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Citing Sources

Citation Style for Research Papers - (Long Island University)

APA, Turabian, MLA, Chicago and AMA styles.

<http://www.liunet.edu/cwis/cwp/library/workshop/citation.htm>

The Citation Machine

This is an excellent resource because it provides an online form that students can use to cite their sources. They just choose the type of source, fill in the information and the Citation Machine creates the citation for them! Then they can copy and paste the citation into their research paper.

<http://citationmachine.net/>

Cross-Disciplinary Resources

The Biography Classroom

A&E and The History Channel are participating members of the educational nonprofit organization, Cable in the Classroom, which provides free cable services to qualified institutions. A&E and The History Channel air blocks of commercial-free programming every weekday morning (4am-5am ET and 6am-7am ET, respectively). [A&E Classroom](#) and [The History Channel Classroom](#) offer a variety of free teaching materials designed to complement the programs we air in the Cable in the Classroom series. These sites also include programming calendars, show descriptions and contest information.

<http://www.biography.com/classroom/>

The Library of Congress

The Library of Congress is the nation's oldest federal cultural institution, and is also the largest library in the world. The LOC website contains many primary resources housed at the library and is a great source of information about America. There are also links to many other useful websites. It is an evolving site with new collections being added each year.

<http://www.loc.gov/>

Teacher Planning Resources

Education World

This site includes a search engine for educational Web sites only; original content, including lesson plans, practical information for educators, information on how to integrate technology in the classroom, and articles written by education experts; site reviews; daily features and columns and much more.

<http://www.educationworld.com/>

Landmarks for Schools

Many links to educational resources for many different subject areas.

<http://www.landmark-project.com/index.php>

The History Channel Classroom

Check out the Speech Archives and This Day in History.

<http://www.historychannel.com/classroom/>

Teaching Tolerance Website

Founded in 1991 by the Southern Poverty Law Center, Teaching Tolerance supports the efforts of K-12 teachers and other educators to promote respect for differences and appreciation of diversity. We develop resources that speak to various academic subject areas and grade levels.

<http://www.tolerance.org/teach/index.jsp>

Learning About Different Cultures

e-Pals

Safely connect, collaborate and learn using our leading protected email and blog solutions for schools and districts

<http://www.epals.com>

Hispanic Heritage Month

Hispanic Heritage Month begins on September 15th, the anniversary of independence for five Latin American countries-Costa Rica, El Salvador, Guatemala, Honduras, and Nicaragua. In addition, Mexico declared its independence on September 16, and Chile on September 18.

The term Hispanic, as defined by the U.S. Census Bureau, refers to Spanish-speaking people in the United States of any race. On the 2000 Census form, 37 million people of Spanish/Hispanic/Latino origin could identify themselves as Mexican, Puerto Rican, Cuban, or "other Spanish/Hispanic/Latino." Hispanics are the fastest growing ethnic group in the U.S.

You'll find activities for students at <http://www.factmonster.com/spot/hhm1.html>

Education World offers cross-curricular lesson plans at http://www.education-world.com/a_lesson/lesson023.shtml

For students and teachers, here is Scholastic Magazine's feature. <http://teacher.scholastic.com/activities/hispanic/index.htm>

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The Cultures of the Olympic Peninsula

As digital technologies expand, there is growing concern that the cultures, languages, and lifestyles of the world's minority populations-especially indigenous peoples-are seriously threatened. Through its grant programs, the Institute of Museum and Library Services promotes awareness, appreciation, and preservation of the diverse cultures found in the states and territories of the United States.

One such program is the Community Museum Project of the University of Washington and its tribal, cultural, and educational partners in the Northwest Olympic Peninsula. Funded by an IMLS National Leadership Grant for Museum-Library collaboration, the project is bringing together community members to create an online museum and archives to increase cultural understanding, expand access to unique public and private cultural collections, and promote communication among the many diverse groups living in the area. <http://content.lib.washington.edu/communitymuseum/>

From *Primary Source*, the Institute of Museum and Library Services newsletter. http://www.imls.gov/closer/hlt_m0904.htm

English

Bartleby.com

This website provides copies of books online and free-of-charge. Books can be searched by Reference, Fiction, Non-fiction and Verse. Books are indexed by Author, Subject and Title. Links are provided to a/an encyclopedia, dictionary, thesaurus, quotations and English usage.

<http://www.bartleby.com/authors>

The Harvard Classics and The Harvard Shelf of Fiction

This website contains links to Harvard Classics.

<http://www.bartleby.com/hc/>

The Oxford Shakespeare

The 1914 Oxford edition of the Complete Works of William Shakespeare. This page contains links to 37 plays, 154 sonnets and miscellaneous verse.

