

Fridge Footers

Kid-Friendly Websites to Have Hanging on Your Fridge

Language Arts-Reading, Writing, Language, Research

Scholastic Kids! <http://www.scholastic.com/kids/stacks/index.asp>

Star Fall <http://www.starfall.com/>
A great online, interactive reading program that works with fluency, letter-recognition, comprehension and exposure to both technology and literacy.

Family Playground <http://www.scholastic.com/parents/play/>
A scholastic-sponsored website that offers activities, printables, and interactive games for both parents and children under 6 to play together.

Read-Write-Think Student Materials and Interactive Games http://www.readwritethink.org/student_mat/index.asp
ReadWriteThink is a wonderful tool for all students to expand their minds of literacy, including reading, writing, and critical thinking skills through interactive tools and activities.

Fact Monster <http://www.factmonster.com/>
Learning how to research and find valid information on the internet is a critical thinking and reading skill. Using this kid-friendly search engine, students are able to find exactly what they are looking for.

PBS Kids <http://pbskids.org/read/>
The television network dedicates the vision of *raising leaders* using this parent/kid-friendly website full of resources, games and information.

Mathematics

Cool Math 4 Kids <http://www.coolmath4kids.com/>
An interactive website that breaks math down into themes or focuses, offering parent guidance and information, as well as dozens of fun, encouraging games and activities to choose from.

Math Playground <http://www.mathplayground.com/>
This website offers videos and a variety of math-focused themes such as word problems, flashcards, logic puzzles and more.

Kid Site—Mathematics <http://www.kidsites.com/sites-edu/math.htm>
A parent-created and approved search engine for kid-friendly websites that focus on mathematics throughout elementary, middle and high school.

JC-Schools Interactive Tutorials <http://jc-schools.net/tutorials/Interactive.htm>
A kid-friendly website collection, sorted by content-area, with dozens of interactive, online activities for students to gain deeper understanding of any subject.

American Library Association http://math-and-reading-help-for-kids.org/kids_games/index.html
The ALA has a section dedicated to math and reading games for children to use in support of literacy.

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Science

Kids Love to Know	http://kids.lovetoknow.com/wiki/Science_Websites_for_Kids Whatever your child wants to know about science, can be found here!
Science News for Kids	www.sciencenewsforkids.org News for kids, in a science way!
Try Science	http://www.tryscience.org/home.html Need science activities and experiments to try? Check this site out!
Kid Sites—Science	http://www.kidsites.com/sites-edu/science.htm A large kid-friendly database full of science websites and activities to explore.
Geocities	http://www.geocities.com/enchantedforest/tower/1217/third5.html Another large kid-friendly database full of science explorations and adventures ahead.
National Geographic for Kids	http://kids.nationalgeographic.com/Activities/ The infamous <i>National Geographic</i> magazine has created a kid-friendly expository awareness for science, combining non-fiction, research, and science, all into one!

Social Studies

Government for Kids	http://www.kids.gov/ This website acts as a kids portal to the U.S. government, finding activities, interactive media, and even printables to encourage students to know their world around them.
Ben's Guide to Government	http://bensguide.gpo.gov/subject.html Acting as a government-based database, <i>Ben Franklin</i> provides hundreds of websites and activities from A to Z about Social Studies!

Miscellaneous

Brain Pop and Brain Pop Jr	http://www.brainpop.com/ As a Rhoads on-campus tool, this website offers fun and entertaining learning experiences through cartoons and adventures of Tim and Moby in all subject areas and dozens of different themes. Username: RES – Password: blue
Ben's Guide to Government	http://bensguide.gpo.gov/subject.html As a database for kid-friendly websites, these are all linked to important government departments focusing on creating and raising awareness to our future leaders.
Apples for the Teacher	http://www.apples4theteacher.com Apples4theTeacher is a great tool that provide online, interactive activities for all students to use in every content area.