

Woodrow Wilson Elementary School

Summer 2020 Websites / Apps for Scholars

Student App	Website or Download Location(s)	Subject Area(s)/Description	Grade Levels
Khan Academy Kids	Khan Academy Kids can be downloaded for free on the App Store or on Google Play .	Reading and Math. The app is already installed on the school iPads and on the newer Chromebooks.	Pre-K – 1 st
Khan Academy	https://www.khanacademy.org/ or Camp Khan: https://www.khanacademy.org/partner-content/camp-khan/x25450d2742bb665e:camp-khan-2020 (Info in English & Spanish)	Multiple Subjects. The program is already bookmarked on the school Chromebooks. Join “Camp Khan” for entertaining summer-themed activities throughout the next four weeks!	2 nd – 12 th & adults
ST Math	https://www.play.stmath.com/	A brand-new version is coming in August 2021! Jiji – everybody’s favorite penguin is getting an extreme make-over.	Pre-K – 5 th
Lexia Reading	https://www.lexiacore5.com/ and https://www.lexiapowerup.com/	If you are asked to enter a teacher email, those are listed on the Wilson School website under the heading “Staff” – https://www.sausd.us/wilson . Your child’s login is their six-digit student ID. Passwords are first letter of first name, first letter of last name and month and day of birth (example: jc07010).	K – 8 th
Sora	https://soraapp.com/library/santaanausd	This is a Virtual Library full of thousands of books. Log in by choosing “Santa Ana Unified” and then sign in with your Google account and borrow a book!	K – 12 th
RIVET Reading	https://rivet.area120.com/	Enough reading here for 10 summers! Skip the log in and enjoy. There are over 3,500 books available!	Pre-K – 6 th
PBS Kids - Cyberchase	https://pbskids.org/cyberchase/topics	Solve science and math mysteries through problem-solving. Episodes of PBS TV mystery also available.	3 rd – 6 th
A + Click	https://aplusclick.org/	Math and Logic problems organized by grade level.	K - 12
Sesame Street	https://www.sesamestreet.org/	Early Reading and Math with over 50 years of experience helping young children to learn.	Pre-K – 1 st
Starfall	https://www.starfall.com/h/	Early Reading skills. A long-time favorite of preschool and kindergarten teachers everywhere.	Pre-K – 3 rd
Cool Math 4 Kids	https://www.coolmath4kids.com/	All the Math skills you may ever need...	K – 6 th
Make Me Genius	https://www.makemegenius.com/	Science lessons through animated cartoons.	K – 7 th

PBIS Kids Design Squad	https://pbskids.org/designsquad/games/	STEM Skills (Science, Technology, Engineering and Math)	4 th – 8 th
PBIS Kids	https://pbskids.org/	Learning games and videos – many featuring characters from favorite TV shows.	Pre-K – 8 th
Nat Geo Kids	https://kids.nationalgeographic.com/	Biology, chemistry, physics and natural history concepts from one of the top authorities in the world.	K – 6 th
Twinkl TV	https://www.youtube.com/c/TwinklKidsTV/featured	Multiple Subjects (British programming, but excellent lessons)	Pre-K – 3 rd
Fun Brain	https://www.funbrain.com/	Multiple Subjects wrapped in a fun-themed website.	K – 8 th
Nick Jr.	http://www.nickjr.com/	Multiple Subjects from the popular Disney series on TV, but plenty of character-building curriculum too!	Pre-K – 1 st
Climate Kids	https://climatekids.nasa.gov/	NASA’s website about all global warming	3 rd – 6 th
DK Find Out	https://www.dkfindout.com/us/	Multiple Subjects – with lots of Science.	K - 6 th
Exploratorium	https://www.exploratorium.edu/explore	San Francisco’s famous museum online!	K – 12 th
Engineer Girl	https://www.engineergirl.org/128249/Try-This	A website for girls with a “geeky” side. Explore engineering as a career. Many links to different careers within the engineering field.	4 th – 12 th
Highlights for Kids	https://www.highlightskids.com/	The well-loved magazine has a website. Enjoy jokes, riddles, games, tongue twisters, and fun activities.	2 nd – 6 th
Learning Games for Kids	https://www.learninggamesforkids.com/	Multiple Subjects – Phonics, early Reading skills, Music, and Geography too.	K – 6 th
Old Farmer’s Almanac for Kids	https://www.almanac.com/kids	Fascinating facts about weather and astronomy across the past century. Plenty here for animal lovers and joke lovers also!	K – 8 th
Pics for Learning	https://www.pics4learning.com/	A safe place to find the best pictures for your stories. The pictures are nicely organized by categories.	K – 8 th
Story Place – Charlotte-Mecklenburg Library	https://www.storyplace.org/	This Library is the largest in North Carolina – and one of the busiest in the Nation. Enjoy their online learning games and live story-time readings!	Pre-K – Kinder
Storyline Online	https://www.storylineonline.net/	The Screen Actors Guild and the American Federation of Television and Radio Artists have created an online forum for famous actors and other personalities to read their favorite books out loud.	Pre-K – 4 th
Fuel the Brain	https://www.fuelthebrain.com/	Multiple Subjects – from “Letter Hop” to the “Area Model of Division.” Lots of learning here!	K – 6 th

