

MCGT Homeschoolers

Recommended Resources and Support

Math

Miquon Math
Singapore Math
Art of Problem Solving
Life of Fred
www.aleks.com
EPGY distance learning mathematics
Thinkwell
Family Math
Margaret Lial texts: Algebra & on
www.TabletClass.com

Science

Conceptual Physical Science
By Hewitt and Suchocki
Thinkwell: Chemistry, Biology, Physics
Apologia
NOVA Science Now
HedFex co-op
Joy Hakim's Science texts
Plato Learning

Grammar

Rex Barks (sentence diagramming)
Royal Fireworks Press (www.rfwp.com):
Michael Clay Thompson texts
EPGY: Grammar of the English Sentence and
Writing series
Voyages in English (Loyola Press)
OnlineG3.com (uses MCT texts)
OnlineA3.com

Reading/Phonics

Phonics Pathways
Ordinary Parents Guide to Teaching Reading
Explode the Code
Listen, Read & Learn
Megawords
Primary Phonics
Let's Read: A Linguistic Approach
by Bloomfield and Barnhart
Why Johnny Can't Read
By Rudolf Flesch

Spelling

Spelling Power
www.spellingcity.com

Handwriting

Getty-Dubay Italic Handwriting
Handwriting Without Tears

History

Story of the World
History of US
By Joy Hakim
Thinkwell American Government
Tapestry of Grace
Sonlight
Child's History of the World
Usborne history books
Royal Fireworks Press:
Self-Evident Truths Series
Teaching Company: Linwood Thomson's
History videos
OnlineG3.com (uses History of US)
OnlineA3.com (uses Story of the World)

Literature

Sonlight
Online G3: Lightning Literature

Music

Children's Yamaha Music School
Northwestern College Academy of Music
MacPhail Center for Music

Foreign Language

French: Alliance Francaise
Latin: Oxford Latin
Wheelock Latin
German: Fokus Deutsch
Spanish: Interlingo Spanish
Destinos
Chinese: Chinese Primer
Chinese Pod (podcast/tutoring)
Auralog: Tell Me Now
Concordia Language Villages
Rosetta Stone

Art

Draw Write Now

Drawing with Children by Mona Brooks

Drawing on the Right Side of the Brain

By Betty Edwards

Usborne Art books

Sister Wendy books/DVDs

HedFex co-op

Organizational Tips

www.myhomeschoolplan.com

Websites

www.rainbowresource.com

www.homeschooldiner.com

www.artofproblemsolving.com

www.collegeconfidential.com

www.impishidea.com

www.learninfreedom.org

www.homeschoolrecess.com (regional events, homeschool days, field trips)

www.learner.org (on-demand videos)

The Mechanical Universe

(Physics from CalTech)

The Western Tradition (Western Civ)

Fokus Deutsch (German)

Destinos (Spanish)

<http://www.hoagiesgifted.org>

one of the most extensive sites on all issues related to gifted children and gifted education. The homeschooling section is a great place to start researching the specific issues, needs, and concerns of gifted homeschoolers.

<http://www.tagfam.org>

Families of the Gifted and talented runs several email discussion lists.

One of the lists, TAGMAX, specifically focuses on homeschooling gifted kids.

On-line Instruction

K12

MTS Connections Academy

University of Missouri Center for Distance and Independent Study

([//cdis.missouri.edu/](http://cdis.missouri.edu/))

Stanford University's EPGY

Local Resources

(Co-ops and Support Groups)

HedFex (Home Educators for Excellence)

East Metro Eclectic Homeschoolers

ECHO-MN

South Heights Christian Classes

YEAH (Youth Educated at Home) and The Academy

MHA (see next page)

MACHE (see next page)

Homeschool Adventures (yahoo group)

Local Museums with Classes

Leonardo's Basement

The Works

Bakken Museum

Science Museum of MN

Pavek Museum of Broadcasting

Other Resources

IEW-Institute for Excellence in Writing

Alice Programming Language

Teaching Company Videos

MindWorlds

eIMACS

CTD-talent search, website

JHU-CTY

Davidson Institute

AP cram books published by Barron's

Ambleside Online: (Charlotte Mason style)

Creative Home Schooling

By Lisa Rivero

The Well Trained Mind

By Susan Wise-Bauer & Jesse Wise

Anything by John Taylor Gatto

Sonlight secular online yahoo group

Online G3 and Online A3

Minnesota Homeschoolers' Alliance (MHA)

<http://www.homeschoolers.org>

"The Minnesota Homeschoolers' Alliance is a nonprofit 501(c)(3), nonpolitical, nonsectarian organization committed to:

1. Encouraging and enabling homeschooling families through education, networking opportunities, activities, and guidance on homeschooling issues
2. Providing information and support to families considering the home schooling option; and,
3. Raising community awareness, correcting misconceptions, and providing information about the legal option of home education.

MHA is committed to fulfilling its mission without discrimination based on race, religion, or educational philosophy." (MHA website).

Minnesota Association of Christian Home Educators (MACHE)

<http://www.mache.org>

"The Minnesota Association of Christian Home Educators (MÂCHÉ say "mah shay") was formed in 1983 to encourage Christian families in the home education of their children. MACHE is a statewide, facilitating organization for all parents who have chosen to home-school. MACHE is a Minnesota non-profit corporation, tax exempt under Section 501(c)(3) of the Internal Revenue Code." (MACHE website).

Minnesota Department of Children, Families, and Learning

<http://cfl.state.mn.us>

The Minnesota Department of Children, Families, and Learning receives reports from local school districts about the number of homeschoolers in the state. It compiles an information packet about homeschooling, mailed to inquirers on request.

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