

# Olivia's Web Resources

## For Teachers and Parents

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### **Early Years**

[www.bbc.co.uk/cbeebies/razzledazzle/](http://www.bbc.co.uk/cbeebies/razzledazzle/)

Fantastic stories, rhymes and games to play for 3 to 5 year olds aimed at developing speaking and listening skills.

[www.article19.com/shockwave/makeaface.htm](http://www.article19.com/shockwave/makeaface.htm)

This is a website for those who find it difficult to understand facial expression. This is a very simple site which needs a lot of talking with mummy and daddy.

[www.wmnet.org.uk/wmnet/custom/files\\_uploaded/uploaded\\_resources/850/Count&Order.swf](http://www.wmnet.org.uk/wmnet/custom/files_uploaded/uploaded_resources/850/Count&Order.swf)

This is a collection of delightfully simple maths counting games.

<http://www.kented.org.uk/ngfl/earlyict/index.htm>

Kented have created a wonderful page aimed at supporting ICT in the early years. A great resource for integrating ICT into the early years curriculum.

[www.poissonrouge.com/abc/index.htm](http://www.poissonrouge.com/abc/index.htm)

Have fun exploring each letter of the alphabet by playing the games. There are some lovely activities which the children can play with independently. A very simple and effective website.

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### **Literacy**

[www.purplemash.com](http://www.purplemash.com)

If you love 2simple software you will LOVE this writing frames and ideas to support literacy activities across the curriculum. Whilst the full range of activities requires a licence many are available to use without charge.

[www.ltscotland.org.uk/storybook/frame\\_panel/full\\_screen.htm](http://www.ltscotland.org.uk/storybook/frame_panel/full_screen.htm)

This is a lovely website with interactive stories and games.

[www.bbc.co.uk/cbeebies/](http://www.bbc.co.uk/cbeebies/)

I can't praise this website enough. It is full of fun and games, some educational others less so! The children enjoy playing the games online but there are also lots of activities for parents to print out and enjoy on a rainy day.

[www.bbc.co.uk/schools/laac/](http://www.bbc.co.uk/schools/laac/)

This website from the BBC has a slightly more educational slant.

[www.bbc.co.uk/schools/magickey/](http://www.bbc.co.uk/schools/magickey/)

A BBC website with some good spelling games and activities. They can also be printed out for a rainy day.

[www.kented.org.uk/ngfl/games/flags.htmls](http://www.kented.org.uk/ngfl/games/flags.htmls)

This is a good game for those who need extra practice with their CVC spellings.

[www.peterrabbit.co.uk](http://www.peterrabbit.co.uk)

This is a charming website with some interactive stories and some delightful games and activities to print out.

[www.woodlands-junior.kent.sch.uk/interactive/literacy.html#3](http://www.woodlands-junior.kent.sch.uk/interactive/literacy.html#3)

This website has been created by a junior school but has many activities which our Key Stage 1 pupils enjoy. The activities are targeted at key literacy skills.

<http://www.kented.org.uk/ngfl/games/index.htm>

This is a collection of educational games aimed at supporting the new phonics strategy which the government has developed called 'letters and sounds'. The page has some lovely games but your child will need help setting up as some games are more suited to classroom use.

### **Maths Websites**

[www.bbc.co.uk/schools/numbertime/](http://www.bbc.co.uk/schools/numbertime/)

Some fantastic maths games from the BBC.

[www.mathszone.co.uk/](http://www.mathszone.co.uk/)

This website has a lot of maths games covering many different areas of the subject from simple addition and subtraction through to reflection and rotational symmetry and many activities suitable for your older children.

[www.ictgames.com/](http://www.ictgames.com/)

This is a fantastic website with some simple maths and literacy activities. The games will need your support to set up and talk through. There are many fantastic teaching tools for numeracy lessons.

[http://www.kented.org.uk/ngfl/games/maths\\_menu.html](http://www.kented.org.uk/ngfl/games/maths_menu.html)

A collection of beautifully simple maths games from the team at Kented.

[www.wmnet.org.uk/resources/gordon/Hit%20the%20button%20v9.swf](http://www.wmnet.org.uk/resources/gordon/Hit%20the%20button%20v9.swf)

This is a wonderful game to practice number bonds. Your child may need some help in order to get started. Older children can use the halves, doubles multiplication and division games.

