

# Busy Teacher Resources

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## Language Arts Visual Learning Aids

**VISUWORDS™**  
online graphical dictionary

<http://www.visuwords.com/>

"Visuwords™ online graphical dictionary — Look up words to find their meanings and associations with other words and concepts. Produce diagrams reminiscent of a neural net. Learn how words associate."

**Quizlet™**

<http://quizlet.com/>

*Andrew Sutherland, creator of Quizlet, president of Brainflare, web developer, and high school student.*

"My mission for **Quizlet** is to make learning vocabulary not a chore. I know a lot of teachers assign vocabulary to students, but few students actually "absorb" words into their vocabularies after they take their test. Which kind of defeats the purpose, right? So **Quizlet** is my response - it aims to make learning fun, thus make learning effective. At the very least, it can help students do better on quizzes and tests even if they don't fully "absorb" their words." **Can be used for any age group.**

**WRITINGDEN**



"WritingDEN is designed for students Grades 6 through 12 seeking to improve their English reading, comprehension, and writing skills. WritingDEN is divided into three levels of difficulty: Words, Sentences and Paragraphs." Stop by—see more.

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