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Internet Treasure Hunt for Grade 8 (Language Arts: **The Writing Den**)

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INSTRUCTIONS

1. Click on the “**Grade 8**” door, then on “**Language Arts**”. Under the **Writing** column, select **The Writing Den**.

What is the URL (web address) for this site?

2. How many different options are offered? (look to the right of the image!) _____ .

Select **ONE** of them and write the title down:



3. Now, click on the option/link you selected and spend 5 minutes examining this webpage. Prepare a brief summary of what this page offers in terms of information. *Be aware of: headers, categories, ads and hotlinks!*. **Transcribe** your findings below. Watch your spelling, grammar and punctuation!

4. Click on “**Den Home**” and name the two types of activities that are presented to you:

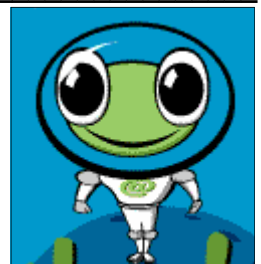
_____ and _____

Under “**Software Tutorials**”, click on “**Outlook Express**” . Navigate your way through this site and find 3 pieces of information about email that you did not know before. List them below:

1. _____

2. _____

3. _____




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5. Return to the previous page by clicking on **DEN Home**. Under “**online courses**” select “**SkillsDen**”. Use the right arrow at the bottom of the screen to make your way through the Museum of Modern Technology.
6. What are the 4 options offered?
1. _____ 2. _____
3. _____ 4. _____
7.  Choose ONE of the options to learn about. Click your way through the presentation with the help of Ada Omega (tour guide!). Once you're done, use the appropriate box below to display 4 new things that you learned about this topic. Now do the same for one other topic. **Be sure to include both text and interesting visuals to summarize your new knowledge!**



SkillsDEN
A primer to
Information
Technology

1 Operating System/Desktop

Windows®95 and Windows 98

2

E-mail

Outlook® Express

3

The World Wide Web

Microsoft® Internet Explorer

4

Networks

Windows NT®