

Reading Research

In the September 2006 edition of The Reading Teacher, some of the following internet sites were recommended to teach reading:

1) Phonemic awareness sites:

- www.manatee.k12.fl.us/sites/elementary/palmasola/rcompindex.htm
- www.readwritething.org
- www.songsforteaching.com/avni/alliterativebooks.htm
- www.getreadytoread.org
- <http://teams.lacoe.edu/documentation/classrooms/patti/k-1/activities/phonemic.html>

2) Phonics sites ranging from on-line word type, reading games, skill charts, reproducible posters as well as an assessment of phonic skills. The second website allows for teachers to test in areas of letter naming, identifying sounds as well as having comprehensive assessments for older readers:

- www.bbc.co.uk/schools/wordsandpictures/index.shtml
- http://eprcontent.k12.com/placement/placement/placement_langarts2.html
- www.adrianbruce.com/reading/games.htm

3) Fluency

- www.interdys.org/pdf/T38-Reading-Fluency.pdf#search=i_reading%20fluency
- www.aaronshep.com/rt/RTE.html
- www.teachingheart.net/readersheater.htm
- www.lisablau.com/freetscripts.html
- www.humboldt.edu/~jmf2/floss/rt-eval.html
- www.jimwrightonline.com/pdfdocs/prtutor/prtutor_lesson3.pdf

NEA's Read Across America with Dr. Suess. This sites has reproducible worksheet activities and lesson plans:

<http://www.seussville.com/seussentennial/events2.html>

Does your child want to become part of a reading club? Yes, a reading club. There are many to choose from. The following is a partial list which I obtained from Yahoo's Study Zone:

Guys who read, is a website geared to encourage boys to read. It is an interactive site sure to provide lots of visual stimulation and curiosity:

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

Go Kidding has many interactive learning games:

<http://www.gokidding.com/index.html>