Free Online Resources for Idaho Residents

Libraries Linking Idaho Databases (LiLI-D) at lili.org
LiLI connects Idaho residents with top-quality academic and professional resources, a readers advisory service, and a highly regarded encyclopedia. Over 35 databases offer full-text articles from magazines, professional journals, newspapers, reference books, and more. There’s something for everyone:

- Students will find homework help and sources for academic research.
- Consumers can access health and financial information.
- Small businesses can review market research reports.
- Entrepreneurs can take advantage of startup resources.

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LearningExpress Library (LEL) at lili.org/LearningExpress
LEL offers online Learning Centers for:

- Elementary, Middle, High School, and College students.
- GED Preparation, including prep courses and practice exams.
- College Preparation, including practice exams for Advanced Placement (AP), COMPASS, ASSET, CLEP, ACT, and SAT tests.
- Job Search and Workplace Skills, including resume writing, interviewing, and business writing courses and eBooks.
- Popular Software Tutorials, including Microsoft Office Courses.
- Professional licensing and certification test prep.

In addition, the Learning Centers include skill-building resources for adults; resources for Spanish speakers; and over 800 practice tests, skill-building courses, and eBooks.

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Scout Video Collections at scout.lili.org
Scout includes:

- Scout, Classroom Edition—where Idaho teachers and students have immediate access to more than 14,000 research-based instructional resources, short videos, and animations.
- Scout, Idaho Collection—with collections of online video resources about Idaho (Adventure, History, People & Culture, Places, Natural Resource Issues, Science, Wild Things, and Writers Collection) that include full, award-winning, local programs.

Developed as part of “online @ your library,” maintained and updated with new content by Idaho Public Television for 5 years.

Find more about these services at http://libraries.idaho.gov and http://lili.org/.

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Maximize Your Job Search online workshop at labor.idaho.gov/jobsearch
Job search tools and resources available from the Idaho Department of Labor include:

- “Maximize Your Job Search” online workshop, a step-by-step guide to a better job search that includes video and audio tips from Idaho employers, emphasizing what they expect to see in a potential employee.
- “Maximize Your Job Search” workbook, a 24-page printable guide to getting started—identifying skills, networking, the hidden job market, using social media, and more.
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Next Avenue at idahoptv.org/nextavenue
This website, available through Idaho Public Television, offers knowledge, wisdom, and inspiration to navigate life in the 50s and beyond, including information on:

- Health & Well Being.
- Money & Security.
- Work & Purpose.
- Living & Learning.
- Caregiving.

Users can find videos, articles, blogs, and tips; connect with others; and use the Next Avenue Toolbox to live life to the fullest after 50.
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Media online @ your library at media.lili.org
Media online @ your library is both an online and DVD guide on using the Internet to connect with Idaho news and media. Users can:

- Build Internet and computer skills.
- Learn to use the Internet to be alert consumers of news and information.
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The Idaho Commission for Libraries assists libraries to build the capacity to better serve their clientele.