Mr. Nussbaum	https://mrnussbaum.com/	Multiple Subjects. Designed by a former teacher. Free with ads.	K – 12 th
Turtle Diary	https://www.turtlediary.com/	Multiple Subjects and assessments to test your knowledge!	K – 5 th
The Story Starter, Jr.	http://thestorystarter.com/junior.html http://www.thestorystarter.com/	Have you ever run out of ideas for starting a story? The Story Starter Junior version offers over 274,000 opening sentences to start your newest story! But wait... the 5 th – 12 th grade version has over 8 billion!	K – 12 th
NASA Kids Club	https://www.nasa.gov/kidsclub/index.html	Learning games, photos, videos and space history stories teach you everything you nearly everything you need to know to become the next astronaut!	K – 4 th
Crypto Club	https://www.cryptoclub.org/	The University of Chicago hosts this website. Learn all about Cryptography and the important skills necessary to write and decode secret codes.	4 th – 12 th
CIA for Kids	https://www.cia.gov/kids-page/	Learn all about a career as a CIA officer. Break codes, train spy dogs and learn how to analyze!	4 th – 8 th
FBI for Kids	https://www.fbi.gov/fbi-kids	Practice the seven ways to be safe online through fun and challenging games.	3 rd – 8 th
Be Internet Awesome!	https://beinternetawesome.withgoogle.com/	Use Google’s virtual playground to discover how to be avoid the dangers online and surf safely!	3 rd – 8 th
Code.org	https://code.org/	Coding is one of fastest growing career fields on our planet. Learn how to use this fascinating skill here.	K – 12 th
Earthquakes for Kids	https://earthquake.usgs.gov/learn/kids/	Everything you need to know about the science of earthquakes.	4 th – 9 th
Smithsonian National Museum of Natural History	https://naturalhistory.si.edu/visit/virtual-tour	Take a virtual tour of our national museum. See Henry the African Bush Elephant, a coral reef dancing with fish, and even the newest addition – the T-Rex – King (or queen) of the dinosaurs.	2 nd – 12 th & adults
Kids Encyclopedia	https://kids.kiddle.co/	An excellent encyclopedia for upper elementary students. Nicely organized.	3 rd – 8 th
Grid Club	https://gridclub.com/	Wow - this site will make learning Math seem as easy as playing your favorite video games! Lots of other subjects too!	3 rd – 6 th
GoNoodle!	https://www.gonoodle.com/	Have you been inside all day? Are you too full of energy? Need to dance? Then... Go Noodle!	Pre-K – 5 th

