

Using the Internet

We will learn to use the Internet to **study English** and **find information in English**.

What is the **Internet**?

A connection of networks from all over the world that you can go to on the computer.

Note: you must have an electronic connection to do this.

Some Internet Vocabulary:

1. **www** = world wide web; the beginning letters of most addresses you use on the Internet
2. **web** = net, or internet; a web is a connection of places
3. **address** = the place you want to go to (usually begins with **www.**); you put the address in the address bar
4. **address bar** = the place above your webpage where you type the address you want to go to
5. **homepage** = the first page you see when you go to a web address

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6. **ISP** = Internet Service Provider; the company you pay money to (at home) which connects you to the Internet (*at school students don't pay)
7. **Internet Explorer** = one of the companies we can use at CCSF to go on the Internet
8. **Netscape** = another company we can use at CCSF to go on the Internet
9. **icon** = a picture that means a word; for example,

the



icon means

Internet Explorer;

the Firefox (ISP) icon is:

