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Enhance your lessons
with the Internet



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Tips and Tricks

Work with any level

- 1) Never take control of the keyboard. If you need to model the steps by using the students keyboard, put the computer back where it was after modeling so the student can try it out.
- 2) Try to always have students work in pairs or small groups (depending on your situation). Even when typing a composition, work is enhanced when there is a partner working along.
- 3) Allow students freedom to make mistakes. We learn best by mistakes.
- 4) Don't over correct student work.
- 5) Don't expect everyone to work at the same pace and speed. Allow students to work on different projects at the same time.
- 6) Arrange your projects or assignments to spiral. For example, have students work with only one search engine. After they can work with one search engine, others can be introduced.
- 7) Your goal is not to solve the problem but to help the student become one notch more capable of solving their problem on their own.
- 8) Don't tower over the students at the computer. Try to squat down so our eyes are just below theirs. When they are looking at the computer, look at the computer. When they are looking at you, look back at them.
- 9) Always blame the computer not the student.

KEYMAKERS

Some people see a closed door and turn away.

Others see a closed door, try the knob;
if the knob doesn't open, they turn away.

Still others see a closed door, try the knob;
if it doesn't open, they find a key.
If the key doesn't fit, they turn away.

A rare few see a closed door, try the knob;
if it doesn't open, they find a key.
if the key doesn't fit, they make one.

And even fewer see the closed door,
then choose to take time to get to know
the person behind the closed door well enough
to become an invited guest through the backdoor.

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Lesson Plan Template

Does this lesson require computers in the classroom? Yes No

Level _____

Before you begin

Introduction

Presentation

Practice

Other comments

How to copy a picture off the Internet

Mac Directions

Place your mouse over the picture you want to capture.

Click and hold the mouse button down until you see figure 1 appear.

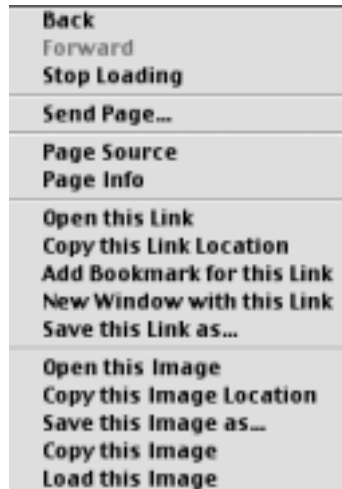


Figure 1

Click on **Save this Image** as and you will see figure 2 below. Save the file with a name and location you can remember.



Figure 2

Click **Save** and the image is now ready to print or use. To use with Microsoft Word. Open a word document. Click on **Insert**. Click on **Picture**. Click From **File**. Find the picture on your hard drive. Highlight the picture and click on **Insert**. See Figure 3 below.

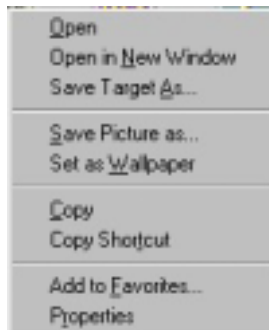


Figure 3

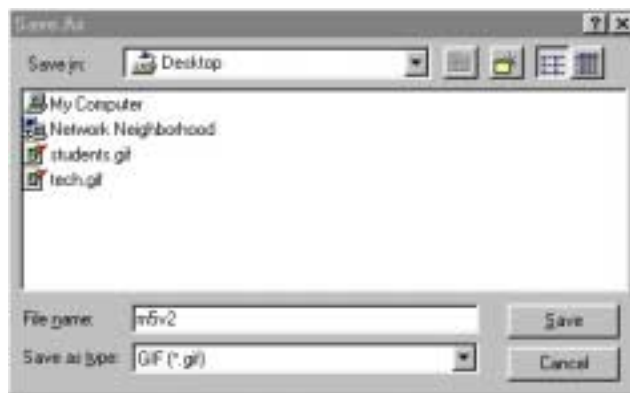
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PC Directions

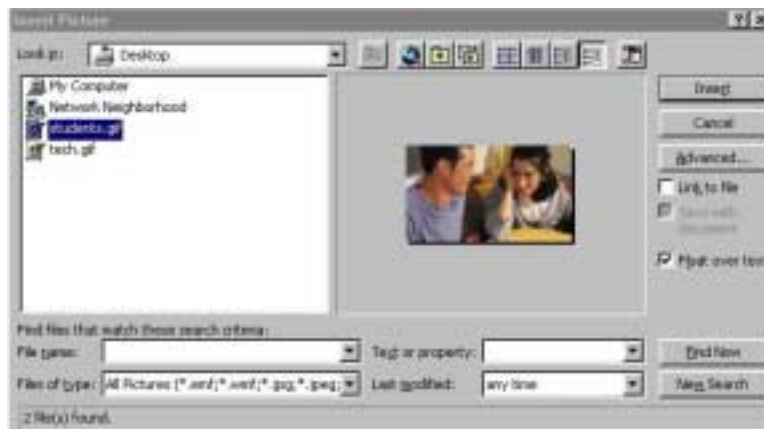
Place your mouse over the picture you want to capture.
Right click until you see a dialog box similar to the one below.



