

### Review 1

**All Areas**    **Improve Your Study Habits**

Title	Improve Your Study Habits
Category	All Learning Areas
Subject	Academic Success
Author	Robert J. Wilson, M.S., L.P.C. Assistant Director for Educational Services, George Washington University
URL	<a href="http://gwired.gwu.edu/counsel/asc/Youvedecidedtoimproveyourstudyhabits/">http://gwired.gwu.edu/counsel/asc/Youvedecidedtoimproveyourstudyhabits/</a>
Audience	Grades 9-Adult
Date reviewed	9-27-04
Type of material	Internet lessons
Short Summary: This site has a series of short lessons and activities designed to develop better study habits. It leads the reader through organization, setting goals, note taking, and even scoring higher on tests.	
Where/How could this resource be used? College prep.	

Improve Your Study Habits	
3	Relevance to Adult Literacy
4	Innovative & High Quality
5	Well-Presented
4	Current application
5	Clear authorship
0	Date or date last updated
5	Functioning URLs
5	Easily understandable purpose
<b>31</b>	<b>Total</b>

**Criteria checklist: Rate each resource characteristic 1 – 5...5 being highest**

**Language Arts**    **Poetry4Kids**

Title	Poetry4Kids
Category	Language Arts
Subject	Poetry
Author	Kenn Nesbitt
URL	<a href="http://www.poetry4kids.com/modules.php?name=Content&amp;pa=list_pages_categories&amp;cid=2">http://www.poetry4kids.com/modules.php?name=Content&amp;pa=list_pages_categories&amp;cid=2</a>
Audience	Written for middle school students, but applicable to adults
Date reviewed	11-24-04
Type of material	Internet
Short Summary The poetry lessons are written with humor and examples. There is access to a rhyming dictionary and numerous other links. The site has free registration, but it is not necessary to complete this lesson	
Where/How could this resource be used? As a supplement to writing classes.	

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4	Relevance to Adult Literacy
4	Innovative & High Quality
5	Well-Presented
5	Current application
5	Clear authorship
5	Date or date last updated
5	Functioning URLs
5	Easily understandable purpose
<b>38</b>	<b>Total</b>

**Criteria checklist: Rate each resource characteristic 1 – 5...5 being highest**

## Review 1

**Math      WisWeb**

Title	WisWeb
Category	Math
Subject	Math Problem Solving
Author	Freudenthal Institute
URL	<a href="http://www.fi.uu.nl/wisweb/welcome_en.html">http://www.fi.uu.nl/wisweb/welcome_en.html</a>
Audience	k-adult
Date reviewed	12-7-04
Type of material	Internet activities
Short Summary: The site consists of numerous applets which have been made into great problem solving activities for math from whole numbers to high school math. Some of the applets could use more explanation, but the visualization of math topics is excellent.	
Where/How could this resource be used? As a supplement for topics in math.	

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<b>WisWeb</b>	
<b>4</b>	Relevance to Adult Literacy
<b>4</b>	Innovative & High Quality
<b>4</b>	Well-Presented
<b>4</b>	Current application
<b>5</b>	Clear authorship
<b>5</b>	Date or date last updated
<b>5</b>	Functioning URLs
<b>5</b>	Easily understandable purpose
<b>36</b>	<b>Total</b>

**Science      Science Toys**

Title	Science Toys
Category	Science
Subject	Experimental Science
Author	Simon Field
URL	<a href="http://www.scitoys.com/">http://www.scitoys.com/</a>
Audience	Grades 7-Adult
Date reviewed	11-26-04
Type of material	Internet lessons of science experiments
Short Summary: There is a list of 50 science experiments (using household items) and the science theory behind each. A list of materials is included, with many pictures to guide the experiment. For materials not commonly found, there is a catalog available so you may order the materials.	
Where/How could this resource be used? GED preparation, college preparation.	

**Criteria checklist: Rate each resource characteristic 1 – 5...5 being highest**

<b>Science Toys</b>	
<b>5</b>	Relevance to Adult Literacy
<b>5</b>	Innovative & High Quality
<b>5</b>	Well-Presented
<b>5</b>	Current application
<b>4</b>	Clear authorship
<b>0</b>	Date or date last updated
<b>4</b>	Functioning URLs
<b>5</b>	Easily understandable purpose
<b>33</b>	<b>Total</b>

**Review 1**

**Social  
Studies**

**Discover  
Mount  
Vernon**

Title	Discover Mount Vernon
Category	Social Studies
Subject	History
Author	Mount Vernon Ladies Association
URL	<a href="http://www.mountvernon.org/learn/index.cfm/cfid/1005732/cftoken/11013403">http://www.mountvernon.org/learn/index.cfm/cfid/1005732/cftoken/11013403</a>
Audience	Grades 9-Adult
Date reviewed	11-15-04
Type of material	Internet tour of Mount Vernon
Short Summary: This virtual tour is all-inclusive: George Washington's life, Mount Vernon and its collections, the Grist Mill, and a tour of the grounds. Each page gives the history of the page's topic and numerous pictures.	
Where/How could this resource be used? GED Prep, college prep, just for fun.	

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