb with Winter, 2001 for all technology using educators. Articles are added throughout the quarter of publication and back issues are archived. Many of the articles were prepared for use in professional development workshops conducted by Annette Lamb, and permission is given to use in local workshops. Bee Tip: Explore *Literature Ladders* from summer 2008 to link books and Internet resources in your teaching. (And take a look at the Merry Bee Literature Guides. < <http://www.merrybee.info/ba/litguideindex.html> >)
- <http://www.ascd.org/portal/site/ascd/menuitem.a974c20759c3ae4cdeb3ffdb62108a0c/>
ASCD E-Publications.
Archived articles (since 1998) from Educational Leadership and Education Update (also from the no longer published Curriculum Update, Curriculum•Technology Quarterly, Journal of Curriculum and Supervision), as well as 16 How-To electronic books. Anyone can search the collection, but full-text access requires an ASCD membership or a \$3.00 payment per article. Many schools and teachers subscribe to ASCD publications however, and the online benefits to subscribers is a plus. For example, online study guide for each issue that can be used for discussions in professional development.
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- <http://glef.org/>
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- <http://www.eschoolnews.com/>
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- <http://www.fno.org/>
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- <http://teacher.scholastic.com/products/instructor.htm>
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- <http://www.infoday.com/MMSchools/>
MultiMedia & Internet@Schools Magazine.
Current postings of "breaking news" and access to recent postings by categories in the Research Centers section. Selected full-text features and reviews from the print version of the magazine focus on using electronic information resources in K-12 schools. Searchable, or browse archived past issues. Bee Tip: Check Linda Joseph's CyberBee Web Picks with annotated live links. (No relation to MerryBee)
- <http://www.nea.org/neatoday/>
NEA Today.
News stories. Selected articles from the print magazine, NEA Today. Archive of NEA Today Online from January 2000. Link in menu to member only section of additional resources. Searchable.
- http://my.nctm.org/eresources/journal_home.asp?journal_id=6
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- **<http://www.rethinkingschools.org/index.shtml>**
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- **<http://www.schoollibrarymedia.com/>**
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- **<http://www.techlearning.com/>**
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