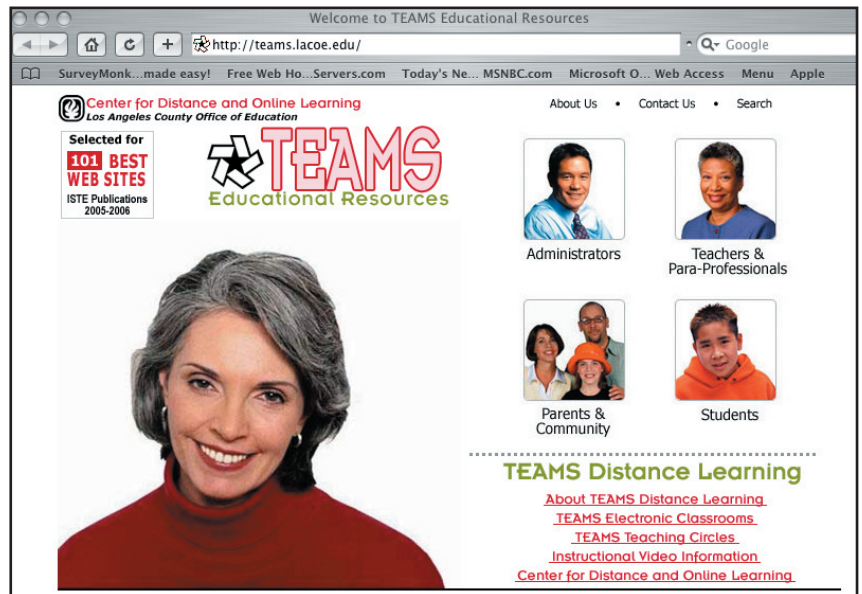


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the TEAMS EDUCATIONAL RESOURCES Home Page

<http://teams.lacoe.edu>



Explore the TEAMS Electronic Classrooms and join our learning community where teachers and students will find rich and exciting educational experiences online.

TEAMS features a distributed learning model offering rich Web-based resources to support its on-air programming. Each distance learning instructor has an electronic classroom full of interactive activities, resources, and information to enhance and support program content. Through this distributed learning model, students, teachers and parents can access these resources anytime and anywhere during the instructional day or throughout the week.

The following resources are available:

- **Activities**

TEAMS provides two types of activities: teacher guided activities and interactive student activities. Activities provide opportunities for practice, reinforcement and enrichment of the concepts that are being taught in the on-air programs. They provide online educational experiences to support and extend concepts and skills. Activities are designed to involve students in thinking skills—how to approach a problem or situation and how to analyze it. Activities also involve students in both critical thinking and logical reasoning.

- **Web Links**

Collections of links to Web pages that support standard based topics give TEAMS students and teachers access to valuable information that furthers their understanding and encourages participants to pursue areas of interest on their own.

- **Student Work**

Students and teachers are able to send in selected student products and have them posted on the Web. These products are scanned and posted in our **Shared Work** area in the

electronic classrooms so they can be seen and enjoyed by everyone.

- **Teacher's Corner**

The Teacher's Corner features useful information on assessment, program schedules and descriptions, software, key terms, processing of lessons, things to try, classroom management, and more.

- **Parent Resources and Web Links**

TEAMS parents have access to information about TEAMS, resources, and links to Web pages that support TEAMS content areas.

Online Technology Tutorials

For the 2005-2006 season, teachers can access online tutorials to build their telecommunications skills to retrieve information, communicate, and understand fair use guidelines. These interactive online technology tutorials will be located in Gayle's Technology Classroom (<http://teams.lacoe.edu/documentation/classrooms/gayle/gayle.html>).

Searching the World Wide Web

Through this tutorial, teachers learn the different Web search tools that are available for locating information and resources and how to use these tools effectively. This tutorial provides strategies for finding exactly the information needed and offers practice opportunities for using these new skills.

Many Ways to Communicate on the Internet

This tutorial helps teachers understand the basic functions of email, listservs, discussion groups, and chats. Additional resources and practice are provided.

Evaluating & Selecting Information

This tutorial focuses on evaluating information and selecting the best sources from a Web search. Using an evaluation rubric, teachers learn to determine the credibility and quality of sources retrieved. Citing the information in an ethical and responsible way is also covered.

Fair Use in the K-12 Digital Classroom

As students and teachers increase their use of technology in the classroom, copyright issues often arise. The purpose of this tutorial is to help teachers understand the fair use guidelines for educational multimedia and how they apply to their classroom.