

**Monthly** Newsletter

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http://www.infotopia.info/thanksgiving.html

- Using our Thanksgiving resources (see Plimouth Plantation), you can take on the role of a "history detective" to investigate what really happened at the famous 1621 celebration.
- Read the article from National Geographic to learn about Thanksgiving traditions around the U.S. or take a quiz on Thanksgiving to see how much you know.
- Find out about the history of the holiday from the History Channel.
- Check out some eThemes on Thanksgiving from the University of Missouri.
- Most of all, find something you are thankful for and have a Happy Thanksgiving.



## Welcome!

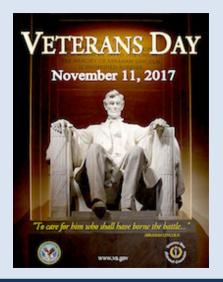
Welcome to the students and teachers of Natick, Massachusetts! We're happy you are using Infotopia.info, Infotrek.info and Kidtopia.info for your research needs!



November 11th is Veterans Day and Remembrance Day for most countries. Does your school have an assembly to honor veterans in the community? For resources, check out our web directory at:

http://www.infotopia.info/veterans\_day.html

You can find interviews with veterans, songs from World War I and II, posters from the wars, craft ideas and other ways to thank veterans for their service.











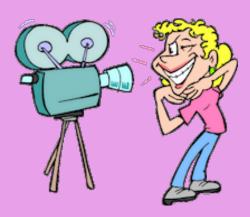


## **Infotopia World YouTube Channel**

https://www.youtube.com/user/infotopiaworld

Does your school use YouTube? If so, don't forget to sign up for our Infotopia World YouTube channel. After 35+ years of teaching and being a school librarian, I have the expertise to create and publish educational videos on our channel. Check out our six most popular videos below.

- 1. September 16<sup>th</sup>: Mexican Independence Day
- 2. Texas Indians: Karankawas
- 3. What are Primary Sources?
- 4. Kidtopia is for Kids: Let's Learn to Do Research
- 5. Infotopia Presents: Texas Indians— The Apaches
- 6. Help! I Have to do a Science Project!



We need suggestions for new topics for YouTube videos. Please send us an email (bell (at) infotopia.info) with the specific subject and grade level and we'll produce it! Some of our videos that were suggested by teachers include: landforms, the states of matter, community helpers, endangered animals, and the phases of the moon!

Which of our videos is your favorite and why?

Our search engines/web directories include:

http://www.infotopia.info
http://www.kidtopia.info
http://www.kidtopiagames.com
http://www.infotrek.info
http://www.virtuallrc.com
http://www.academicindex.net
http://www.teachertopia.info

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http://www.infotopia.info/foreign\_languages.html Check out our recommendations for the following:

- French
- German
- Spanish
- English (ESL)
- American Sign Language