### **Technology Resources**

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MEL 540 Resource Management

## Each classroom has...

- An Interactive Whiteboard/Smartboard
  Wireless internet
- 4 student computers
- 1 teacher compater
- A projector
- A DVD plager

### Email

- Check minimum of twice daily to receive important information
- Answer parent emails within 48 hours during school year
- Do not put student's full name in subject line or content of email
- Do not send out forwarded or mass personal emails on school mailing lists.

### Facebook...

- Don't add students to your personal Facebook or other social network sites.
- Don't post information about students, the school to your page
- Keep profile private (recommended)
- Avoid posting questionable pictures that could be viewed by parents, colleagues, etc.



### Edline

- Online dashboard for each class
- Post homework assignments
- Post links to activities/enrichment
- Email communication with parents, students
- Record grades

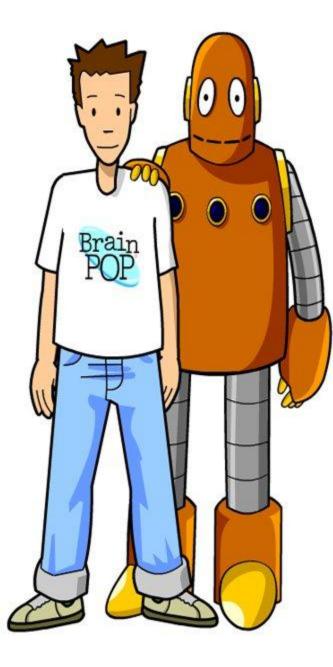


# Useful Websites

- Safari Montage
- BrainPop
- Quia
- Portaportal
- Spelling City

# SAFARI MONTAGE

- Online streaming videos
- Search by subject or keyword
- Favorites such as Bill Nye, the Science Guy, and the Magic Schoolbus



**Brain Pop** · Short animated content videos • Online interactive quizzes (easy & hard versions) · Printable activities • Free videos each week



- Customize activities for your class
- Browse through existing lessons, games posted by other teachers
- Create your own page with interactive quizzes and games that are specific to your classroom content

### Portaportal

- Organize your links
- Provide customized practice for students
- Easy to edit
- Accessible from any computer
- Free I 😳

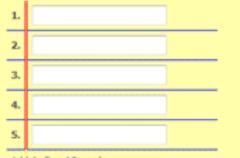
### **Spelling City**





To get started, enter your spelling words below and then select Test Ne, Teach Ne, or Flay a Game.

#### Enter Words



Add 1, 5 or 10 words.



#### Welcome to SpellingCity

We are an online spelling program that makes practicing for spelling tests fun. SpellingCity.com has:

- Over 35,000 spelling words and eight spelling games!
- A REAL person who says each word and sentence
- Thousands of free spelling lists. Or save your own!



Spelling City Lists of the Month - August	
Compound Words	ee/ea words
Words of Latin Origin	Olympics
Election Words	<b>Baby Animals</b>
Lion, Witch, & Wardrobe - Chapter 1	

Wow! Tens of thousands of people using SpellingCity.com! We are sorry that the site is sometimes running slowly but there are many more of you than we expected. We are working on adding more server capacity. Thanks for your patience.

### Allows independent practice of assigned spelling lists.

 Games, worksheets, & tests are available with each group of words.

### **Teacher Resources...**

Sites with lesson plans, worksheets, and other activities for your classroom.

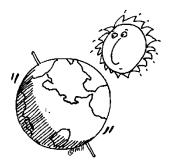
- Discovery Clipart
- Teachers Pay Teachers
- Enchanted Learning
- Education.com
- History.com

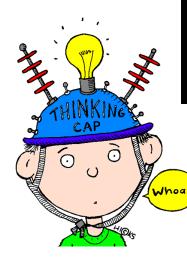






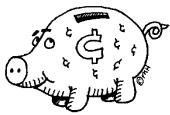
### **Discovery Clipart**





- Free clipart
- Color images for presentations and black and white for copying
  Easy to useI





HOMEWORK HIGHLIGHTS



### Teachers Pay Teachers

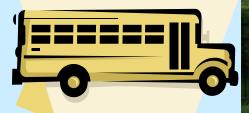
- Browse through lessons, crafts, and printables in content areas for all grade levels.
- Some items are free
- Other items are sold by the teacher who created them.
- Get ideas to help you modify or create new lessons.

### Enchanted Learning

- Black and white worksheets
- \$20.00 a year subscription
- Search by keyword or by category

### Education.com

- Lessons, activities and worksheets
- Searchable by keyword, grade level, or content category
- Black and white and color items
- Freel 😳





### History.com

- This Day in History
- Short video clips on events from history
- Vivid images and slideshows



## Resources

• <u>www.brainpop.com</u>

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www.school.discovery.education.com/clipart

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Label the plant

- www.education.com
- <u>www.enchantedlearning.com</u>
- www.history.com
- <u>www.quia.com</u>
- <u>www.portaportal.com</u>
- <u>www.teacherspayteachers.com</u>