

**Internet Public Library** – (ipl2) the best of the internet for teachers, researchers, students, and parents!

## **AUTOMOTIVE**

**Automobile Magazine** -- New and used car info, pricing, reviews, and an industry blog

**Autotropolis** -- New and used car info, loan calculator, car rankings, blogs, links to car dealers

**Edmund's Automobile Buyer's Guides** -- Used car appraiser, safety information, car reviews

**Kelley Blue Book** -- Current, accurate prices on new and used cars

**NADA** -- Research cars, motorcycles, boats, recreational vehicles and more

## **BOOKS and READING**

**StarTribune Books** -- Reviews and articles from the Minneapolis StarTribune

**Bookspot** -- the book information portal of the Web, brings the best book-related sites together

**Fantastic Fiction** -- Bibliographies for over 30,000 authors, including new books, series, and awards

## **BUSINESS**

**SBA** (U.S. Small Business Administration) -- Assistance for small business owners, workshops, planning, & counseling

**ThomasNet** -- Locate manufacturers, distributors, and service providers throughout the U.S.

**Yahoo! Finance** -- News, the economy, market reports, & personal finance

## **EDUCATION**

**Adult Literacy** (Minnesota Literacy Council) – Available tutoring and literacy programs

**FAFSA** -- Free application for federal student aid

[Federal Student Aid](#) -- Preparing, choosing, and applying for grants, loans, work-study programs

[Peterson's](#) -- Guide to colleges and universities, K-12 schools, and continuing education

## **EMPLOYMENT and JOBS**

[Career Builder](#) -- Job listings and career resource center

[Career One Stop](#) -- Education & training; job search, resume advice, links to state job sites

[Federal Jobs](#) -- Locate and apply for government jobs

[Minnesota Jobs](#) -- Job opportunities, resumes, and links to employers in MN

[Minnesota's Job Bank](#) -- current jobs in Minnesota, for jobseekers and employers

[Unemployment Insurance](#) -- Info for employers and the unemployed, applicant assistance

[WorkForce Centers](#) -- Locations of Workforce centers in Minnesota

[Occupational Outlook Handbook](#) -- Information on career choices

## **GENEALOGY and HISTORY**

[Cyndi's List of Genealogy Sites](#) -- More than 177,000 links in 150 categories

[Family Search](#) -- Comprehensive database sponsored by the Mormon Church

[Minnesota GenWeb](#) -- Find your family roots in the North Star State, links to county resources

[Minnesota Historical Society](#) -- Access the research library, birth and death indexes, and more

[Minnesota Reflections](#) -- Images and photographs from organizations throughout the state

[National Archives](#) -- Military, passport, immigration, naturalization, and other records

## **GOVERNMENT**

[Census](#) -- Access to the U.S. Census Bureau, including the 2010 census

[City Data](#) -- Profiles of U.S. cities; stats on housing, income, real estate, businesses, and more

**Federal Government** (USA.gov) -- links to federal agencies, Census Bureau, National Archives, the White House, state governments, and more

**Minnesota North Star** -- Official state website, contact elected officials, business and jobs, education, social services, transportation, natural resources

**Ordinances** -- Minnesota town, city, and county laws

**Postal Service** -- Find a zip code, calculate postage, track and confirm delivery of packages

**Statutes, Session Laws, & Rules** -- from the Minnesota State Legislature

**Taxes (Federal)** -- Internal Revenue Service; locates forms, publications, and contact info

**Taxes (State)** -- Minnesota Dept. of Revenue; locate and print forms for individual, business, and property taxes; contact information

## HEALTH

**Mayo Clinic** -- Information on diseases, drugs, first aid, and more

**MedicineNet** -- Reliable doctor-produced health and medical information

**MedlinePlus** -- Consumer health and medical info; search health topics, drug information, and a medical encyclopedia

**Merck Manual** -- Access to the world's most widely used medical textbook

**WebMD** -- Find a doctor or hospital; info on drugs, supplements, diseases, and disorders; use the pill identification tool; read health updates

## LAW and LEGAL

**Copyright** -- Questions about copyright answered by the U.S. Copyright Office

**EEOC** -- Equal Employment Opportunity Commission investigates charges pertaining to employment discrimination

**FindLaw.Com** -- Searchable online legal database

**Law Help** -- Helps low-income Minnesotans solve civil legal problems

**Law Moose** -- The Minnesota Legal Web

**Legal Aid Service of Mid-Minnesota (MMLA)** -- Free legal advice and representation for low-income residents of mid-Minnesota

**Legal Aid Service of Northeastern Minnesota (LASNEM)** -- Free legal advice and representation for low-income residents of northeastern Minnesota

**Medicare** -- Eligibility, enrollment, plan choices, and claims

**Minnesota Courts** -- Supreme, District, and Court of Appeals. Access opinions, rules, and forms

**Minnesota Dept. of Human Rights** -- Investigates charges of illegal discrimination under the Human Rights Act

**Minnesota Help** -- Human services, financial and food assistance; links to services for the homeless, seniors, and others, including "immediate help"

**Minnesota State Law Library** -- "Ask a Librarian" for help; access the library catalog, internet resources, and government documents

**Social Security Administration** -- Benefits, retirement, disability, Medicare/Medicaid

## MISCELLANEOUS

**Anywho Directory** -- Business and personal phone numbers, reverse directory

**Citations** -- Select a citation type (print or electronic) and complete the form: APA, MLA, Chicago, Turabian

**Consumer Search** -- Top-rated products, based on expert & user reviews

**Convert It** -- Currencies, miles, kilometers, gallons, liters, temperature, and more

**Dictionaries** -- Access to over 400 dictionaries, including general, art, foreign language, and medical

**Explore Minnesota** -- Activities, scenic byways, lodging, and camping

**Home Town News** -- Access more than 2,400 daily and weekly U.S. newspapers

**Journals** -- (DOAJ) Open access full-text scholarly and scientific journal articles

**Maps** -- (Google Maps) View maps, zoom, drag and drop, and get directions -- worldwide!

**Merck Veterinary Manual** -- Animal health information suitable for veterinarians and pet-owners.

**National Weather Service** -- Warnings & forecasts; maps; links to radar, climate, information center

**Sheet Music Consortium** -- Access an open collection of digitized sheet music

**Translate Languages** -- (Babel Fish) Translate text or web pages from a foreign language to English and vice versa

**Weather Underground** -- Weather for any city, state, or country; also historical weather data!