

# What's Best for My School?

Selecting the right digital information resource for your school classroom or library can be challenging. We've created this checklist to assist you in your evaluation of *Britannica School*.

CRITERIA	 <b>Britannica School</b>	OTHER	OTHER
<b>Where can this product be used?</b>	In the classroom, in the school library, and at home for homework		
<b>For which grade levels?</b>	PreK-12		
<b>How age-appropriate is the content organization and presentation?</b>	Provides separate portals for: <ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>• Early childhood education (Learning Zone)</li> <li>• Elementary school</li> <li>• Middle school</li> <li>• High school</li> </ul>		
<b>How does the content support the Common Core and state standards?</b>	Valuable for providing nonfiction text to support reading in the content areas, developing research, critical thinking, and vocabulary skills		
<b>What type of nonfiction resources are provided?</b>	Articles, images, audios, videos, animations, editor-recommended Web sites, dictionary, thesaurus, and world atlas. Britannica Elementary Encyclopedia, Britannica Middle School Encyclopedia, and Encyclopædia Britannica  Features games, interactive lessons, study guides, virtual manipulatives, and lesson plans		
<b>How authoritative is the content?</b>	Information is written, updated, edited, and reviewed by the world's leading content experts.		
<b>How frequently is content updated?</b>	Every two weeks, with 1,200+ articles and 1,000+ photographs, videos, illustrations, and maps		
<b>Is there support for differentiated instruction and learning?</b>	Students can click on the reading level that is right for them while remaining in the same Elementary, Middle, or High School interface.  Read-aloud and translation functions, quick-click dictionary, and font-size-changer tools maximize each student's ability to access content.  Connected multimedia components, learning games, and manipulatives aid visual learners.		

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<b>How does the product's interactivity serve an instructional purpose?</b>	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>• Allows students to easily search tag, save, and share content. Builds time management and digital literacy skills.</li> <li>• Makes it easy for teachers to create, tag, save, share, and search lesson plans</li> </ul> <p>Unique elementary interface provides developmentally-appropriate experiences and customized views for younger students.</p>		
<b>On what types of devices can the product be viewed?</b>	<p>Computers, laptops, tablets, smartphones, interactive whiteboards, and any other device with an Internet connection and web browser</p>		
<b>Do you get the same viewing experience on all devices?</b>	<p>Responsive design automatically and instantly adjusts the viewing experience for whatever device is being used.</p>		
<b>Is the product compatible with integrated search and discovery, library automation, and learning management systems?</b>	<p>Full compatibility</p>		
<b>What type of support for teachers is provided?</b>	<p>Embedded resources include step-by-step, interactive lesson plan builders.</p> <p>Lesson plans can be easily shared and marked as Favorites for later use.</p> <p>E-newsletters and professional development provide ongoing support throughout the subscription period.</p>		
<b>What is the nature of the product's technical support?</b>	<p>Dedicated sales support specialists oversee the implementation process. Answers to any technical questions are only a phone call or e-mail message away.</p>		

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