Internet Exploration

Concepts

- Exploration of the education part of the Texas Instruments website
- Locate and examine content-area specific websites
- Acquire research documents on working with the adult learner

Overview

This document outlines the goals of Internet exploration.

Materials

- Computers with Internet access

1. Visit http://education.ti.com
   - Product Quest: Find information about products and downloads for the calculator
   - Software Quest: Apps for calculator, Apps Companion software, TI-Connect
   - Activities Quest: Activities Exchange
   - Support Quest: (T^3, Conferences, Course Outlines, Online Store, e-Newsletters, Telephone numbers)
   - Visit the "for students" section
   - Visit the "for parents" section
2. Visit content-area support sites for:
   - Lessons
   - Technology support
   - Professional organizations
   - Services
3. Research information on "teaching the adult learner"
   - Purpose of professional development
   - Differences in teaching adults and teaching children
   - Assessment of adult learners
4. Research on effects of calculators in the classroom
   - Pedagogy
   - Assessment
   - Communication
5. Research on effective leadership