




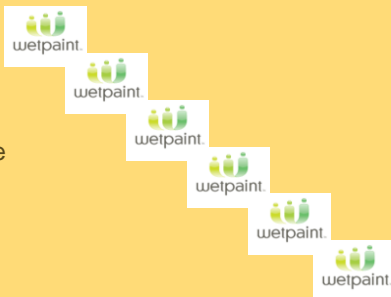
W-W-W-Wetpaint: The Social Wiki

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Wetpaint's W-W-W- ...

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Where



<http://www.wetpaint.com/>

The screenshot shows the Wetpaint homepage with the following elements:

- Header: "wetpaint. free wiki websites please touch: create or join a wiki" and a search bar.
- Main Content: "build a community around whatever you love" and "start your own social website everything you need in 3 easy steps" with a "Go!" button.
- Featured Sites: "Miley Cyrus Lovers" with sub-links like "Who's Her Boyfriend?", "Miley Personality Quiz", and "#1 Fan Challenge".
- Other sections: "see how it works" with a scooter image, "2008 Golden Paint Can Awards", and "what's hot" with categories like "entertainment", "gaming", "education", and "more sites".

Why & When



This screenshot is identical to the one above, showing the Wetpaint homepage with navigation options and featured content.

Wetpaint for Education

Featured Sites

- Math Educators Wiki Ideas & resources for math classrooms
- Anatomy Wiki A system-by-system anatomy curriculum

Most recent education wiki updates

- 8/8/08 'Comparing Planets' assignment posted 1 minute ago by Miro
- Course Concepts 3 minutes ago by oja
- 8/8 Walk-athon 3 minutes ago by Iliad
- 8/8 Wiki 10 minutes ago by Miro

Classroom Wikis Group Project Wikis Teacher Peer Wikis Parent Teacher Org. Wikis

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- They increase student engagement and participation
- Wikis facilitate communication between teachers and parents and guardians

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wetpaint. name - Wikis in Education

Search Wetpaint Wikis

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Ad-free for Education Education Wikis are now Ad-free!

Educators asked, and we listened: wikis that support learning are now ad-free!

Create your own education wiki now!

Go!

Wikis in Education: Forum

WIKIS IN EDUCATION

Welcome to the Wetpaint Wikis in Education, a place where educators come together to share tips about using wikis to enhance the learning experience.

Education Forum

Post a thread below to ask a question & jump in if you know the answer or have a suggestion!

Question of the moment

Why aren't kids under 13 permitted to register at Wetpaint? Protecting the privacy of our users and abiding by the regulations established by COPPA (The Children's Online Privacy Protection Act & Rule) is of critical importance to Wetpaint. The last thing that we want to do is prevent teachers of students under 13 from taking advantage of the benefits of using Wetpaint wikis in their classrooms, but we are committed to abiding by COPPA's requirements and protecting the privacy of children on the Internet.

Education Forum Archive

Check out answers to other Educator's questions, and add your own suggestions

How to get students motivated to post? Student posting and copyrights Adding PowerPoint presentations to your wiki

Wetpaint Supports Education

- http://wikisineducation.wetpaint.com/page/Ad-Free+Education+Wikis

Who qualifies for an ad-free wiki?

The following uses of education wikis qualify for ad-free status:

- Middle/High School, University, and Grad School Classrooms (ages 13+)
- Group projects and assignments given by a teacher as part of a class curriculum
- Dissertations, portfolios, and other displays of students' work in school
- Wikis created by educators to connect with parents

How to Apply

If you haven't already, create your wiki, then send an email to education@wetpaint.com and include the following information:

- Your school name and address
- A short description of how you are using the wiki
- The URL of your education wiki

Please give us up to 48 hours to review your site and disable the ads.

* Wetpaint reserves the right to grant or deny ad-free status on a case-by-case basis.

Golden Paint Can Awards

2008 Golden Paint Can Awards

Welcome to the first annual Wetpaint Golden Paint Can Awards!

AND THE NOMINEES ARE ...

- Anatowiki This wiki is anatomically correct
- Welker's Wikinomics Economics learning the wiki way
- 21st Century Learning Learning Web 2.0 by using Web 2.0
- Michigan Travel A classroom project to publish the ultimate guide to Michigan travel
- Equotes A collection of famous quotes that started as an assignment

Golden Paint Can Awards:

We're proud to announce the winners of the 2008 Wetpaint Golden Paint Can Awards!

