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## **The State of Connecticut Relaunches Its Website for Children, ConneCT Kids**

Lots of new features and a new address: **[www.kids.ct.gov](http://www.kids.ct.gov)**

The state of Connecticut has given ConneCT Kids, its popular website for children, a new look, new features, and a new address: [www.kids.ct.gov](http://www.kids.ct.gov).



The Colonial Robin, guide to visitors of the ConneCT Kids website.

“The new site provides all sorts of information about Connecticut in a format that’s attractive and interesting for children of various ages, from pre-school to pre-teen,” said Richard J. Hemenway, chairman of the ConneCT Kids Committee, which operates the website and includes representatives from all three branches of state government.

The new design, which employs the “portal” design seen on many other state websites, highlights the seven main topics of the ConneCT Kids site:

- Connecticut History
- State Symbols
- About Government
- Schools and Libraries
- Puzzles and Games
- In the Spotlight
- More Kid Stuff

In addition, visitors to ConneCT Kids will find new features, such as an E-Alert form for subscribing to e-mail messages about page updates. There’s also an Events page, listing upcoming events of interest to children around Connecticut.

Teachers are invited to review the site for possible inclusion in their teaching plans.

And those who have the old site bookmarked needn’t worry – they’ll automatically be redirected to the new one.