



How to get to the KPBSD World Book Online Offerings

- Click desktop icon on school computers (students only)
- KPBSD Website > Students/Parents > World Book Shortcut Link
- www.worldbookonline.com
- m.worldbk.com (mobile access)

IF you are outside the school district,

Username: information / Password: kpbsd

World Book databases include access to encyclopedia articles, primary source documents, newspaper articles, eBooks, photos, illustrations, maps, and videos. Other features include a built-in dictionary, a drill-down atlas, a biography center, and timeline & citation builders. WB articles often include related information in the form of magazine articles or editor-approved websites. World book also offers read-aloud functionality, translations for 30 languages as well as citation information for articles (MLA, APA, & Harvard format) Many teacher resources are provided including resource guides, tutorials, sample lessons, ability to search by standards, and more.

What is available?

Early World of Learning: PrK-2

- Trek's Travels – *Read, Play, Watch*
- Welcome to Reading – 48 stories in 4 reading levels (Lexile given)
- Know It – Beginner Online Encyclopedia, arranged by 6 topics

World Book Kids: Grades K-5

- Compare animals
- Play It, Be It, Make It, Think It, Teach It activities
- Interactive Map

World Book Student: Grades 4-9

- Biography center
- Articles available through mobile access
- Compare places

World Book Discover: Grades 6-12

- Differentiated Instruction
- Visual Dictionary
- World Book Explains Videos
- Life Skills Section

World Book Advanced: Grades 8-12 & College

- eBook Collection (Many are downloadable, click here for [Directions](#))
- Newspaper Collection (access to articles from all over the world)
- Primary Sources
- Citations Included (true for all WB databases)

Two Spanish Encyclopedias

- Enciclopedia Estudiantil Hallazgos – Beginning Spanish Version
- Gran Enciclopedia Hispánica Online – Comprehensive Spanish Encyclopedia

French Encyclopedia

- Designed for beginning French speakers with two interfaces, one for younger students and another for older users

Dramatic Learning

- The Play's The Thing – Search for plays by grade level, subject, or title
- Teach With Theater – Includes videos, curriculum correlations, lesson plans, projects, rubrics, plus how to put on a play complete with posters
- Actor's Corner – Activities, monologues, skits, and play starters (prompts to write your own play)

Digital Libraries

- Living Green – Content is divided into 9 categories including consumable goods, pollution, green transportation and more
- Early Peoples – Content is divided into 16 People groups including People of the Arctic and Subarctic
- Inventions & Discoveries – Content is divided into 12 categories from agriculture to warfare

Helpful Features

With World Book Web, you can. . .

- access reliable information at a variety of reading levels
- access information to help differentiate your instruction
- print articles
- email articles
- save articles
- translate text
- define words by double-clicking them
- hear text read aloud
- see Lexile level of information
- use citation information provided
- find primary source documents
- find materials correlated to state standards (click on *Educator Tools* under *For Educators*, bottom right of any WB database)
- change font size (Digital libraries only)
- access information on mobile devices
- and MUCH more

How to Save Pictures and Videos

Pictures

- Right click on picture
- Click save picture as
- Navigate to pictures in your documents
- Name picture and save
- OR Right click on picture and Copy Image URL
- Insert URL in document or presentation

Videos (for use in a presentation)

- Open video in World Book
- Right click URL and copy
- Insert text or picture in presentation
- Hyperlink URL to text or picture
- Click on text or picture when presenting to play video
- OR Download video (this option is sometimes available)

Remember to always cite your source. Citation information is provided.