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Information Literacy

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AGENDA

1. Internet Safety
 - a. Websites
 - b. Evaluating Websites: Webquests
 - c. Exercise
2. Information Fluency Continuum – NYCDOE school library curriculum
<http://schools.nyc.gov/NR/rdonlyres/BD4FDF5F-F45F-43AE-90BB-410BDBC641AF/6513/INFOFLUENCYCONTK12Final102006.pdf>
3. Students Using Technology
 - a. Research Methods: Super 3, Big 6
 - b. Internet Public Library <http://www.ipl.org>
 - c. NOVEL Databases - **New York Online Virtual Electronic Library**
 - d. EBSCO databases
 - i. Searchaurus
 - ii. KidSearch
 - e. Pathfinders
 - i. <http://www.ipl.org/div/pf/>
 - ii. <http://home.wsd.wednet.edu/pathfinders/path.htm>
 - iii. <http://www.sdst.org/shs/library/pathfindermodels.html>
 - f. Yahoo News Feeders
 - g. Powerpoint and Podcasting
 - h. Videoconferencing
 - i. <http://www.netc.org/digitalbridges/vc/>
 - ii. http://www.techlearning.com/db_area/archives/WCE/archives/smerrick.php
 - iii. <http://www.kn.pacbell.com/wired/vidconf/guidelines.html>
4. Online resources:
 - a. Dictionaries
 - i. <http://www.esldesk.com/dictionaries/index.htm>
 - ii. <http://www.ipl.org/div/subject/browse/ref28.05.00/>
 - iii. <http://www.onelook.com/index.php3?e=1>
 - iv. <http://www.logosdictionary.org/>
 - v. <http://www.giraffian.com/pictionary/?word=crab>
 - vi. <http://www.pdictionary.com/>
 - b. Thesauruses
 - i. <http://thesaurus.reference.com/>

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- ii. <http://www.visualthesaurus.com/>
 - iii. <http://www.infoplease.com/thesaurus>
 - iv. http://encarta.msn.com/thesaurus_/thesaurus.html
 - v. <http://www.rhymezone.com/>
- c. Encyclopedias
- i. <http://encarta.msn.com/>
 - ii. <http://www.ipl.org/div/subject/browse/ref32.00.00/>
 - iii. <http://www.britannica.com/>
- d. Language translators
- i. <http://babelfish.altavista.com/>
 - ii. <http://freetranslation.paralink.com/>
 - iii. <http://www.freetranslation.com/>
5. Programs that Read Text
- a. www.adobe.com/products/acrobat/readstep2.html
 - b. <http://sourceforge.net/projects/sayzme/>
 - c. <http://www.apple.com/safari/download/>-(Safari web browser)
6. Ebooks and Audiobooks
- a. <http://www.Teachingbooks.net>
 - b. <http://www.childrensbooksonline.org/>
 - c. <http://www.NYPL.org>
7. Reading Level Conversion Tables and Leveled Books
- a. http://www.hoagiesgifted.org/reading_levels.htm
 - b. <http://www.readinga-z.com/newfiles/correlate.html>
 - c. http://www.pps.k12.or.us/curriculum/literacy/leveled_books/lb_rr_level.pdf
 - d. <http://www.lexile.com/DesktopDefault.aspx?view=ed&tabindex=0&tabid=1>

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