

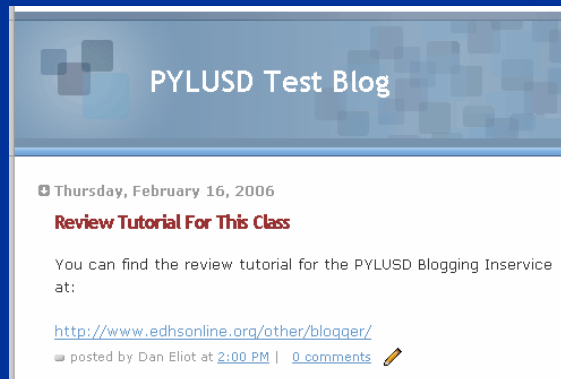


Blogs, Blogging and Blogger

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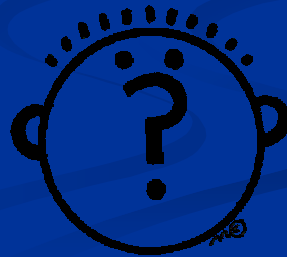
“Test Blog” For This Class

- <http://testpylusd.blogspot.com/>
- Includes a Flash video review of content!



What is a Blog?

- Blog is short for "Web Log".
- Think of a Blog as an endless journal
- Usually, new "entries" are added at the top, and older entries are found below or "archived".



What is a Blog?

- My favorite blog, **This Week In Tech**
- <http://www.twit.tv/>

Security Now 26: How the Internet Works, Pt. 2

Submitted by Leo Laporte on 9 February, 2006 - 9:44am.

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Part 2 of Steve's discussion of how the fundamental Internet technologies work. This and the previous episode will provide the foundation for our future podcasts on Internet security issues.

Steve also hosts transcripts, show notes, and a 16kbps version of the show for the bandwidth impaired at grc.com.

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Why Blog?

- Quick and easy for teachers.
- Can replace a teacher web site.
- Communicate with parents & students.
- Web links, assignments, readings, supplemental information for students.
- Professional sharing, communication.
- Student blogs?

Blogging Links

- Blogging In Education:
<http://awd.cl.uh.edu/blog/>
- Blogging Across The Curriculum
<http://tinyurl.com/7evkn>
- Elementary School Blog
<http://elementary-school.blogspot.com/>

Blogging Links

- Weblogg-ed, The Read/Write Web
<http://www.weblogg-ed.com/>
- Google Blog Search
<http://blogsearch.google.com/>
- Educational Weblogs
<http://educational.blogs.com/>

Blogger vs. Blogspot

IMPORTANT POINT:

- (1) You edit your blog at
<http://www.blogger.com>
- (2) You view your blog at
<http://blogname.blogspot.com>



Blogger.com

HELP AND EXTRAS:

(1) Basic and Advanced Help

<http://help.blogger.com/>

(2) MS Word Plugin

<http://buzz.blogger.com/bloggerforword.html>

Blogger.com

OUR MENU FOR TODAY:

(1) Set up an account and a blog

(2) Create some posts on our blog

(3) Review some cool features:

- images
- controlling comments
- more templates
- blog via: email, MS Word, cell phone

(4) Answer your questions!