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COOL FREE WEBSITES FOR A HOT SUMMER

Graphics Generator:

https://cooltext.com/

Cool Text is a **FREE** graphics generator for web pages and anywhere else you need an impressive logo without a lot of design work. Here's an example of a word made in seconds on cooltext.com



http://textanim.com/

Animate your text for web pages and for presentations in just a few seconds. Here's a sample:

moionia

Publishing tools:

Write a story and integrate their art into your work. https://storybird.com/

Miscellaneous:

Find amazing writing prompts in this website. They have a random prompt button with pictures to accompany the prompt.

http://writingprompts.tumblr.com/

Find that word that you've been thinking about all day but just can't seem to remember

http://chir.ag/projects/tip-of-my-tongue/

The Free Dictionary includes eighteen different dictionaries, including many other languages, a medical, legal, and financial dictionary, plus a thesaurus. http://www.tfd.com/

Folktales and Fairy Tales

Find American, Mexican, and Canadian folklore, Grimm's Fairy Tales, Hans Christian Anderson Fairy Tales, Russian folktales, and more, on our resources pages. In addition, the links to Project Gutenberg and ManyBooks.net will take you to more than 30,00 free books.

https://infotopia.info/folktales.html

Welcome!

Welcome to the students and teachers of Cleveland, Ohio! We're happy you are using Infotopia.info, Infotrek.info and Kidtopia.info for your research needs!

Attention: Teachers for Grades K-4

Are your students trying to do online research and discovering that the resources are just too difficult for their understanding? Our website/search engine https://www.kidtopia.info is designed to be age- and subject- appropriate for these students. Websites are selected only if recommended by teachers and librarians for these levels.

If you need additional resources, please let us know. Many of our resources were developed based on requests from teachers and librarians.

Check out our main content pages:

https://www.kidtopia.info/science.html

https://www.kidtopia.info/social_studies.html

https://www.kidtopia.info/arts.html

https://www.kidtopia.info/language_arts.html

https://www.kidtopia.info/people.html

https://www.kidtopia.info/animals.html

https://www.kidtopia.info/educational games.html

https://www.kidtopia.info/countries.html

https://www.kidtopia.info/math.html













Monday, September 17th Constitution Day in the United States

Check out these resources:

https://www.infotopia.info/constitution_day.html

One of our favorite websites is Larry Ferlazzo's edublog on the Constitution (and many other topics.):

https://bit.ly/2n6e1yh

YouTube has a link to the SchoolHouse Rock video on the Preamble to the Constitution:

https://www.youtube.com/watch?v=0EfnNUt_nwY&feature=youtu.be



What's New?

Have you noticed anything new on our websites/search engines? Even though we do not collect any personal data from our users, we have converted all our sites to SSL. The usage of *SSL* ensures that all data transmitted between the web server and browser remains encrypted.

You can tell that a page is SSL secured if it has a green padlock and the URL begins with https://instead of http://

Do you and your students want to ask important questions of experts in the field of science? Try "Ask An Expert" below.

http://www.k12science.org/materials/resources/askanexpert/

Be sure to check out our other Infotopia/Kidtopia Newsletters below. (Use Adobe Acrobat to ensure that the links open easily.)

https://www.infotopia.info/newsletter.html

Our search engines/web directories include:

http://www.infotopia.info
http://www.kidtopia.info
http://www.kidtopiagames.com
http://www.infotrek.info
http://www.virtuallrc.com

http://www.academicindex.net http://www.teachertopia.info

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We appreciate your feedback and we love to hear from you!

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Why Use Infotopia instead of Google?

https://www.infotopia.info

- 1) Infotopia, a site created by school librarians for students and their teachers, is a directory and search engine including only websites recommended by teachers, librarians, and library and educational consortia.
- 2) Infotopia **is** a Google custom search engine of selected sites, so you get reliable resources in your search results, while still enjoying Google's cool search features.
- 3) You can recommend topics for which you need information and we will prepare new resources for inclusion on Infotopia.info