Magic Tree House	https://www.magictreehouse.com/	If you are a fan of the Magic Tree House books, you'll love this website. And, if you aren't a fan yet, you will be soon enough. Join Jack and Annie on their incredible Llama Adventure!	2 nd – 4 th
Dogo News	https://www.dogonews.com/	Find out what's happening in the world. Choose your reading level and discover things like white grizzly bears, how much money you need to save to buy a piece of the moon, and most importantly - how to celebrate National Ice Cream Month! You can just browse – <i>or</i> you can log in with your school Google account (SAUSDLeans) and your parent's email.	K – 12 th
Science Bob	https://sciencebob.com/	Bob is a science teacher whose goal is to make Science simple for everyone. Learn to make a hoop glider airplane, a cup that makes cat noises, elephant toothpaste or even your own ice cream!	Pre-K – 8 th
Peep and the Big World	http://peepandthebigwideworld.com/en/	Explore with world with a baby chicken named "Peep" – sounds, light, colors, plants, animals, shapes, patterns, numbers and measurement. English and Spanish.	Pre-K – 1 st
Funology	https://www.funology.com/	Science, magic tricks, recipes, jokes, and both outdoor (and indoor!) games to play. This site will keep you from being bored all summer!	Pre-K – 6 th
Switch Zoo	https://switchzoo.com/	Zebra-Cat, Hippo-Lion, Walrus-Eagle? Learn about animals while playing switcheroo and combining them in different ways. You'll learn about their habitats and different survival strategies too!	2 nd – 5 th
ABCYa!	https://www.abcya.com/	Multiple Subjects. Learning games in Math, Science, and more. Multiplayer board games too!	Pre-K – 6 th
Invention at Play	https://invention.si.edu/tags/invention-play	Learn about the art of inventing. Make changes to different inventions and then try to improve them!	2 nd – 6 th
Dance Mat Typing	https://www.dancemattypingguide.com/	Learn how to type – or become faster and more accurate – with the help of a zoo-load of animals. Can you reach 20 words per minute by the end of summer? Test yourself!	2 nd – 5 th

Ben's Guide to the United State Government	https://bensguide.gpo.gov/	Join the cartoon version of Benjamin Franklin as he teaches you all about United States History.	4 th – 8 th
The Tate Museum Kids	https://www.tate.org.uk/kids	Play and have fun with Art in through the website of one of London's most famous museums – The Tate.	2 nd – 12 th
AutoDraw	https://www.autodraw.com/	This is a Google experiment. Use dozens of tools and colors to create the perfect drawing!	Pre-K – 12 th
Quick, Draw!	https://quickdraw.withgoogle.com/	Try to draw what the computer asks you to in less than 20 seconds! A castle, a computer, or maybe a kangaroo. Don't be surprised if you are up all night!	Pre-K – 12 th & adults
Math is Fun	https://www.mathsisfun.com/	Math can be fun. Learn addition through geometry or try your hand at chess, Connect 4, puzzles and other strategy games. Virtual manipulatives too!	Pre-K – 12 th
Toy Theater	http://toytheater.com/	Learn. Create. Play. Much like Math is Fun, but also has Reading skills, Art, and Music.	Pre-K – 6 th
Virtual Piano	https://virtualpiano.net/	Don't have \$20,000 for a decent piano? No problem. Try this one and see how quickly you'll make Mozart or Beethoven jealous!	Pre-K – 5 th
Study Jams – Math & Science	http://studyjams.scholastic.com/studyjams/	Science and Math videos that have all the answers for upper elementary students.	3 rd - 5 th
Bill Nye the Science Guy	https://www.youtube.com/playlist?list=PL_zuNdsXRcfMThB81edcSxSYQqG_4lJMg (48 episodes, 23 minutes each)	48 of the best Bill Nye the Science Guy episodes are here. Science can be fun!	3 rd – 8 th
Liberty Kids	https://www.youtube.com/playlist?list=PLHealWvdbER3Ic90BzhPsH2aJ5KI3UtmM (40 episodes, 22 minutes each)	This series focuses on Benjamin Franklin and his experiences during the American Revolution. The series spans 16 years from the Boston Tea Party in 1773 to the ratification of the U.S. Constitution in 1789.	5 th
Chrome Music Lab	https://musiclab.chromeexperiments.com/Experiments	Learn about all the fancy stuff that makes up music – arpeggios, rhythm, harmonics, etc. OR, just jump right in and make your own song. You can even see what your song looks like in all the colors of the rainbow!	Pre-K – 8 th

