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| 5/29/00 | http://home.alaska.net | Alaska.net | Today is the first day that I began writing down my browsing efforts on the internet. I began by making a search for a site for my wife. She wanted me to find the Aurora Swim Team Home Page. I couldn't find it through any search engines. I even tried to look through my ISP directory for the first time. Couldn't find it. I know that the site was recently posted so it probably isn't listed by any of the big search engine data bases yet. Guess we'll have to find it the old fashioned way, call someone. I did notice in looking around at my own ISP that I can post a web page. I will probably end up posting my web page here as opposed to the homestead site, since I'm paying for the service and know it will be here in the future. |
| 5/29/00 | http://www.advlearn.com/ | Adventure Learning Systems | Spent quite a bit of time looking at Advantage Learning Systems, Inc site. I am really excited about the possibilities of using Accelerated Math. I am starting to see ideas for my master's thesis. I am going to type up a proposal for my principal and see if she will purchase the starter kit and let me pilot a program at Mears Middle School. Also, found a subject of possible interest to write a paper to be published. What effects, if any, does an interactive, individualized program have on student learning? The ideas are all starting to fall together. I am excited about the possibilities and for the first time am beginning to see the worth of all that I am doing. Need to follow through with all of it and do my best to try to help kids achieve their potential. |
| 5/30/00 | http://health.asd.k12.ak.us/ | Health Site for Anchorage School District | Shared the site that Steve Garrison created and showed us in class with the Health teacher, Dennis Sorenson, at Mears Middle School. |

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| 5/30/00 | http://www.december.com/cmc/info/ | Database of educational Journals | Spent a little more time looking at the sites that my classmates shared with all of us. This site has a lot of information, but I don't know how much I will use it. |
| 5/31/00 | http://mathgoodies.com | Interactive math lessons | I like this site. It would be fun to take my math classes into the computer lab and access this site to supplement what is being done in the classroom. This would offer students a different approach to learning the material. |
| 5/31/00 | http://www.quia.com | Interactive math lessons | Great site to take students to. The teacher can create and post games and quizzes. The student can play games and take quizzes that have been designed by their teacher and others. |
| 6/1/00 | http://www.yahoolhigans.com/tg/ | Database of teacher sites | Good site to use to start looking for teacher sites. |
| 6/1/00 | http://206.152.229.6/GoFigure/HTML/Default.htm | Go Figure! MathCounts Problem Solving | MathCounts problem solving game. Climb the math mountain. Good site for advanced math problem solving. |
| 6/2/00 | http://www.cs.uidaho.edu/~casey931/conway/games.html | Clever Games for Clever People | Site where you can develop number theories to ensure that you win the game each time. You just have to figure out the strategy. |
| 6/2/00 | http://www.japanese-online.com/math/index.htm | Japanese Math Challenge | This site contains 20 story problems translated from Japan's junior high math tests. See how you stack up against international competition. |
| 6/3/00 | http://www.mainxed.com/ | Main Xchange Stock Game | This site has an online stock exchange investment simulator. There are lesson plans and instructions for introducing your class to investing. |
| 6/3/00 | http://www.funbrain.com/math/ | Math Baseball | Good site for practicing math facts online while playing a game. |
| 6/4/00 | http://www.actden.com/ | MathDen | This site offers seven separate dens, where the visitor can access different educational topics. One of the dens is the math den where students can solve challenging math problems. |

