

Web Sites Related To Fairfax County For Use With The Activities In "Closest To The People"

<http://www.fairfaxcounty.gov/>

Fairfax County's homepage

<http://www.fairfaxcounty.gov/comm/demogrph/homepage.htm>

the primary site to answer basic inquiries about County demographics

<http://www.fairfaxcounty.gov/comm/demogrph/pdf/98brochure.pdf>

highlights of County demographics (Hardcopy brochure enclosed in the notebook)

<http://www.fairfaxcounty.gov/comm/demogrph/popdist.htm>

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Use this site to examine 4 population pyramids from 1980 to 2010; ask students to generalize about the forecasts and their impact on economic activity and the demand for services. {In 2010 the percentage of senior citizens is projected to be doubled that of 1980.} Hypothesize about the impact of this trend.

<http://www.FairfaxCountyEDA.org/demographics-f.htm>

alternate source for demographic profile information compiled and published by the Fairfax County Economic Development Authority

<http://166.94.10.10/attractions/hsketch.htm>

on-line equivalent to *A Brief History of Fairfax County* (Donald M. Sweig) pamphlet to be used with the history lesson (Hardcopy brochure enclosed in the notebook)

<http://Visit.GunstonHall.org/GunstonHall/resolves>

use this to extend the history lesson

<http://www.fairfaxcounty.gov/maps/maps4download.htm>

a gallery of County maps which can be downloaded and printed

<http://www.fairfaxcounty.gov/handbook/main.htm>

Fairfax County Citizens Handbook. The definitive source to many FAQs about county government and services (Hardcopy of the 1998 edition is in the notebook) CLASS SET/Teacher

<http://www.fairfaxcounty.gov/gov/bos/homepage.htm>

Board of Supervisors homepage

<http://www.state.va.us/>

Commonwealth of Virginia homepage link

<http://www.lwv-fairfax.org/>

Link to League of Women Voters' *1999 Facts for Voters*. This offers complete coverage of national, state, and local officials and election dates.

<http://www.fairfaxcounty.gov/omb/fcpos/default.htm>

"Closest to the People" On-line copy of Fairfax County Government POS 1999

<http://www.fairfax2000.com>

Fairfax County's official site for millennium information and activities. Includes a countdown calendar and related links.