<http://mathsdb.iboard.co.uk/>

A range of games and activities to support mathematics on your interactive whiteboards.

[www.mathsisfun.com](http://www.mathsisfun.com)

This website has some good activities for independent work during numeracy sessions

<http://www.counton.org>

A lovely collection of resources for maths – needs time to work through and find the correct activities.

## **General Subject Pages**

[www.sparklebox.co.uk](http://www.sparklebox.co.uk)

This was a firm favourite at our school. Wonderful resources to enrich the learning environment plus regularly uploaded and updated resources from other teachers. You can always ask the website to make resources and if they like you idea they will make the resource.

[www.amblesideprimary.com/ambleweb/index.htm](http://www.amblesideprimary.com/ambleweb/index.htm)

Ambleside have collected a fantastic list of websites and resources to support all areas of the curriculum. This is a very useful site.

<http://www.schooljotter.com/showpage.php?id=35494>

This is the curriculum resources are for Coxhoe Durham, a fantastic resource to search for websites to support your lessons.

[www.tes.co.uk](http://www.tes.co.uk)

This page has a fantastic resources page which teachers can use to access resources made by teachers across the country. Resources available include powerpoint presentations through to worksheets.

[www.crickweb.co.uk](http://www.crickweb.co.uk)

This website has links to games and activities from Kindergarten right through to the end of key stage two. There are some really simple literacy and numeracy games which your children will really enjoy.

[www.topmarks.co.uk](http://www.topmarks.co.uk)

This is one of the best websites I have found. It has a search facility to find activities or support for everything from understanding the need for sand and water play to tips on helping children read. The section on learning numbers through play is particularly good. You can also use the search facility for links to other educational websites.

[www.youtube.com](http://www.youtube.com)

This website has some fantastic videos ranging from the home-made to more professionally produced animations. The animated Bayeux Tapestry is superb!

[www.channel4learning.com/sites/essentials/general/index.shtml](http://www.channel4learning.com/sites/essentials/general/index.shtml)

This website has many great resources but is mainly aimed at KS2.

[www.heritageexplorer.org.uk/web/he/default.aspx](http://www.heritageexplorer.org.uk/web/he/default.aspx)

English Heritage have created a wonderful range of pages to support History from KS1 to KS3 and beyond. Wonderful interactive whiteboard resources and a tool which enables you to create your own pages using their archive of photographs.

[www.primaryresources.co.uk/index.htm](http://www.primaryresources.co.uk/index.htm)

This is a collection of resources made by teachers. The content can be variable but it is always worth a look should teachers need a resource to support a particular topic.

[www.teachingideas.co.uk](http://www.teachingideas.co.uk)

This is another collection of ideas from teachers across the country. There are a few good ideas and worksheets.

[www.ngfl-cymru.org.uk/eng/index-new.htm](http://www.ngfl-cymru.org.uk/eng/index-new.htm)

This is a brilliant website with IWB resources aimed at supporting every part of your lesson. The resources often have a section to use for the introduction and main part of the lesson and frequently have a plenary or independent activity which can be used for assessment.

[www.primaryhistory.org/lessons/](http://www.primaryhistory.org/lessons/)

This website has some very good lesson plans and resources to support KS1 history.

[www.fieriideas.com](http://www.fieriideas.com)

This is a wonderful website with some free IWB resources such as the balloon timer and big writing timer. The website allows you to download the free version although these often do not have the options available on the full version.

<http://www.wmnet.org.uk>

A great website with links to lots of free resources for the interactive whiteboard

[www.primarygamesarena.com](http://www.primarygamesarena.com)

The website has a huge collection of games to support many areas of the curriculum.

[www.teachers.tv](http://www.teachers.tv)

This is a resource for inspirational ideas for classroom practice. All subjects and key stages covered.

<http://www.woodlands-junior.kent.sch.uk/Homework>

This website is very good for the children to use on their own to find out information or go over skills they have found difficult. The section on spelling games and maths activities is very good.

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[www.mrs pancake.com](http://www.mrs pancake.com)

This is a lovely collection of printable resources for classroom display and group activities.

[www.tpet.co.uk](http://www.tpet.co.uk)

Some beautiful resources to brighten up the classroom. Makes a change from sparklebox!