WEBSITES FOR SOCIAL STUDIES EDUCATORS:
OTHER SOCIAL SCIENCES DISCIPLINES
RELATED TO SOCIAL STUDIES, MISCELLANEOUS

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**Other Social Sciences**

**Anthropology**

Cultures: The Encyclopedia Mythica website, which provides all sorts of information about mythology from cultures all over the world: [http://www.pantheon.org/areas/](http://www.pantheon.org/areas/)

Cultures: This lesson from the National Endowment for the Humanities EDSITEMENT website deals with common themes and motifs in arts and literature that cut across national boundaries and how they may vary: [http://edsitement.neh.gov/view_lesson_plan.asp?id=285](http://edsitement.neh.gov/view_lesson_plan.asp?id=285)

Don’t forget to look above at geography websites to find sites dealing with the cultures of other nations and regions of the world and at the websites pertaining to archaeology found under World History.

**Psychology**

Brain: A website on the brain for children to use: [http://faculty.washington.edu/chudler/neurok.html](http://faculty.washington.edu/chudler/neurok.html)

Following are websites found on a page of psychology listings from the Social Studies School Service ([http://www.socialstudies.com/c/@ISLy3O6wsqHGk/Pages/article.html?article@psychologyweb+af@ssss](http://www.socialstudies.com/c/@ISLy3O6wsqHGk/Pages/article.html?article@psychologyweb+af@ssss)):

- Website of the American Academy of Child and Adolescent Psychology, which has been designed for parents to help them understand the needs of their children: [http://www.aacap.org/](http://www.aacap.org/).

- This ThinkQuest entry was created by college students in the Netherland and high school students in the United States with the main objective of giving people a greater awareness of the vast field of human behavior: [http://www.thinkquest.org/library/lib/site_sum_outside.html?name=26618&url=26618/](http://www.thinkquest.org/library/lib/site_sum_outside.html?name=26618&url=26618/).

- This website from the National Institute on Drug Abuse of the National Institutes of Health focuses on the effects of drug abuse, with information for teachers (lesson plans) and students: [http://www.nida.nih.gov/MOM/MOMIndex.html](http://www.nida.nih.gov/MOM/MOMIndex.html).

**Sociology**

Achievement of Ethnic Groups: The website of the Education Trust, which deals with achievement gaps among students of different ethnic groups: [http://www.edtrust.org/main/index.asp](http://www.edtrust.org/main/index.asp)

**Census Bureau**: The U.S. Census Bureau, which includes all kinds of information of interest to teachers studying demographics: [http://www.census.gov](http://www.census.gov)

**Census Bureau**: A website pertaining to free census materials for teachers from the U.S. Census Bureau: [http://www.census.gov/dmd/www/schmail.html](http://www.census.gov/dmd/www/schmail.html)


Cultures: A website focused on customs of various cultures from all over the world, such
as marriage ceremonies, whether people drive on the right or left side of the road, how people respond to sneezes, and so on: http://www.netlaputa.ne.jp/~tokyo3/e/

Cultures: A website from Education World on the holidays of many cultures: http://www.educationworld.com/a_sites/sites067.shtml

Demography of Missouri: This website from Missouri University’s Office of Social and Economic Data Analysis (OSEDA) contains much useful information pertaining to the status of families and children in Missouri with reports on education in Missouri and many other topics of importance pertaining to sociological conditions in this state. http://www.oseda.missouri.edu/

Missouri Families: Here is an important website dealing with the state of Missouri Families: http://missourifamilies.org/report/

Prejudice: The Anti-Defamation League has a website dealing with resources for teaching about prejudice: http://www.adl.org/main_education.asp

Disciplines Related to Social Studies

A website pertaining to the writing process, which may be used for writing in social studies:


A website on mathematics in everyday life, which could be used in geography, economics and other facets of social studies: http://www.learner.org/exhibits/dailymath/

Miscellaneous

Cooperative Learning: The Cooperative Learning Center from the University of Minnesota provides excellent ideas on cooperative learning, which includes a section on peacemaking: http://www.clcrc.com/index.html.

Safe Use of the Internet: A website for pertaining to how to use the Internet safely, critically, and responsibly for teachers and students: http://www.media-awareness.ca/english/

Educational Psychology: A website pertaining to theories of learning: http://www.funderstanding.com/engaging_kids.cfm

Making Presentations and Teaching with Technology

The following website, which is developed by the same people as “The Best of History Web Site,” presents practical information on using technology in teaching: http://thwt.org/