

Adult Education Websites

Resource List for the Literacy Council's Resources

The following Websites are helpful resources for Adult Education volunteer tutors.

About.com – Learning Disabilities Site – <http://learningdisabilities.about.com>

Info on diagnosing learning disabilities, managing learning disabilities, and understanding learning disabilities.

BBC – Learning – www.bbc.co.uk/learning

Special sections for Adult Learners, Parents, Teachers, and School Students complete with online courses and activities for language arts, math, vocabulary, money management, computers, and the Internet.

Educators Publishing Service – www.epsbooks.com

Free teacher resources, access to research articles, and good site for purchasing curriculum or supplemental materials.

International Dyslexia Association – www.interdys.org

Discussion forum, info on annual conference, access to research and publications, information on advocacy and teaching.

Reading Skills for Today's Adults –

www.marshalladulthoodeducation.org/reading_skills_home.htm

Leveled reading selections with visuals that are appropriate for adult learners. The materials correspond to CASAS Test Scores 200 – 235 (Beginning Basic Skills – High Intermediate Basic Skills). The reading selections focus on topics such as: Civics, Employment, Housing, Health, School, Money, and Government.

NC Department of Public Instruction – www.dpi.state.nc.us

Links to the K-12 Standard Course of Study so you can see what kids learn in each grade level throughout the state. Helpful for some lesson plan ideas, especially if you are working with a student who wants to be more involved his his/her child's education and helping with homework.

Our Little Earth – www.ourlittlearth.com

Electronic world news newspaper for kids ages 8-14. News stories are explained and have visuals, puzzles and quizzes. Subscription e-news or visit their archives for previously published stories that may be of interest to your student.

Proliteracy – www.proliteracy.org

Data related to the problem of illiteracy, legislation, funding and lobby issues, teacher resources, media materials, etc.

Verizon's Thinkfinity Site – www.thinkfinity.com

Free lesson plans and educational resources, including teacher-training materials and info specific to adult education.

Wilson Language – www.wilsonlanguage.com

Information about The Wilson system, all Wilson curricula, professional development opportunities for teachers, and online store for ordering Wilson books and materials.