

Twitter for Teachers



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[An Educators Guide To Twitter](#)

[Twitter, Facebook - Citations - Library Research Guides at Boise State University](#)

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HASHTAGS

#engchat: A tag added to the end of messages posted by many English teachers.

#edchat: A tag added to the end of messages posted by business teachers and those interested in technology.

#edtech: A tag added to the end of messages posted by business teachers and those interested in technology.

#musiced: A tag added to the end of messages posted by many music teachers, [#musiced](#)—along with its sister tag, [#musicedchat](#)—is a great source of information and connections for music teachers of almost any age level.

#banddirector: Related to the #musiced hashtag, [#banddirector](#) is a hashtag that is being used specifically to enable connections and sharing between band directors.

#artsed: Perhaps the largest group of singletons in our schools are arts—both performing and visual—teachers. The [#artsed](#) hashtag can help any arts teacher to make connections with digital colleagues.

#mathchat: While many schools are able to sustain vibrant math professional learning communities, there are often singletons working in high level classes. The [#mathchat](#) hashtag—which is used by educators across grade levels and curricular areas—can be a source for spotting potential partners for these teachers.

#scichat: Like the #mathchat hashtag, [#scichat](#) can be a source of potential connections for the singletons—physics teachers, chemistry teachers—in your science department.

#esol: Some of the most isolated singletons in our buildings are English for Speakers of Other Languages teachers. The [#esol](#) hashtag—which is one of the most active ongoing hashtag conversations for educators—is sure to provide networking opportunities for any ESOL teacher.

#careerteched: Career Tech Educators and Family and Consumer Science Teachers are equally isolated singletons in most of our buildings. That's why the [#careerteched](#) hashtag—along with the [#wkdev](#) hashtag—are so important. For perhaps the first time, you'll be able to pair your career educators with likeminded colleagues.

#spedchat: Depending on the size of your school, special education teachers could very well feel like singletons, too. The [#spedchat](#) hashtag brings together all kinds of practitioners—counselors, social workers, special educators, regular ed teachers—interested in special education.

#titledtalk: While there is no single hashtag being used to organize the thinking of media specialists, several use [#titledtalk](#) to spotlight regular weekly conversations with authors and to share interesting reads with one another. The [#librarian](#) and the [#tlchat](#) hashtags are also good sources for connecting with other teacher librarians.

#ntchat: For the bunch of new teachers that need guidance and support—and while they're usually embedded on existing learning teams with experienced colleagues, sometimes having other new teachers to listen to and outside voices to learn from can make the first years of a teacher's career feel a little less lonely.

WHO DO I FOLLOW?

This list is a combo from @cybraryman1 and myself...it is a list he compiled about some of the good people to follow to start building your Personal Learning Network (PLN) and I have added several of my own. They are broken down by topic/hashtags.

Super Stars #edchat	English #engchat	Math #mathchat	Music #musedchat
@web20classroom @tomwhitby @ShellTerrell @mbteach @kylepace	@mrami2 @andycinek @cpoole27 @cspiezio @aleanness @TeachMoore @CBethM @tkraz @Npriester @mindi_r @thereadingzone @yaloveblog	@mathchat @republicofmath @MariaDroujkova @malcolmbellamy @aaallain @chuckcbaker	@Zweibz7 @musikmarc @pisanojm @thomasjwest @michellek107 @crafty184 @MrAhrens @shawdave @DoremiGirl
Science #scichat	Social Studies #sschat	Special Ed #spedchat	Librarians #tlchat
@janellewilson @Brunsell @2footgiraffe @educatoral @minormusic @LindsayMorelli @doctorjeff @drwetzal @gardenglen @MsPoody	@Ron_Peck @Becky_Ellis_ @mshuflin @Brian_ThomasTCI @Dontworryteach @kyteacher @rgriffithjr @SErwin	@spedteacher @damian613 @tperran @SpecialEdAdvice @gregoryshea @hshawjr @BMurray13 @W3iGHTLESS @micheleborba @teachntech00	@shannonmmiller @gwynethjones @buffyjhamilton @gottsled @mtechman @LibraryRaya @buffyjhamilton

