



Making the Web Work for Your Professional Development

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Everything begins here: bmuench.wikispaces.com

Click on “**Networked Learning**”

Social Bookmarking – Let others do the digging for you

- ✓ Diigo – www.diigo.com User Name: _____
- Set up a Diigo account
- Join the 007 educator group
- ☆ Make an annotation on “Educational Blogs You Should Be Investigating”
- ☆ Find a resource for your subject area and save a bookmark to the group
- Delicious – www.delicious.com

Microblogging – Keep Your Ear to the Ground

- Twitter – www.twitter.com – more big name users
- Plurk – www.plurk.com – threaded discussions
User Name: _____
- Set up a Twitter or Plurk account
- Follow bmuench and send her a private or direct message
- Find 3 educators to follow
- ☆ Add your name to the Educators on Twitter/Plurk wiki
- ☆ Send out a message with your blog address
- ☆ Find and follow your “team mates”

RSS Feed Readers – Your Custom Newspaper

- ✓ Google Reader
- Set up a Google Account (this is not the same as a gmail account)
- Find 2 feeds/blogs to add to your reader
- Make folders to organize your reader

Start Pages – Staying Organized

- ✓ iGoogle Pages – www.igoogle.com
- Insert a google reader widget
- Insert a Twitter or Plurk widget
- Insert 2 other widgets of your choice
- Send a Tweet or Plurk from your Start Page
- Netvibes – www.netvibes.com

Wrap up this mission!

- Write a reflective blog comment about how these new tools could change your teaching in the next week/month/year at www.techtempo.com

Extra Mission:

Blog – Contribute to the Community

- ✓ Blogger – www.blogger.com (Log on using your Google Account)
- Set up a blog on Blogger
- Leave a comment on Brenda’s blog at www.techtempo.com with the address of your new blog.
- Begin your “About Me” page
- ☆ Begin a post about your experience with blogging so far
- Wordpress – www.wordpress.com
- Edublogs – www.edublogs.org

K12 Online Conference

<http://k12onlineconference.org/>

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