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This annotated bibliography contains five sections and 62 items. The first section lists general resources including six Web site addresses; the second section, on Shakespeare's works, contains five Web site addresses; the third section, on Shakespeare and the Globe Theatre, provides five Web site addresses; the fourth section presents classroom resources, offering 12 Web site addresses; and the fifth section lists a Web site address for individual works and Web site addresses for 10 tragedies, 9 histories, and 14 comedies. (CR)

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# Shakespeare Goes Online:

## Web Resources for Teaching Shakespeare

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# *Shakespeare Goes Online:*

## Web Resources for Teaching Shakespeare

### **General Resources:**

Coined by Shakespeare

<http://www.m-w.com/shakespeare/ShakHome.htm>

Was Shakespeare the first to use a particular word or phrase? This web site introduces a book that touches on this subject. It also offers a list of words and phrases along with a look at their sources. This site also includes a link to the Encyclopaedia Britannica's Shakespeare web site. In addition, there are some intriguing quizzes to be tried.

Electronic Shakespeare: Resources for Researchers

<http://www.wfu.edu/~tedforrl/shakesp.htm>

As a comprehensive guide to Shakespeare Internet resources, this site is useful to those researching all facets of Shakespeare. There are sections on Shakespeare's life, the theater, teaching resources, the authorship debate, and Shakespeare in performance.

## **The English Teachers' Web Site**

**<http://www.mlckew.edu.au/english/litlinks.htm>**

**This web site contains links to several good Shakespeare sites such as the Collected Works of Shakespeare, Shakespeare's Stratford-Upon-the-Web, and the Shakespeare Page along with links to other topic areas of English literature. There are Literary Links, The Literary Nook, and Literary Resources on the Net which are excellent places to search.**

## **Online Resources**

**<http://writingco.com/shakespeare/slinks.html>**

**The Online Resources site contains links to other Shakespeare-related web sites which provide information on educational materials, the Globe theater, and the monarchs of England. Users can investigate Bartlett's Sakespearean Quotations, receive tips on reading Shakespeare, and visit the Folger Shakespeare Library.**

## **Webspeare**

**<http://idt.net/~kcn/shakes~1.htm>**

**A good resource for students, this site contains the complete works of Shakespeare along with study guides. There is a link to the SHAKSPER listserv along with links for Bartlett's Familiar Quotations, an electronic MLA style guide, and a Shakespeare quiz.**

## **Mr. William Shakespeare and the Internet**

**<http://daphne.palomar.edu/shakespeare/>**

**A good overall view of Shakespeare, this web site includes information on Shakespeare's life and times, theater and criticisms. It also includes links to information on proper Elizabethan pronunciation, costumes, early music, and the authorship controversy**

# **Shakespeare's Works:**

**The Complete Works of William Shakespeare**  
<http://the-tech.mit.edu/Shakespeare/works.html>

**A good resource, this web site provides the full text of Shakespeare's plays along with the capability to search the complete works. Plays are arranged in the following categories: comedy, tragedy, and history. There is a chronological and alphabetical listing of plays. A glossary of terms and phrases is provided.**

**The English Server Drama Collection**  
<http://eserver.org/drama/>

**This web site is a good source for the full text of Shakespeare's plays along with numerous other works.**

**The Internet Public Library Shakespeare Bookshelf**  
<http://ipl.sils.umich.edu/reading/shakespeare/shakespeare.html>

**This web site provides full text of plays and poetry. It mentions several of the sites listed above as resources. The site provides listings for e-mail groups and a Usenet group which discuss Shakespeare and his work. There is a top ten list of Shakespeare's works, according to use.**

**Selected Shakespearean Plays**  
[http:// www.spinne.com/shakespeare/#resources](http://www.spinne.com/shakespeare/#resources)

**Another good source for full text of plays. This site provides synopsis, commentary, scene by scene summary, and study questions (in varying combinations) for each play.**

### **The Works of the Bard**

<http://www.gh.cs.su.oz.au/~matty/Shakespeare/Shakespeare.html>

A good source for full text of plays and poetry, this site will let the user search plays and poetry for phrases and characters. There is a glossary of related terms and a list of other Shakespeare sites.

