



### **Web Resources for Children Health Issues**

**CDC** Middle Childhood (9-11 years old)

**Healthpedia** Health encyclopedia

**Kids Health from Nemours** information about health, behavior, and development from before birth through the teen years

**Medline Plus** Produced by the National Library of Medicine, it brings you information about diseases, conditions, and wellness issues in language you can understand.

**WebMd** A source for original and timely health information as well as material from well known content providers

**Merck** children health issues

#### **General Websites**

##### **Administration for Children and Families**

(ACF) is a federal agency funding state, territory, local, and tribal organizations to provide family assistance (welfare), child support, child care, Head Start, child welfare, and other programs relating to children and families.

##### **American Academy of Pediatrics**

A trusted resource for information on children's health topics, developmental stages and more

##### **American School Directory.**

Database of information on 106,000 public, private and Catholic schools.

##### **Certification Requirements for 50 States**

This site provides links to teaching certification requirements for each state. It also includes online positions announcements.

##### **Educator's Reference Desk.**

This site gives access to 2,000 plus lesson plans, 3,000 plus links to online education information, and 200 plus archival response question.

### **[Education World.](#)**

Search this site for over 100,000 entries. This site supports K-12 school administrators and teachers by providing information on lesson plans, curriculums, school administration, special themes, web site reviews and books in education.

### **[Free: Federal Resources for Educational Excellence](#)**

This site is designed for teachers, students and parents to provide easy access to educational resources produced by hundreds of federal agencies. Resources arranged by topics: arts, educational technology, foreign language, vocational education and this site are separable.

### **[Kathy Schrock's Guide for Educators](#)**

This guide features a classified list of sites on the Internet to be found to be useful for enhancing curriculum and teacher professional growth. This site is updated daily and searchable.

### **[National Association for the Education of Young Children](#)**

Dedicated to improving the well-being of young children with a focus on the quality of education

### **[National Board of Professional Standards](#)**

"The National Board for Professional Teaching Standards works to strengthen the teaching profession and to improve student learning in America's schools [by] establishing high standards for what accomplished teachers should know and be able to do." This site is searchable.

**[National Library of Education](#)** The NLE is the largest federally funded library devoted entirely to education.

### **[Project Tomorrow](#)**

The vision of Project Tomorrow is ensure that today's students are well prepared to be tomorrow's innovators, leaders and engaged citizens of the world

### **[Science Net Links](#)**

This is a national effort by MCI and the American Association for the Advancement of Science (AAAS) to help science teachers, librarians and other adult educators get onto the Internet, navigate it safely and efficiently.

### **[Smithsonian Education](#)**

A gateway for Smithsonian education resources for teachers, students, and families that includes lesson plans, experiments, games, guides and links to other resources.

### **[Sites for Teachers](#)**

A list of the best teacher's resource and educational sites on the net

### **[Teacher's Net](#)**

This separable site provides networking opportunities through interactive features such as live meetings and conferences.

### **[U.S. Department of Education](#)**

This site ensures equal access to education and promotes educational excellence throughout the nation.

### **[Virginia Resources](#)**

**[Agent.K12](#)** (Agent K12 features some of the best jobs in education, career news and advice)

### **[Virginia Department of Education](#)**

#### **Related Links:**

[National Reading Panel Report](#)

[CIERA- Center for the Improvement of Early Reading Achievement](#)

[National Council for Teachers of English](#)

[Virginia Middle School Association](#)

[Virginia Reading Association](#)

[Home Educators Association of Virginia](#)

[Virginia Professional Educators](#)

#### **[Statistical data](#)**

#### **[Childstats.gov](#)**

A government website that offers easy access to statistics and reports on children and families.

#### **[Education Finance Statistical Center](#)**

The Public School District Finance Peer Search lets you enter a country name to see graphs and data comparing it to similar school districts in the state, region and nation.

#### **[National Center for Education Statistics](#)**

Choose the data option for access to useful searchable databases, such as the National Public School Locator, used to find schools by many criteria.

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