CATEGORY	WINNER: Community Voted	WINNER: Judges' Choice
Civic Superlatives	On the Green	Obama Delegates
Education 2.0	21st Century Learning	Welker's Wikinomics
Fans Gone Wild	Kerrydale Street	James Bond Wiki
Foodie Fascinations	Best Pizza in NYC	Anthony Bourdain
Gaming Gurus	Wiki of the New World	The Ultimate Last Chaos Guide
Heart & Soul	China Earthquake Relief	China Earthquake Relief
Hobby Hounds	Squadra Guzzista	BrickWiki
Local Motion	Neervlakom	Castle Hills Community
LOL-it-palooza	LOL Speak	LOL Speak
Mating, Dating, & Relating	Luke and Noah Wiki	Addicted to CS/IGSR
Slave to the TV: Drama	Luke and Noah Wiki	The Tudors Wiki
Slave to the TV: Foremics	NCIS Wiki	NCIS Wiki
Slave to the TV: Reality	MythBusters Wiki	So you Think You Can Dance
Slave to the TV: Sci-Fi/Fantasy	Sarah Connor Chronicles Wiki	Supernatural Wiki
Weird & Wonderful	Zombie Survival & Defense Guide	Zombie Survival & Defense Guide

What



Example Wikis: Michigan

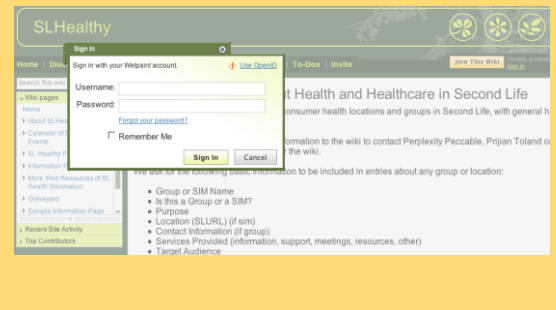
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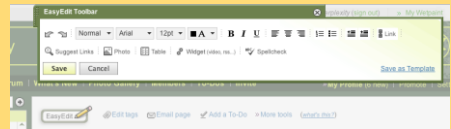


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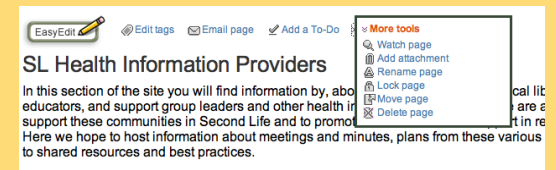
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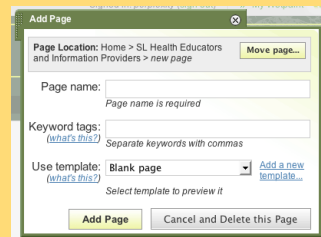
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More Tools



Add Page



Rename Page

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Note that changing the name of this page will break all the links to this page. ([help](#))

There are no links to this page.

*New Name:
SL Health Educators and Information Providers

Why are you renaming this page?
more accurately reflect scope of task

Move page

Move Page

Choose the list below to set a new location for this page. Your page will become a subpage of the page you select. ([help](#))

Page Location: Home > SL Health Educators and Information Providers

Home

- About SL Healthy
- Calendar of SL Health Events
- SL Healthy File Cabinet
- Information Pages
- More Web Resources of SL Health Information

Move Page

Set the order of your page in the navigation menu. ([help](#))

Page Location: Home > SL Health Educators and Information Providers

More Web Resources of SL Health Information

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Sample Information Page

To Do List

SL Health Educators and Information Providers

Insert Images

Add Photo

Photo Gallery | Upload New Photo | Search Yahoo! Images | Add Slideshow

Select a photo from the photo gallery.

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Select a photo from the list above. (27 photos found)

Slideshows

Add Photo

Photo Gallery | Upload New Photo | Search Yahoo! Images | Add Slideshow

IVY Tech Nursing...
Number of photos: 4
Last update: Jun 22, 2008
Updated by SkairlineNorse

CF University
Number of photos: 3
Last update: Jun 22, 2008
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Select a slideshow from the list above. (2 albums found)

Transition Style: Fade

Insert Images from Web

Add Photo

Photo Gallery | Upload New Photo | Search Yahoo! Images | Add Slideshow

Please limit photo dimensions to no more than 400x500 pixels. Image size should be less than 500k. ([help](#))

Where is this photo?

On my computer or connected hard drive.

On the Web, for example, <http://www.yoursite.com/logo>.

Name this photo
This only appears when someone rolls over your photo.

Add to photo gallery

Back to the Flickr photo page

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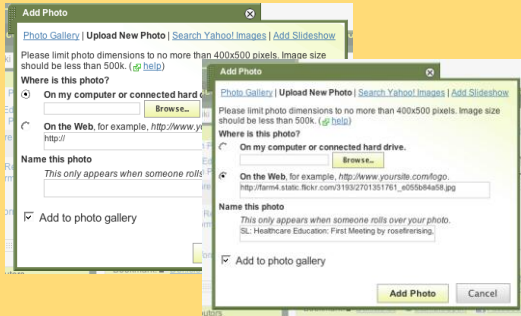
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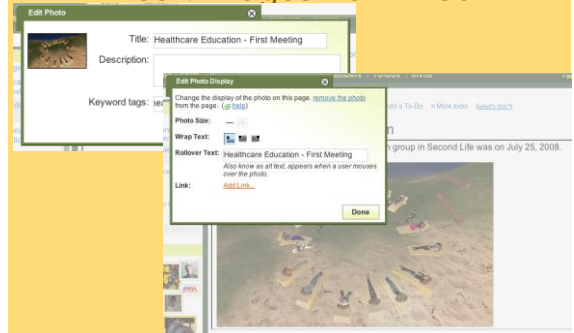
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