# **Shakespeare and the Globe Theater:**

### **Globe Theater**

<http://talon.extramural.uiuc.edu/shakespeare/mapping/index.html>

This web site provides an excellent diagram of the Globe Theater with clickable links to take you to different areas of the theater. The site also offers a virtual tour of the Globe Theater.

### **Globe Theater Images**

<http://www.ruf.rice.edu/~dstruitt/Lessons/images.html>

This web site contains images of the Globe Theater. There are some very nice pictures of the Globe as it was and pictures of the new Globe Theater. There are links to sites for more information on the Globe Theater.

**Shakespeare Globe USA**  
**<http://www.shakespeare.uiuc.edu>**

**This web site is an excellent source of information about the old Globe theater and the new, rebuilt Globe. A timeline presents the history of the Globe up to the rebuilding of the theater. There is information on Shakespeare's London, performances at the Globe, and a virtual reality tour of the Globe.**

**Shakespeare's Globe**  
**<http://www.reading.ac.uk/globe/>**

**This site has a little of everything including a virtual tour of the Globe theater and a lot of interesting places to go. In the Teacher's Room, there are full text plays-- complete with character lists, famous lines and a body count. There are notes with the text explaining the events of the play as they happen. In addition there is Shakespeare for the rest of us: Shakespeare explained in modern English. Also interesting are the Design Studio and the Library.**

**Shakespeare's Globe Theater**  
**<http://www.cybervillage.com/ocs/globe.htm>**

**A good source of information about the history of the Globe Theater. The information covers construction and a description of the building, the audience, and the fire of 1613. Links to other sites of interest are also included.**



# **Classroom Resources:**

**The 1994 NEH National Institute on Teaching Shakespeare**  
<http://www.ivgh.com/amy/nits.html>

**A unique site with a different way of teaching Shakespeare in the classroom, here you will find ideas for teaching Shakespeare through performance. Be sure to check out this site for some suggestions on teaching Shakespeare in this innovative way.**

**AskERIC -- Lesson Plans**  
<http://ericir.syr.edu>

**This web site offers several excellent lesson plans for teaching Shakespeare and his work.**

**Classroom Electric Shakespeare Showcase -- Study Questions**  
<http://www.sol.com.sg/mcnally/Shakespeare/questions.html>

**Since this web site offers an excellent collection of study questions for many of Shakespeare's plays, it is a good site for students to use.**

**Classroom Lessons and Activities**  
<http://www.ruf.rice.edu/~dstruitt/Lessons/class.html>

**Classroom activities, information on the Elizabethan theater, plays and the Renaissance may be found in this web site. It also contains topics for research papers, a Shakespeare sonnet quiz and links to other sites of interest.**

**Never Too Young For Shakespeare**  
<http://socialstudies.com/shakespeare/never.html>

**This web site shows that none are too young to enjoy and learn Shakespeare. It includes wonderful selection of classroom activities, books, and tips for grades two and older.**

**Online Literary Criticism Collection**  
<http://www.ipl.org/ref/litcrit/>

**This collection contains 1,043 critical and biographical web sites that can be used by students to find information on authors or their works. Users can browse by author, title, or literary period. Help guides are provided on the page.**

**Shakespeare**  
<http://socialstudies.com/shakespeare>

**Courtesy of The Writing Company, this web site provides resources for Internet exercises, writing suggestions, activities, and curriculum materials. There are links to order catalogs and to view other resources and materials.**

**Shakespeare Alive! Teaching Materials**  
[http:// www.kadets.d20.co.edu/shakespeare/](http://www.kadets.d20.co.edu/shakespeare/)

**A great source of materials for teachers, this web site offers introductory materials, composition ideas, and creative writing suggestions along with many other activities.**

**The Shakespeare Classroom**  
<http://www.jetlink.net/~massij/shakes/>

**A virtual celebration of Shakespeare information. There is information on Shakespeare, teaching materials, study questions, links for Shakespearean and non-Shakespearean web sites, and for filmed versions of Shakespeare's plays.**

**Shakespeare Magazine Teaching Resource**  
<http://www.shakespearemag.com/lom.asp>

**Need something new for Romeo and Juliet? Language tricks are the focus of this web site. Act 2 is used to demonstrate Shakespeare's language tricks. Reading, homework, and activities--it's all here.**