Click on **Save Picture as** and you will see figure 2 below. Save the file with a name and location you can remember.



Click **Save** and the image is now ready to print or use. To use with Microsoft Word. Open a word document. Click on **Insert**. Click on **Picture**. Click From **File**. Find the picture on your hard drive. Highlight the picture and click on **Insert**.



Home Use

Authentic Materials

Newspapers and Magazines

<http://www.time.com>

<http://ocregister.com>

<http://www.latimes.com>

Maps and Directions

Yahoo Maps: <http://maps.yahoo.com/>

Map Quest: <http://www.mapquest.com>

Map Blast: <http://www.mapblast.com>

Library of Congress:

<http://learning.loc.gov/ammem/ndlpedu/features/archive.htm>

Search Lyric Sites for Song Lyrics

Google: <http://www.google.com>

Kididdles: www.kididdles.com/mouseum/alpha.html

Overhead Transparencies of Photos

Martin Luther King: <http://seattletimes.nwsources.com/mlk/Photo>

Essays: <http://www.time.com/time/daily/photoessays/0,4504,0,00.html>

Student Publishing

Email Project HomePage:

<http://www.otan.ndi.us/webfarm/emailproject/email.htm>

Poetry Pals:

<http://www.geocities.com/cponykid/pages/rhyming.html>

School Use

Research and Present Information

Shopping Spree

JC Penny: <http://www0.jcpenney.com/jcp/default.asp>

Buying Food

Home Grocer: <http://www.homegrocer.com>

Where are you from?

<http://dir.yahoo.com/Regional/Countries/>

The solar system

The solar system simulator:<http://space.jpl.nasa.gov/>

Build a solar system:

http://www.exploratorium.edu/ronh/solar_system/

Dinosaurs:

<http://www.EnchantedLearning.com/subjects/rainforest/>

Career searches:<http://www.review.com/career/> n

Ask the Expert : http://www.cln.org/int_expert.html n

Collaborations

Virtual School:

<http://www.otan.dni.us/webfarm/emailproject/school.htm>

Email Projects:

<http://www.otan.dni.us/webfarm/emailproject/email.htm>

Virtual Field Trips:

<http://www.uen.org/utahlink/tours/fieldtrips2.htm>

Real Science Research Projects:

<http://www.accessexcellence.com/LC/OP/opstart.html>

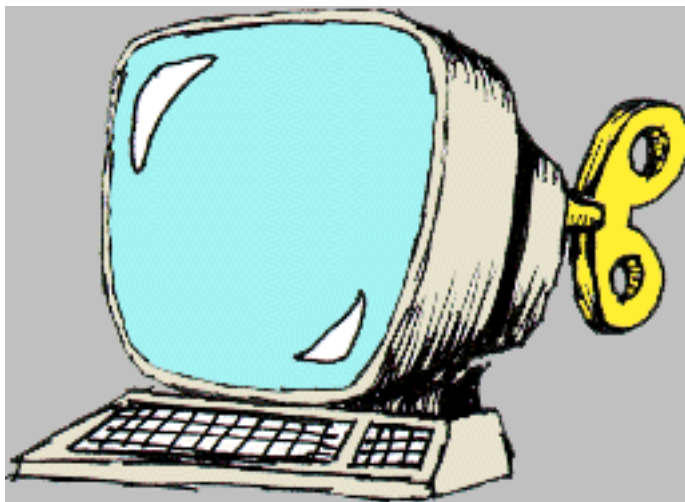
Family Literacy:

<http://www.otan.dni.us/webfarm/emailproject/cul.htm>
[fieldtrips2.htm](http://www.otan.dni.us/webfarm/emailproject/fieldtrips2.htm)

Student and Class Web Publishing

Free and easy online web page generators for student or class web publishing:

Geocities:<http://www.geocities.com>



Web Based Teaching Tools

Quiz Center, the former Hawaii Quiz Center, which allows teachers to create, administer, and grade quizzes online

<http://school.discovery.com/quizcenter/quizcenter.html>

Glossary Builder, which allows customization of the types of information that are included in the final glossary product. <http://school.discovery.com/teachingtools/glossarybuilder/>)

Puzzlemaker and other word games

<http://school.discovery.com/students/english.html>

Webmath, which includes a "Real World Math" section with math conversion calculators

<http://school.discovery.com/homeworkhelp/webmath/index.html>

Quia which allows you to make and play various types of online puzzles: <http://www.quia.com/>

Hot Potatoes: The Hot Potatoes suite includes six applications, enabling you to create interactive multiple-choice, short-answer, jumbled-sentence, crossword, matching/ordering and gap-fill exercises for the World Wide Web.

<http://web.uvic.ca/hrd/halfbaked/>

