



Open Educational Resources List

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OER Repositories

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Washington OER Commons Hub	www.oercommons.org/hubs/washington
Curriki	www.curriki.org
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PBS Learning Media (check license type)	kcts9.pbslearningmedia.org

Open-Licensed Textbooks and Online Courses

CK-12	www.ck12.org
Core Knowledge Foundation	www.coreknowledge.org
Georgia Virtual Learning	www.gavirtualllearning.org/resources/sharedlandingpage.aspx
EngageNY	engageny.org
Learn Zillion	learnzillion.com
Match Fishtank	www.matchfishtank.org/
Michigan Open Book Project	textbooks.wmisd.org/
MIT OpenCourseware	ocw.mit.edu
Mountain Heights Academy	openhighschoolcourses.org/
Open Course Library	www.opencourselibrary.org
Open Stax	www.cnx.org
Open Up Resources	openupresources.org
SREB Readiness Courses	www.sreb.org/page/1508/sreb_readiness_courses.html
Utah Open Textbook Projects	www.uen.org/oer/

Open-Licensed ELA Resources

Bookworms	sites.google.com/a/udel.edu/revised-bookworms-lessons
Core Knowledge Foundation	www.coreknowledge.org/ckla-files
EngageNY	engageny.org
FreeReading (K-3)	www.freereading.net
Learn Zillion (ELA Guidebooks)	learnzillion.com/resources/81666-english-language-arts-guidebook-units
LibriVox (public domain audiobooks)	www.librivox.org
Match Fishtank (ELA)	www.matchfishtank.org/english-language-arts/
Michigan Open Book Project	textbooks.wmisd.org/



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Student Achievement Partners achievethecore.org

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EngageNY engageny.org
Geogebra www.geogebra.org
Illustrative Mathematics www.illustrativemathematics.org
Khan Academy www.khanacademy.org
Match Fishtank (Mathematics) www.matchfishtank.org/mathematics/
Mathematics Assessment Project map.mathshell.org/
Mathematics Vision Project www.mathematicsvisionproject.org/
Utah Middle School Math Project utahmiddleschoolmath.org/

Open-Licensed Science Resources

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National Science Digital Library nsdl.org
National Academies Press (all PDF books are free) www.nap.edu
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Public Library of Science www.plos.org
Concord Consortium concord.org
Next Generation Science Story Lines www.nextgenstorylines.org/
Siyavula www.siyavulaeducation.com/work-oer.html#BOOKS
Science Activities from UT Open Textbooks www.uen.org/core/science/studentactivities/index.shtml
MIT Blossoms <https://blossoms.mit.edu/videos/alpha>
National Informal STEM Education Network <http://www.nisenet.org/>
Climate Literacy and Energy Awareness Network cleanet.org/clean/educational_resources/clean-ngss/ngss_browse.html

Open-Licensed Social Studies Resources

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National Archives – Docs Teach docsteach.org/
OER Commons WA Hub (Social Studies Group) www.oercommons.org/groups/washington
Teaching History teachinghistory.org/
The State We're In: Washington moodle2.ospi.k12.wa.us/course/view.php?id=158



Since Time Immemorial	www.k12.wa.us/IndianEd/TribalSovereignty
US History.org	www.ushistory.org/
C3 State Hubs	www.c3teachers.org/state-hubs/
Primarily Washington	http://primarilywashington.org/

Center for Open Educational Resources and Language Learning

www.coerll.utexas.edu/coerll/

Open Data and Research

Gapminder	www.gapminder.org
Directory of Open Access Journals	doaj.org/
US Open Data	www.data.gov

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Unsplash	unsplash.com
Flickr (advanced search for Creative Commons-licensed photos)	www.flickr.com/creativecommons
Foter	foter.com
The Freesound Project	www.freesound.org
Metropolitan Museum of Art	www.metmuseum.org/art/collection
Open Clip Art Library	www.openclipart.org
Photos for Class	www.photosforclass.com
Pixabay	pixabay.com
Unsplash	unsplash.com
Wikimedia Commons	commons.wikimedia.org
ccMixer	www.ccmixer.org

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Creative Commons	creativecommons.org/
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OER Commons WA Hub (OER Development Group)	www.oercommons.org/groups/washington
Public Domain	en.wikipedia.org/wiki/Public_domain
Public Domain Sherpa	www.publicdomainsherpa.com/

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