**Shakey's Place 3D**  
<http://library.advanced.org/10502/>

**A collection of study questions, guides and tools from all over the Internet. This site even comes with a teacher's guide for using the web site. Under the summary for each full text work is a simplified version in modern English.**

**Student Internet Activities -- Shakespeare and the Globe Theater**  
<http://www.ruf.rice.edu/~dstruitt/Lessons/internet.html>

**In this great classroom activity combining computer skills and Shakespeare, students search for information using the links contained in this site. Search areas include topics about the Globe Theater (its appearance, key dates and reconstruction) and about Shakespeare (noteworthy people of his time and a scavenger hunt on Shakespeare's life and works).**

# Individual Works:

Individual works can be found at the following URL:

<http://eng.hss.cmu.edu/drama/shakespeare/>

## Tragedies

### Antony and Cleopatra

<http://eng.hss.cmu.edu/drama/shakespeare/tragedies/antony-and-cleopatra.txt>

### Coriolanus

<http://eng.hss.cmu.edu/drama/shakespeare/tragedies/coriolanus.txt>

### Hamlet

<http://eng.hss.cmu.edu/drama/shakespeare/tragedies/hamlet.txt>

### Julius Caesar

<http://eng.hss.cmu.edu/drama/shakespeare/tragedies/julius-caesar.txt>

### King Lear

<http://eng.hss.cmu.edu/drama/shakespeare/tragedies/king-lear.txt>

### Macbeth

<http://eng.hss.cmu.edu/drama/shakespeare/tragedies/macbeth.txt>

### Othello

<http://eng.hss.cmu.edu/drama/shakespeare/tragedies/othello.txt>

### Romeo and Juliet

<http://eng.hss.cmu.edu/drama/shakespeare/tragedies/romeo-and-juliet.txt>

## **Timon of Athens**

<http://eng.hss.cmu.edu/drama/shakespeare/tragedies/timon-of-athens.txt>

## **Titus Andronicus**

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### **2 King Henry IV**

<http://eng.hss.cmu.edu/drama/shakespeare/histories/henry-iv-2.txt>

### **Henry V**

<http://eng.hss.cmu.edu/drama/shakespeare/histories/henry-v.txt>

### **1 King Henry VI**

<http://eng.hss.cmu.edu/drama/shakespeare/histories/henry-vi-1.txt>

### **2 King Henry VI**

<http://eng.hss.cmu.edu/drama/shakespeare/histories/henry-vi-2.txt>

### **3 King Henry VI**

<http://eng.hss.cmu.edu/drama/shakespeare/histories/henry-vi-3.txt>

### **King John**

<http://eng.hss.cmu.edu/drama/shakespeare/histories/king-john.txt>

### **King Richard II**

<http://eng.hss.cmu.edu/drama/shakespeare/histories/richard-ii.txt>

### **King Richard III**

<http://eng.hss.cmu.edu/drama/shakespeare/histories/richard-iii.txt>

# Comedies

## **A Midsummer Night's Dream**

<http://eng.hss.cmu.edu/drama/shakespeare/comedies/midsummer-night's-dream.txt>

## **As You Like It**

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## **The Comedy of Errors**

<http://eng.hss.cmu.edu/drama/shakespeare/comedies/comedy-of-errors.txt>

## **Cymbeline**

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## **Love's Labour's Lost**

<http://eng.hss.cmu.edu/drama/shakespeare/comedies/love's-labour's-lost.txt>

## **Measure for Measure**

<http://eng.hss.cmu.edu/drama/shakespeare/comedies/measure-for-measure.txt>

## **The Merchant of Venice**

<http://eng.hss.cmu.edu/drama/shakespeare/comedies/merchant-of-venice.txt>

## **The Merry Wives of Windsor**

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## **Pericles, Prince of Tyre**

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## **The Taming of the Shrew**

<http://eng.hss.cmu.edu/drama/shakespeare/comedies/taming-of-the-shrew.txt>

## **The Tempest**

<http://eng.hss.cmu.edu/drama/shakespeare/comedies/tempest.txt>

## **Twelfth Night**

<http://eng.hss.cmu.edu/drama/shakespeare/comedies/twelfth-night.txt>

## **The Two Gentlemen of Verona**

<http://eng.hss.cmu.edu/drama/shakespeare/comedies/two-gentlemen.txt>

## **Troilus and Cressida**

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