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Resource	Source and Description
Accessible Classroom Primer	http://cte.jhu.edu/accessibility/primer
	The Accessible Classroom Primer is an online or CD presentation of UDL fundamentals.
CAST	www.cast.org/teachingeverystudent/ideas/tes/
	The principles of UDL and using technology to enhance learning for all students. Free online book.
Center for Universal Design	www.design.ncsu.edu
	The Center for Universal Design is a national research, information, and technical assistance center that evaluates, develops, and promotes universal design in housing, public and commercial facilities, and related products
Curriculum Access and Design for Learning	http://ericec.org/digests/e586.html
	Article: defines UDL, describes curriculum areas, implementation of UDL, and resources.
Frequently Asked Questions	www.ncset.org/topics/udl/faqs.asp?topic=18
	The principles and applications of UDL to curriculum described on this website.
Help for Teachers	www.help4teachers.com
	Site describing layered curriculum for differentiated instruction.
Inclusive Design	www.eng.cam.ac.uk/inclusivedesign/index.php
	The University of Cambridge philosophy states the belief that products and services should all be designed to be accessible.
Let's Play	http://letsplay.buffalo.edu
	The Let's Play Project features information regarding play, selecting toys, universal design for learning, assistive technology, and other resources.
National Center for Accessible Media NCAM	http://ncam.wgbh.org/ebooks/
	NCAM's Beyond the Text project studied ways to make multimedia (images, audio and video) used in e-books and digital talking books (DTBs) accessible to people who are deaf, hard-of-hearing, blind or visually impaired. The results of the project are available online.
National Library of Congress	www.loc.gov/nls/digital.html

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	That All May Read project to address digital books and magazines.
NIMAS	http://nimas.cast.org
	The site for the National Instructional Materials Accessibility Standard (NIMAS).
Pieces of Learning	www.piecesoflearning.com
	Differentiated instruction resource site.
Power of 2	www.powerof2.org
	Collaborative ideas for general and special education teachers; curriculum planners and resources on unit modification.
Teaching Every Student in the Digital Age: Universal Design for Learning	www.cast.org
	Online ASCD book that gives a good overview of UDL.
Universal Design for Learning	www.idahotc.com/otr/udl.htm
	This article deals with creating curricular materials under universal design for learning.
Universal Design for Learning Associate Editor Column by David Rose with Anne Meyer	http://jset.unlv.edu/15.1/asseds/rose.html
	Article on UDL describing its history, intent, direction, content, and implications…ongoing JSET article.
Universal Design for Learning—Improved Access for All	www.schwablearning.org
	Article on the principles and multiple methods of presentation available under UDL.
Universal Design of Instruction: Definition, Principles, and Examples	www.washington.edu/doit/Brochures/PDF/instruction.pdf
	Article on applying universal design for learning.
Universally Designed Classroom: Accessible Curriculum and Digital Technologies	www.cast.org
	Overview of UDL and NCLB (2005) by David H. Rose, Anne Meyer, and Chuck Hitchcock.
Web Accessibility	www.w3.org.WAI
	Guidelines for accessibility on the internet.

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What is Universal Design for Learning?	www.cast.org/research/udl/index.hrml
	CAST: Center for Applied Special Technology definition of UDL.