<http://www.bartleby.com/70/>

History

Ancient Greek Civilizations

Provides information on ancient Greek civilizations.

<http://emuseum.mnsu.edu/prehistory/aegean/index.shtml>

Best of History Websites

An award-winning portal created for students, history educators, and general history enthusiasts. Here you'll find sites, rated for usefulness and accuracy, that will help you study or teach a wide variety of topics and periods in History.

<http://www.besthistorysites.net/>

Discover's Web

This web site holds a wealth of information about explorers and discovers of human history. Some of the categories include: Prehistory, Egypt, Phoenicia, Irish Monks, The Vikings, Marco Polo, Voyages to America, etc.

<http://www.win.tue.nl/cs/fm/engels/discovery/>

LOC Veterans History Project "Lessons of War"

A new collection of 18 fully digitized collections of materials submitted by veterans and civilians available on the Library of Congress Website. These individual stories are comprised of interviews, letters, photographs and written memoirs and is titled "Experiencing War: Stories from the Veterans History Project."

<http://www.loc.gov/warstories>

The World Factbook 2008

The U.S. government's complete geographical handbook, featuring 267 full-color maps and flags of all nations and geographical entities. Each country profile tracks such demographics as population, ethnicity and literacy rates, as well as political, geographical and economic data.

<http://www.bartleby.com/151/>

Microsoft Research Maps

This website, sponsored by Microsoft, lets you view satellite images of the United States. You can zoom in to view up-close images. You may be surprised at what you can find here!

<http://msrmaps.com/>

LOUIS: The Digital Library of Louisiana

Established in 1992, LOUIS combines the resources of Louisiana's public and private academic libraries to bring you a remarkable collection of resources that includes the Louisiana Purchase, African-American History resources, photographs from the New Orleans Chamber of Commerce, coastal ecology, Huey P. Long and lots more. You will also find teaching resources contributed through the work of a Teaching American History grant. All collections are searchable.

<http://louisd.louislibraries.org/>

Thomas Jefferson Papers

This collection of Thomas Jefferson Papers at the Library of Congress, when finished, will total more than 27,000 documents consisting of correspondence, memoranda, notes, commonplace books, financial account books, and manuscript volumes. This collection is the most important collection of Jefferson manuscripts in the world. The bulk of the correspondence and writings falls within the period 1775-1826 and encompasses the major events of the founding and growth of the United States in that era.

<http://memory.loc.gov/ammem/mjthtml>

Lewis and Clark Exhibit

In 1804, Lewis and Clark set out on an extraordinary journey of exploration. Theirs was not merely a physical trek to the Pacific and back, but a journey of the mind set in motion by a president impatient to learn as much as he could about the North American continent. Two hundred years later, their expedition inspires new journeys of the mind. The resources present a multi-disciplinary curriculum designed for grades four through twelve, and is divided into units that follow the major thematic sections of the exhibition.

<http://www.lewisandclarkexhibit.org/index.html>

Lincoln Institute Resources

Here are five websites on Abraham Lincoln and the people with whom he lived and worked. Wherever possible, the Lincoln Institute sites uses primary sources and provides "wide" quotes so that students can excerpt pieces of original material in preparing their own reports. You will find lesson plans and both internal and external links at each of these sites.

<http://www.abrahamlincoln.org/projects/index.html>

Science

eNature Online Field Guides

Detailed species descriptions of over 4,800 plants and animals.

http://www.enature.com/guides/select_group.asp

NASA's Earth Observatory

Provides new satellite imagery and scientific information about our home planet. The focus is on Earth's climate and environmental change. Any and all materials published on the Earth Observatory are freely available for re-publication or re-use, except where copyright is indicated. You are asked to give credit to NASA's Earth Observatory for its original materials.

<http://earthobservatory.nasa.gov/>

National Earthquake Information Center

Shows a map of the world. Students can click on regions of the map to view recent earthquakes. They can click on individual earthquakes to view information specific to that quake.

<http://earthquake.usgs.gov/regional/neic/>

Paleomap Project

Provides maps describing and illustrating plate tectonics.

<http://www.scotese.com/>

Periodic Table of the Elements

Interactive periodic table, click on the elements to view more information.

<http://pearl1.lanl.gov/periodic/default.htm>

SpacePix

This website contains spectacular pictures of planets, the International Space Station, MIR, etc.

<http://www.spacepix.net/default.htm>

Views of the Solar System

A vivid multimedia adventure unfolding the splendor of the Sun, planets, moons, comets, asteroids, and more. Discover the latest scientific information, or study the history of space exploration, rocketry, early astronauts, space missions, spacecraft through a vast archive of photographs, scientific facts, text, graphics and videos. Views of the Solar System offers enhanced exploration and educational enjoyment of the solar system and beyond.

<http://www.solarviews.com/eng/>