

Web Page Evaluation Form

Computer Literacy 1 Fall 2008

My name: _____

Topic: _____

Title of web page: _____

URL: http:// _____

1. Does the site indicate when the page was created? _____
(If yes, include date) _____
Does the site indicate the most recent update? _____
(If yes, include date) _____

2. Check all that apply. This site provides access to:
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| <input type="checkbox"/> research information | <input type="checkbox"/> Q and A with experts | <input type="checkbox"/> hobbyist's site |
| <input type="checkbox"/> current news | <input type="checkbox"/> material for teachers | <input type="checkbox"/> advertisements |
| <input type="checkbox"/> advocacy site | | <input type="checkbox"/> links to related information |
| <input type="checkbox"/> other: | | |
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3. What is the **purpose** of this **page**?

Who (including what organization/company, etc.) is responsible for the **content** on the page?

What is the **purpose/mission** of the **organization** (or company, institution, etc.) that sponsors the website?

Does the web site provide a way to contact the author/creator? Yes No

The author/creator is associated with:
 K-12 school university government agency organization company
 other (e.g., personal page):

4. Where did the author/creator get the materials? (If it's a news story, talk about how reporters get their information)

Is the source credited (documented) on the page? Yes No

5. Does the information appear to be accurate? Yes No

6. Is there a bias or point of view? Yes No

Please describe and explain whether or not the bias affects the quality of the information.

7. Are there links to **outside** sites? Yes No

Are those links useful? Yes No

Are the links still active? Yes No

8. Could you have gotten information on this **general topic** elsewhere? Yes No

If yes, which types of print or online sources would have worked as well?

9. After thinking about the above questions, explain why this Web site would be truly useful to your project. How would you use the information it provides?