Origami Fun	https://www.origami-fun.com/origami-for-kids.html	Origami is the Japanese word for the art of folding paper. Make a summer hat for yourself or even cats out of all the table napkins before dinner.	2 nd – 6 th
Earthcam	https://www.earthcam.com/	See what is happening in the world through live video cameras. See the Eiffel Tower in Paris, Times Square in New York, the tropical fish cam (relaxing!), and even the lion’s den cam (not so relaxing!).	Pre-K – 12 th & adults
Engineering	https://www.sciencekids.co.nz/engineering.html	This website makes Science incredibly simple to understand. Learn about food chains, why astronauts float in space, and other cool Science facts. Plenty of science videos and games to enjoy.	Pre-K – 5 th
Spatulatta	http://spatulatta.com/	Maybe it’s time for the kids to make dinner tonight... Relax and enjoy watching them! This website will teach them all the kitchen skills they need and how to make dozens of simple recipes.	2 nd – 6 th (with adult supervision!)
Access Mars	https://accessmars.withgoogle.com/	NASA teamed up with Google to show you how the Mars Rover is being used to map the surface of Mars. You get to be in the driver’s seat as you steer the rover across the “Red Planet” and take photos.	5 th – 8 th
San Diego Zoo	https://kids.sandiegozoo.org/	Learn about the animals at the San Diego Zoo. Even better, you can watch them through the animal cam. See streaming, real-time videos of the penguins and the polar bear. You absolutely have to watch how the giraffe drinks water. They’ve even got a platypus!	Pre-K – 6 th
Create-a-Graph	https://nces.ed.gov/nceskids/graphing/classic/	Learn how to create a graph using almost any info. Enter your data and get a visual result! Try graphing the colors of all the cars that drive by your window in 15 minutes. What are the three most popular colors?	2 nd – 6 th
Google Earth	https://www.google.com/earth/	Travel the world – go anywhere! Look for Wilson School, the Santa Ana Target Store or YES, even a pyramid in Egypt!	2 nd – 12 th & adults
Google Sky	https://www.google.com/sky/	Learn about our solar system, the different constellations made of stars and travel through space.	2 nd – 12 th & adults

YouTubeKids	https://www.youtubekids.com/	Music. Videos. Learning. Safe! The learning videos are carefully selected and educational.	Pre-K – 6 th
Tumble Books	https://tumblebooklibrary.com/	Login: saUSD Password: books	Pre-K – 8 th
Tumble Math	https://tumblemath.com/	Login: Tumble2020 Password: A3b5c6 Stories, songs and help for you in Mathematics!	Pre-K – 6 th
Crash Course Kids	https://www.youtube.com/user/crashcoursekids	Want to be the smartest scientist on your street? Follow along with these three to four-minute videos focused on Science.	5 th
Science Show	https://www.youtube.com/user/scishowkids	Follow the video series that teaches you about different topics in Science. Get all the answers to your “Whys?” and “Hows?” Lots of experiments to try at home (but, ask an adult first!).	2 nd – 6 th
Operation Ouch!	https://www.youtube.com/channel/UCQJDFI9j8UeNoqra37p5OkA	Join in the weekly adventures of two twin brothers who are pediatricians (doctors for kids). Every day brings a new medical emergency – a staple in a finger, a hand stepped on by a horse, or even a boy who can’t stop burping! If you think you might want to be a doctor one day, this is a great place to start learning!	3 rd – 6 th
Timer	This is a useful Google feature that is available on any browser – Chrome, Firefox or Safari.	Type the word “timer” into the Chrome or Safari browser. Turn up the volume and set the amount of time you want to count down. Time yourself reading or just use it to avoid burning your dinner!	N/A
Draw Kids, Draw!	https://www.youtube.com/user/drawkidsdraw https://www.youtube.com/user/cartooning4kids	Two YouTube Channels here - both featuring how to draw favorite cartoon characters and other more common art objects also.	2 nd – 6 th
Art for Kids Hub	https://www.artforkidshub.com/	Enjoy this family of six as each of them takes turns teaching you how to draw, paint, fold paper for origami art, <i>or</i> complete crafts for holiday projects.	Pre-K – 5 th
Art Projects for Kids	https://artprojectsforkids.org/gallery-new/	This website has the simplest, step-by-step directions on how to draw everyday objects.	Pre-K – 5 th
Weave Silk	http://weavesilk.com/	A Google experiment in drawing. Make beautiful patterns using Mathematics and programming. Super easy to use.	Pre-K – 12 th

Muffalo Potato	http://muffalopotato.com/	Learn how to draw super-heroes and everyday objects for younger artists.	Pre-K – 3 rd
Draw So Cute!	https://www.youtube.com/c/DrawSoCute	Drawing lessons for students who prefer Anime style, animals and “cute” objects.	2 nd – 5 th

*Students with iPads will use the Safari browser to access most of the websites. Please know that Adobe Flash Player does not work on iPads. For that reason, many of the “Flash” games may not work on those tablets. Still, there are plenty more websites that your young scholars will absolutely enjoy!

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