

HOMESCHOOLING RESOURCES

To find homeschooling information, search the library catalog at <http://www.ocls.info> for subjects like homeschooling or domestic education. You can begin with these titles:

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| 371.042 Mis | <i>Absolute Beginner's Guide to Homeschooling</i> |
| 371.042 Pri | <i>Mary Pride's Complete Guide to Getting Started in Homeschooling</i> |
| 025.04 Din | <i>Homeschool Guide to the Online World: Everything You Need to Know to Start Making Great Connections!</i> |
| 371.042 Rup | <i>The Complete Home Learning Sourcebook : the Essential Resource Guide for Homeschoolers, Parents, and Educators Covering Every Subject from Arithmetic to Zoology</i> |

To find online information about homeschooling, search online databases located on our Online Resources page at <http://www.ocls.info>

[General Reference Center Gold](#)

A general interest database that integrates a variety of sources in one easy-to-use interface. Contains articles from newspapers, reference books, and periodicals, many with full text and images. Suggested subject search: Home Schooling, Home Schooling Laws, Regulations and Rules, and Home Schooling Methods.

[SIRS Knowledge Source](#)

A general reference database of full-text articles that explore social, scientific, historic, economic, political and global issues. Suggested subject search: Home schooling and Alternative Education.

[GPO Monthly Catalog](#)

Provides full text access to U.S. government publications, including documents from the Department of Education, National Institute on Student Achievement, Office of Educational Research and Improvement, and others. Suggested subject search: Home schooling, Domestic education, Resource Programs (education).

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[Literature Resource Center](#)

Contains biographies, bibliographies and critical analysis for more than 90,000 authors.

[Online Homework Help](#)

Live Homework Help provides online, interactive help from qualified tutors for students in grades 4 through 12. The 20-minute sessions are in English or Spanish and offer expert help in math, science, social studies or English.

[Science Online](#)

Science Online is a comprehensive, authoritative overview of the sciences. It has diagrams, essays, definitions, and biographies arranged by scientific topic.

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[Biography Resource Center](#)

A comprehensive biographical database providing brief and full-text information of people from ancient times to the present

[Countrywatch](#)

Includes political, economic, and geographic information for 192 countries. Includes news and maps.

[Kid's Edition - K12](#) Elementary School Students

[Junior Edition - K12](#) Middle School Students

[Student Edition - K12](#) High School Students

Kid's, Junior, and Student Edition are periodical databases designed for students, with easy access to full text magazines, newspapers and reference books

Visit websites of the following organizations:

The Florida Department of Education www.firn.edu/doe

The National Homeschool Association www.n-h-a.org

Florida Parent Educators Association www.fpea.com

The Home School Legal Defense Association www.hslda.org

National Home Education Network www.nhen.org

You can also try the following websites:

A to Z's Home's Cool Homeschooling Web Site <http://homeschooling.gomilpitas.com>
Over 800 pages of information. Contains information on getting started, lesson plans, legalities, and much more.

Home Education Magazine www.homeedmag.com
An online edition of the magazine that contains articles, essays, and support groups.

The Homeschool Zone www.homeschoolzone.com
Newsletters, book reviews, interactive online groups, and more.

Additional information may be found using Internet web sites, which have been identified by staff as particularly useful. To access, go to www.ocl.info → Online resources → Net Links.

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