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## Which Resources Will Best Answer Your Questions?

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| <ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>* How is the weather in Bagdad different than in Iowa?</li> <li>* Is there any bad weather in the forecast for our ball game next Friday night?</li> </ul>   |    | <p><b>WEATHER...WEATHER</b><br/>Detailed information including forecasts and a climatological database</p>                               |
| <ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>* Where can I find a photo of today's breaking news?</li> <li>* Where can I find historical photos to support my primary source unit?</li> </ul>   |  | <p><b>U.S. AND WORLD NEWS</b><br/>Historical and current photos, audio clips, maps from the Associated Press archives</p>                |
| <ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>* What are some of the new features of Windows 7?</li> <li>* Where can I find a storyboard program for planning my multimedia presentation?</li> </ul>   |  | <p><b>21st CENTURY TOOLS</b><br/>An electronic help desk with a focus on technology integration (software and web tutorials)</p>         |
| <ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>* I want to practice my reading skills with an online book.</li> <li>* How is fiction different from nonfiction?</li> </ul>  |  | <p><b>PREK-3 LITERACY</b><br/>Fictional video storybooks paired with nonfiction e-books</p>  |
| <ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>* Why do some birds fly south for the winter? (background information on migration)</li> <li>* What geographic features led to the modernization of Eastern Europe? (maps)</li> </ul>                        |  | <p><b>ONLINE ENCYCLOPEDIA</b><br/>PreK-12th grade reference articles, multimedia, and teaching resources</p>                             |
| <ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>* What cultural differences are present across the Midwestern United States?</li> <li>* How are family celebrations different around the globe?</li> </ul>   |  | <p><b>DAILY LIFE &amp; CULTURE</b><br/>History, customs and lifestyles of the worlds' people</p>   |
| <ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>* I need a reliable article that describes current research on bioenergy.</li> <li>* How does a newspaper account of turmoil in the Middle East differ depending on the country of origin?</li> </ul>        |  | <p><b>RELIABLE &amp; REPUTABLE</b><br/>Full text magazines, newspapers, and reference books for teachers &amp; students</p>              |
| <ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>* Where can I find images without copyright issues to use on the web page I'm creating?</li> <li>* Where can I find photos of people in different occupations to use in my digital presentations?</li> </ul> |  | <p><b>GRAPHICS &amp; PICTURES</b><br/>Illustrations, fonts, sounds, web graphics, animations, and video, which are copyright cleared</p> |
| <ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>* Where can I find a video clip of a wind turbine in action?</li> <li>* I want to show a feature film clip that illustrates the concept of what is fair.</li> </ul>  |  | <p><b>STREAMED VIDEO</b><br/>Digital content, broken down into clips for streaming and downloading</p>                                   |
| <ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>* What are the pros and cons of the immigration debate?</li> <li>* How has global warming impacted our climate?</li> </ul>   |  | <p><b>SOCIAL ISSUES RESOURCE SERIES</b><br/>Articles exploring social, scientific, health, political and global issues - Pro vs. Con</p> |
| <ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>* I want to add popular music to my multimedia project that will be posted to the web and be legal with copyright.</li> </ul>  |  | <p><b>ROYALTY FREE MUSIC</b><br/>Perfect for podcasts, Power-Point™, videos, video yearbooks, digital storytelling and more!</p>         |
| <ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>* Where can I read real life stories from teenagers who are struggling with eating disorders?</li> <li>* I need to ask an adult I can trust about dealing with grief.</li> </ul>                             |  | <p><b>REAL LIFE, REAL ANSWERS</b><br/>Provides information for teens on drugs, alcohol, nutrition, mental health and more!</p>           |



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