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New Teachers #ntchat	Administrators #cpchat	Technology #edtech	Information
@teachingwthsoul @VideoAmy	@johnccarver @pammoran @colonelb @bhsprincipal @NMHS_Principal @gcouros @DeronDurflinger @averyteach @8Amber8 @Thanks2Teachers @geraldaungst @blairteach @tee62 @Akeyv613 @courosa @kevcreutz @flieds @L_Hilt @baldy7 @drdouggreen @PrincipalBerry @CoachB0066 @used2bprincipal @graingered @steelepierce @Ed_Leadership @principalspage @AWSALeaders1 @21stprincipal @WiscPrincipal @Seguin_B	@coolcatteacher @rmbyrne @SNewco @kgrassel @imhoffjan @jasontbedell @paulawhite @BeckyFisher73 @dancallahan @chadkafka @jswiatek @rkiker @mashable @internet4classr @tgwynn @mcarls @bethstill @elanaleoni @kjarrett @irasocol @markgammon @mjgormans @marynabadenhors @cnansen @budtheteacher @ejulez @MZimmer557 @k_shelton @TeachaKidd @JoHart @edtechsteve @jdthomas7 @kristenswanson @mpondu @philhart @dkapuler @brophycat @Mollybmom @lottascales @stevekatz @specialkrb @j_allen @nfeucht @jrbishop88 @WEMTA @Mike_Stelzner @molivered @nharm @bjackermann @mamcglynn @WisCPAs @thenerdyteacher @upside2go @llotimo	@SuzanneWhisler @ktenkely @TheHomeworkDog @justintarte @marcelamomberg @eshwaranv @ToughLoveforX @cmt1 @dmantz7 @cyndidannerkuhn @markbrumley @TheEngTeacher @marynabadenhors @davidwees @vickyloras @JasonFlom @drmmatom @DavidMiller_UK @classroomtools @jennar @pgsimoes @m_yam @Mamacita @CliveSir @laura_horan @rushtheiceberg @amandacdykes @daveandcori @samorra @ProfTK @sourcePOV @BarbinNebraska @langwitches @tucksoon @sirkenrobinson @MSTA @globalearner

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DELICIOUS BOOKMARKS

www.delicious.com

Delicious (formerly **del.icio.us**, pronounced "delicious") is a social bookmarking web service for storing, sharing, and discovering web bookmarks. The site was founded by Joshua Schachter in 2003 and acquired by Yahoo! in 2005. By the end of 2008, the service claimed more than 5.3 million users and 180 million unique bookmarked URLs. It is headquartered in Sunnyvale, California.

Steps for Linking Twitter and Delicious

1. Go to <http://packrati.us>
2. On the right, under Get Started, click Sign In with Twitter
3. Enter Twitter name and password
4. Enter your school email address so that we can confirm the account.
5. Go to school email...follow the link to confirm your account.
6. Then you will be asked to put in your Delicious account information.
7. Now they should be linked.

When in Twitter...every time you retweet (RT) the link from the tweet will now be saved to your Delicious bookmarks.

You Can Now Save Your Favorite Tweets To Diigo

Posted: 30 Nov 2010 09:39 AM PST

Upon popular request, Diigo has just implemented a cool feature for Twitter fans: [Save Favorite Tweets](#). With a 2-step simple setup, you can begin to automatically save your favorite tweets to your Diigo library on a daily basis. Best of all, cached pages for links in the tweets will also be automatically fetched and saved on Diigo, so you can always access the archived pages. Here is how to get started:

1) Visit [Diigo Tools](#) >> [Save Favorite Tweets](#):

Click **Connect Twitter to Diigo**, then **Allow** Diigo access:



2) Set up your preference: you can either save only favorite tweets with links as bookmarks in Diigo, or you can save all your favorite tweets with or without links as Diigo bookmarks or notes.

In addition, you can select privacy or even add additional tags. If you use any #hashtags, they will be automatically saved as tags as well.

Preference for Save Favorite Tweets

Associate your Diigo / Twitter accounts successfully. Please set up your preference:

Want to save all favorite tweets to your Diigo library?

Save all favorite tweets

1. Save tweet without a link as a Diigo note, and
2. Save tweet with a link as a Diigo bookmark

Only save favorite tweets that contain links to Diigo

Save to diigo as :

public private

Add additional tags?

HOW TO ORGANIZE MY TWITTER?

TweetDeck is an Adobe AIR desktop application for Twitter, Facebook, LinkedIn, Google Buzz, Foursquare, and MySpace. Like other Twitter applications it interfaces with the Twitter API to allow users to send and receive tweets and view profiles. It is the most popular Twitter application with a 19% market share as of June 2009, following only the official Twitter.com website with 45.70% share for posting new status updates. It is compatible with several operating systems including Microsoft Windows, Mac OS X and Linux. An iPhone version was released on June 19, 2009 and an iPad version was released in May 2010 as well. An Android was recently made available after a public beta period.

Yes, there are other websites/applications that do this; however I haven't worked with them a lot. One that is pretty popular is HootSuite. I've just started exploring with HootSuite.