

Literacy for All
A Look at Talking Books
Resources - Spring 2006

Web links to more talking books:

- <http://atschool.eduweb.co.uk/meldreth/textandinfo/Powerp/Media2.html>
(resource for accessible books and activities created in PowerPoint and other multimedia products at a variety of different interest levels)
- www.petewells.co.uk
(PowerPoint stories with a strongly humorous twist for older students)
- www.priorywoods.middlesbrough.sch.uk/resources/books.htm
(talking books, book template and other switch activities)
- http://www.cliu.org/se/assistive_technology.aspx
(AT resource cd with PPT stories)
- www.actden.com/pp/index.htm
(PowerPoint in the classroom tutorials)

Resources for digital images:

- Pics for Learning
<http://pics.tech4learning.com/>
- AP Multimedia Archive
<http://ap.accuweather.com>
(available to k12 schools and public libraries)
- Ditto
<http://www.ditto.com/>
- Google Image Search
<http://images.google.com/>
- Classroom Clipart
<http://classroomclipart.com>
- Kids Image Search Tools
<http://www.kidsclick.org/psearch.html>
- Free Foto
<http://www.freefoto.com>
- Free Images
<http://www.freeimages.co.uk>
- Microsoft Clip Art Gallery
<http://dgl.microsoft.com>

Resources for Audio

- The Free Site
http://www.thefreesite.com/free_Sounds/
- The Wav Place
<http://thewavplace.com/>
- Free Cartoon Sounds
<http://www.freeze.com>
- Free Audio Clips
<http://www.freeaudioclips.com/>

Power Talk 1.2.4

Automatic Speech for Power Pt presentations - Windows
<http://fullmeasure.co.uk/PowerTalk/>

Software for creating talking books:

- Microsoft Power Point
www.microsoft.com
- Task Builder - SoftTouch
www.softtouch.com
- Boardmaker Plus - Mayer-Johnson
www.mayer-johnson.com
- Classroom Suite - Intellitools
www.intellitools.com