

## Literacy Useful Websites

### Teacher and Children resources

<http://www.lit-lickety-split.co.uk/freestuff/freeResources.html>

A few resources -I like the adverbial cricket game. A nice idea for getting children to add more information to their sentences using adverbial phrases.

<http://www.coxhoe.durham.sch.uk/Curriculum/Literacy.htm#KS2%20Online%20Activities%20NEW>

A range of Literacy Resources

<http://www.bgfl.org/bgfl/15.cfm?s=15&p=251,index>

Whiteboard resources

<http://random.brendenisteaching.com/wordlist/>

This website allows you to create word lists which contain specific graphemes or longer spelling patterns. Great for all age groups as you can limit the length of words you would like. Saves lots of thinking time.

<http://www.kidsbookzone.blogspot.com/>

Interviews with authors etc

<http://www.topmarks.co.uk/stories/gingerbread.htm>

Online version of The Gingerbread Man.

<http://www.roythezebra.com/>

A guided reading resource and sentence work including full stops and capital letters.

<http://www.topmarks.co.uk/?Subject=9>

A range of Literacy resources.

<http://www.teachers.ash.org.au/jeather/writingfun/writingfun.html>

Text types with examples and key features highlighted.

<http://www.poetryzone.ndirect.co.uk/index2.htm>

Poems and interviews with poets

<http://myths.e2bn.org/>

Myths and legends -lots and examples from many different parts of England. Wonderful application which allows children to write and illustrate their own myth -very easy to use software. Great as an ICT link!

<http://www.ictgames.com/literacy.html>

A range of resources

<http://www.storylineonline.net/>

Some stories online, read by actors with accompanying resources.

<http://ngfl.northumberland.gov.uk/ict/AAA/default.htm>

A fantastic online pictorial database about animals. Great for fulfilling ICT requirements (finding information) and for non-fiction information texts.

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

A range of online texts (fiction and non-fiction)

<http://www.longman.co.uk/books/contents.htm>

Some more online texts.

<http://www.rif.org/leadingtoreading/en/preschoolers/read/>

Some stories online, read out loud with words highlighted as they are read.

<http://www.northwood.org.uk/complex%20sentences.htm>

Information and examples of simple, compound and complex sentences.

<http://www.xmleducation.co.uk/magnets.html>

A website which allows you to type in a sentence and then jumble up all the words for the children to rearrange.

<http://www.spellzone.com/unit02/page2.htm>

A website with some ways to support learning of spellings.

<http://www.poetryarchive.org/childrensarchive/home.do>

Lots of examples of poems.

<http://www.teacherled.com/resources/letterdice/letterdiceload.html>

A set of dice which can be rolled to give random letters. Children can be challenged to find a word using as many of the letters as possible.

<http://www.britishcouncil.org/kids-stories.htm?mtklink=kids-stories-kids-popular-offers>

Shorter and longer stories online which can also be printed.

### Phonics

<http://www.ks2phonics.org.uk/>

Phonics and also some interesting sentence level games.

<http://www.reall-languages.com/phrantic1/phrantic%20phonics.htm>

More phonics

<http://www.bbc.co.uk/schools/wordsandpictures/>

More Phonics for children

<http://www.deseducation.org/v.asp?level2id=391&level3=1303&rootid=17&level2=391&depth=3&folderid=1303>

And even more phonics resources

Some background information about phonics

<http://www.syntheticphonics.com/>  
<http://www.rnf.org.uk/>