

ReadWriteThink provides educators, students, parents, and afterschool providers access to the highest quality practices and resources in reading and English language arts instruction. The site is developed by the International Reading Association and the National Council of Teachers of English.

Using ReadWriteThink

To visit ReadWriteThink from the Verizon Thinkfinity homepage, click on the Partner Site logo or type the URL **ReadWriteThink.org** into the address line of your Web browser and press Enter.

The numbered list below corresponds to the screenshot on the right showing the features of the homepage.

- ① Visit **ReadWriteThink** for standards-based, online reading and English language arts resources for K-12 educators, students, and families.
- ② Go to the **International Reading Association** Web site.
- ③ Access the **National Council of Teachers of English** Web site.
- ④ Find general information about the site and ways to get involved, such as a Contribute form, RSS feeds, FAQs, Technical Help, and a link to Contact Us with questions or comments.
- ⑤ Use the drop-down navigation menus to easily access resources in the four main sections of the site: **Classroom Resources**, **Professional Development**, **About Us**, **Parents and Afterschool Resources**
- ⑥ Find out about new and timely resources on the site through the dynamic, rotating homepage feature.
- ⑦ Use the powerful keyword search and filters to quickly **Search** for resources that meet your needs.
- ⑧ Browse an extensive collection of K-12 reading and English language arts **Classroom Resources**. Here you'll find lesson plans, student interactives, calendar activities, and printouts.
- ⑨ Engage in **Professional Development** that will enhance your skills through the use of strategy guides, a professional library, meetings, events and online training opportunities.
- ⑩ Browse the developing collection of **Parent & Afterschool Resources** organized by grade level to support literacy learning outside of school.
- ⑪ Become inspired by educators who are sharing how ReadWriteThink resources are supporting their teaching, and contribute your own experiences in **Community Stories**.
- ⑫ Go directly to a collection of teacher resources for a specific grade level.
- ⑬ Access the **Verizon Thinkfinity** Web site.



IRA and NCTE:

The **International Reading Association (IRA)** is an international membership organization dedicated to improving the quality of reading instruction, disseminating information about reading and encouraging the lifetime reading habit.

The **National Council of Teachers of English (NCTE)** is a membership organization dedicated to improving the teaching and learning of English and the language arts at all levels of education.