Overview of Educational PBS Programming

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Age Range: 4-8 years old  Focus: Social skills; reading and writing
Resources: Online interactives; lesson plans; suggested offline activities; resource section

Age Range: 2-5 years old  Focus: Areas of child development; cognitive, social, emotional, physical
Resources: Online interactives; lesson plans

Berenstein Bears* - http://pbskids.org/berenstainbears/index.html
Age Range: 2-7 years old  Focus: Family values
Resources: Online interactives; full offline activity guide; individual downloadable lessons

Between the Lions - http://pbskids.org/lions/index.html
Age Range: 4-7 years old  Focus: Fosters literacy skills
Resources: Online interactives; resource section; handbook for kindergarten teachers; handbook for PreK-Primary grade teachers

Bob the Builder - http://www.bobthebuilder.com
Age Range: 3-6 years old  Focus: Teamwork, developing a positive attitude
Resources: Online interactives for team building, games

Age Range: 2-6 years old  Focus: Social skills; discovery
Resources: Online interactives; offline activity guide

Clifford the Big Red Dog* - http://pbskids.org/clifford/index-puppy-flash.html
Age Range: 3-7 years old  Focus: Social skills; positive character traits
Resources: Online interactives; offline activity guide

Clifford’s Puppy Days* - http://pbskids.org/clifford/puppydays/
Age Range: Preschool  Focus: Character building - honesty, responsibility, respect
Resources: Online interactives; printable coloring pages

Age Range: 3-5 years old  Focus: Explore science, engineering, and math
Resources: Online interactives; Discovery Guide for teachers; Book List

Cyberchase* - http://pbskids.org/cyberchase/index.html
Age Range: 8-12 years old  Focus: Math
Resources: Online interactives; lesson plans; offline activities; featured themes

Danger Rangers - http://www.dangerrangers.com/kidsclub
Age Range: 3-7 years old  Focus: Making safety “fun”, injury prevention
Resources: Games, lesson plans, parent resource links

Design Squad - http://pbskids.org/designsquad/
Age Range: 9-12 years old  Focus: Engineering, problem solving
Resources: Project building instructions, events guide, video clips, parent & educator guides

Dragon Tales* - http://pbskids.org/dragontales/index_sw.html
Age Range: 3-6 years old  Focus: Social and cognitive development
Resources: Online interactives; lesson plans; resources

Fetch - http://pbskids.org/fetch/
Age Range: 6-10 years old  Focus: Problem solving
Resources: Online interactives; offline activities; resources

George Shrinks* - http://pbskids.org/georgeshrinks/
Age Range: 2-7 years old  Focus: Science; problem solving
Resources: Online interactives; offline activities; lesson plans

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Jakers* - http://pbskids.org/jakers/
Age Range: 4-7 years old
Focus: Storytelling; intergenerational communication; early literacy skills; social skills; imagination
Resources: Online interactives; offline activities; lesson plans

Age Range: Preschool
Focus: Life lesson; social skills; science & nature
Resources: Online interactives; offline activities

It’s a Big Big World - http://pbskids.org/bigbigworld/home.html
Age Range: Preschool
Focus: Life science; geography
Resources: Online interactives; offline activities

Maya & Miguel* - http://pbskids.org/mayaandmiguel/flash.html
Age Range: 6-11 years old
Focus: Cultural diversity; language diversity (good for ELL)
Resources: Online activities; lesson plans; resources; also segments on American Sign Language

Plaza Sesamo - http://sesameworkshop.org/international/mx/eng/home.php
Age Range: Preschool
Focus: Social skills; pre-reading, literacy, numeracy
Resources: Spanish language Sesame Street, online interactives, parent resources

Reading Rainbow - http://pbskids.org/readingrainbow/
Age Range: 4-8 years old
Focus: Literacy; fosters love of reading
Resources: Online interactives; offline family activities; book reviews by kids, for kids; additional books resource

Sesame Street - http://pbskids.org/sesame/ - This whole site is also provided in Spanish
Age Range: Preschool
Focus: Literacy; math; social skills; cultural diversity
Resources: Online interactives; offline family activities; list of additional web resources

Age Range: Birth - Grade 2
Focus: Sign Language; social skills; literacy
Resources: Sign Language; online interactives; blog; parent/teacher resources

Age Range: 3-6 years old
Focus: Alphabet skills, word families, spelling, comprehension & vocabulary
Resources: Online interactives, parent resources, events calendar

Thomas and Friends - http://www.thomasandfriends.com
Age Range: 3-6 years old
Focus: Good manners, hard work, a desire to be “really useful”
Resources: Online interactives; sing-along music videos

Teletubbies - http://pbskids.org/teletubbies/teletubbyland.html
Age Range: Toddlers
Focus: Stimulates thinking; encourages speech & listening skills; social skills; problem solving
Resources: Online interactives; offline activities; list of suggested books

Word Girl - http://pbskids.org/wordgirl/
Age Range: Grades 1-3
Focus: Literacy; vocabulary development; language skills
Resources: Online interactives; lesson plans; resource list

Word World - http://www.wordworld.com
Age Range: Preschool, pre-readers
Focus: Letter recognition, letter sounds, word families, rhyming skills
Resources: Online interactives encouraging word play

Zula Patrol - http://www.zula.com
Age Range: 3-7 years old
Focus: Science and space exploration
Resources: Coloring pages, online games, video, e-cards

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