

If They Build It, They Will Use It: **Student-centered Information Management**

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Definitions:

Information Management – Organizing, retrieving, acquiring and maintaining information.

Cloud Computing – A general concept that incorporates software as a service (SaaS), Web 2.0, and other recent, well-known technology trends, in which the common theme is reliance on the Internet for satisfying the computing needs of the users.

Gadgets – Computer programs that provide services without needing an independent application to be launched for each one, but instead run in an environment that manages multiple gadgets.

RSS – a family of Web feed formats used to publish frequently updated works—such as blog entries, news headlines, audio, and video—in a standardized format.

The above definitions were excerpted from Wikipedia.

Video clips:

Did You Know? – There are at least four versions of this video based on the original by Karl Fisch and Scott McCleod.

Learning to Change, Changing to Learn – This video can also be found under the name “Learn to Change.”

Both of these videos can be found at www.youtube.com and at www.teachertube.com

Web sites:

iGoogle – <http://www.google.com/ig>

Partnership for 21st Century Skills – <http://www.21stcenturyskills.org/>

AASL Standards for the 21st -Century Learner –
<http://www.ala.org/ala/mgrps/divs/aasl/aaslproftools/learningstandards/standards.cfm>

Articles:

Flat World/Flat Classrooms by David Warlick

<http://davidwarlick.com/wiki/pmwiki.php/Main/OurStudentsOurWorlds>

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