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| 6/4/00 | http://www.theory.csc.uvic.ca/~mmania/index.html | Mathmania | A site dedicated to helping young students look at higher mathematics through introducing openended problems. The site provides tutorials and related problems to give students background attempting solutions to the problems. |
| 6/5/00 | http://www.thinkquest.org/tqic/index.shtml | ThinkQuest | The ThinkQuest Internet Challenge is an international program for students ages 12 through 19 that encourages them to use the Internet to create information-rich Web-based educational tools and materials . Students form teams with their colleagues from around the world and are mentored by teachers or other adult coaches. |
| 6/5/00 | http://library.thinkquest.org/26342/sections/aboutmm/index.h | Math Mania | This site includes math lessons, algebra lessons, and geometry lessons written by students. Thier are also games and other related sites all created by students in the ThinkQuest program. |
| 6/6/00 | http://www.moneyopolis.org/ | Moneyopolis | This site was currently down as it was being revamped. The purpose of the site is to use math skill in the context of real life money matters. The site is designed for sixth through eighth graders. |
| 6/6/00 | http://tqjunior.thinkquest.org/4116/index.htm | Online Math Applications | A ThinkQuest site developed by sixth grade students. The investment site is excellent. It would be really cool to get a group of students involved in this. |
| 6/7/00 | http://www.planemath.com/ | Plane Math | This site sponsored by NASA allows the student to solve interactive problems that involve flight and math. |
| 6/8/00 | http://www.algebra-online.com/ | Algebra Online | Algebra on-line is a free service providing teachers, students, and parents access to private tutoring, chat, and a message board. |
| 6/8/00 | http://www.figurethis.org/index40.htm | Do Math | This site has a variety of math challenges that students can do with each other, parents, or by themselves. The site is hosted by the U.S. Dept of Education. |

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| 6/9/00 | www.manufacturingiscool.com/cgi-bin/mfgcoolhtml.pl?/home | Manufacturing is Cool | Site hosted by the Society of Manufacturing Engineers. The site lists various competetions around the country. There is also a lot of information about manufacturing engineering and pursuing a career in the field. |
| 6/9/00 | http://www.unidata.ucar.edu/staff/russ/mathcounts/diaz.htm | MathCounts Bible | This site lists math formulas that the host feels you must memorize to be successful in math. |
| 6/9/00 | http://forum.swarthmore.edu/ | Math Forum | This is a super site. The site has a comprehensive list of math lessons available on the internet, along with grade level listings of math resources. Included in the site are the Math Forum Student Center, and Ask Dr. Math. |
| 6/10/00 | http://www.mathhobbyist.com/ | The Math Hoobyist | This site offers some interesting insights to simple math problems. |
| 6/11/00 | http://www.mathleague.com/ | Math Leauge | The Math League is dedicated to bringing challenging mathematics materials to students. The Math League specializes in math contests that stimulate interest and confidence in mathematics for students in grades 4 through high school. |
| 6/11/00 | ://www.geocities.com/CapeCanaveral/Hangar/7773/index.html | Mathematrix | Interesting site for looking at different math concepts. The site is designed for people who enjoy more abstract math. |
| 6/11/00 | http://problems.math.umd.edu/index.htm | MathPro Online | This site is an index of challengeing math problems used in math competetions around the world. Solutions are referenced bu not posted with the problem. |
| 6/12/00 | http://206.152.229.6/Other_Sites/Sites.html | MathCounts | Database of math sites created by visitors to the MathCounts site. Many of the links in this log were referenced here. |
| 6/12/00 | http://www.mathstories.com/ | Math Word Problems | This site has over 4,000 story, word problems arranged by difficulty for students grades K-6. |
| 6/12/00 | p://www.cs.uidaho.edu/~casey931/mega-math/welcome.html | MegaMath | This site is intended to bring important and abstract math concepts inot perspective for elementary math students. |
| 6/13/00 | http://www.futures-careers.org/wantthisjob/index.html | Want This Job? | Great site where students can see a video clip about the math and science required in various careers. |

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| 6/13/00 | http://www.stfx.ca/special/mathproblems/welcome.html | Word Problems for Kids | This Web Site contains word problems for students and teachers. The problems are classified into grade levels from Grade 5 to Grade 12. This is not a test but a set of carefully collected problems which can help you improve your problem solving skills. There is a hint link for each problem. |
| 6/14/00 | http://www.agnesscott.edu/lriddle/women/women.htm | Women Mathematicians | This site has a numerous listing of different biographies with pictures of female mathematicians. The sites purpose is to recognize the achievements and importance of females in the field of mathematics. |
| 6/14/00 | http://newdream.net/~sage/old/numbers/ | Fun with Numbers | This site contains programs written to find various mathematical data, random numbers, first 1,000 primes etc. |
| 6/14/00 | http://math.furman.edu/~mwoodard/mqs/mquot.shtml | Mathematical Quotations | This site is a database of famous mathematical quotes from some of the world's foremost mathematicians throughout history. Would be a good site to get a quote of the day from. |
| 6/15/00 | http://www.joyofpi.com/thebook.htm | Joy of Pi | This site is all about the constant Pi. It lists the first 10,000 digits of Pi. it is also a sells pitch for a book about Pi. Would be fun to show the students. |
| 6/15/00 | http://www-groups.dcs.st-and.ac.uk/~history/index.html | History of Mathematics | This site is a database of articles on math history. It has its own serach engine that allows the user to punch in key words to search the database. |
| 6/15/00 | http://world.std.com/~reinhold/dir/mathmovies.html | Math in the Movies | This site is a database with links to a variety of Hollywood films that have some connection in their plot with mathematics. |
| 6/16/00 | http://www.scottkim.com/ | Puzzle Master | This site contains a variety of mathematical puzzels that can be worked online or printed and worked off line. |
| 6/16/00 | http://www.worldofescher.com/ | World of Escher | This site is a historical site celebrating the works of M.C. Escher. Although it is a site to sell products it has good visuals where the students can examine the works. |

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| 6/17/00 | http://www.unl.edu/amc/ | American Mathematics Company | This site provides links to various math competetions for junior high and high school students. The links describe the various tests,the times of them and where they are offered. |
| 6/17/00 | http://www.midlevels.org/ | The Mandelbrot Midlevels | The goal of this site is to present exciting new mathematical topics to middle school students at any ability level while also identifying and challenging the very best students in the nation. |
| 6/17/00 | http://www.moems.org/ | Math Olympiad Site | This site is an index site for math olympiad. The links were not working, but it would be worth checking out. |
| 6/18/00 | http://www.youth.net/math.oly/welcome.html | International math Olympics | The International Math Olympics encourages all students in a class to learn their addition and multiplication facts with both accuracy and speed. there are individual events and class average events to encourage team spirit and effort by all class members. The competetition is run using number munchers. |
| 6/18/00 | http://www.olemiss.edu/mathed/problem.htm | Casio Connection | This site offers challenging math problems at a variety of levels. Winners of each contest are awarded casio calculators and their names are published on the web site. |
| 6/18/00 | http://www.mathleague.com/contests.htm | Math League Contests | The Math League has Math Contests for Grades 4 through 8 students. Students from the United States and Canada are encouraged to participate. The goal is to solve worthwhile mathematical problems. |
| 6/18/00 | http://www-epgy.stanford.edu/ | Education Programs for the Gifted | The Education Program for Gifted Youth grows out of more than 35 years of research at Stanford University in both gifted education and computer-based distance learning. |
| 6/18/00 | http://www.mars2030.net/inner.htm | Mars Millennium Project | This site is hosted by the U.S. Dept of Education. Its challenge is to study our own communities to take the best qualities of each and then plan a Martian community of 100 transplanted Earthlings. |

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| 6/18/00 | http://www.thinkquest.org/index.shtml | ThinkQuest 2000 | students ages 12-19 that encourages them to use the Internet to create information-rich Web_based educational tools and materials. Students form teams with their colleagues from around the world and are mentored by teachers or ather adult coaches. In the running for more than \$1 million in scholarships students learn collaboration and thinking skills that raise their level of education. |
| 6/19/00 6/19/00 | http://library.thinkquest.org/12006/ http://library.thinkquest.org/28032/ | ThinkQuest Entry Best of Contest ThinkQuest 1999 | This is a site about basketball. The study of electricity has captivated scientific minds for centuries subsequent electrical discoveries have changed our way of life and our perception of the cosmos. |
| 6/18/00 | http://library.thinkquest.org/26183/ | Platinum Winner 1999 Contest | Arts |
| 6/18/00 | http://library.thinkquest.org/25486/ | Platinum Winner 1999 Contest | Aerodynamics |