Web Resources for Online Publishing

Note: Many of these resources require that you get an account, some charge for printing, some have time limits on online library usage, so check the faqs as you go. Happy publishing!

Digital Books

Blurb – www.blurb.com
A site for creating books from your photos and text with Blurb's downloaded software, online software or from uploaded pdf. Book prices range from $12.95 and up. Ask for educator discount.

Bookbuilder – www.bookbuilder.cast.org
Create an account to create, publish and share your own online books.

Bookrix – www.bookrix.com
Register for an account to create, publish and share books online. There is a special section for Children's Books. Has a nice social community and writing contests.

Lulu - www.lulu.com
Create, print and sell books. Has many templates including YEARBOOKS!! Check out the section for K-12 teachers.

Mixbook – www.mixbook.com
Create beautiful online scrapbooks, photo memory books. Has a section for schools and yearbooks.

Mypublisher – www.mypublisher.com
Create photobooks, photo calendars, photo cards from the downloaded software or online software that can be purchased online. Log in required.

Panraven – www.panraven.com
Like all the rest, set up an account, create a book, view online or purchase. You can embed audio and video to online book versions.

PDF Flash – www.pdfflash.com or www.qualitypublisher.com
Upload you pdf file to create an Adobe Flash based digital book.

Tabblo – www.tabblo.com
Content creation tools that allows users to turn stories and photos into online media and share with others.

Smilebooks – www.smilebooks.com
Set-up an account, create photo books, share and publish.

Digital Magazines and Newspapers

Crayon — www.crayon.net
A tool for managing news sources to create a newspaper with the content you want.

Fodey — www.fodey.com
Generates a template of a newspaper, clapper board, talking squirrels and several other templates with your text to download, save and print.

Guzzle.it — www.guzzle.it
Customizable news aggregator.

Issuu — www.issuu.com
Online digital magazine creators: edit, publish or purchase.

MagCloud — www.magcloud.com
You create a magazine, upload it to MagCloud, they publish and mail you a proof and then you can "sell" it to others from the website, they charge around 20 cents a page to print.

Newscred - http://newspapers.newscred.com/
You create a newspaper featuring your favorite news articles from a wide array of news agencies. You can add editorials.

Openzine - www.openzine.com
Create a magazine for free, but some of the magazines covers displayed on the home page are a bit racy, so use good judgement if you decide to use this with students.

Paper.li — www.paper.li
Organized links to twitter or facebook into an online newspaper.

Scribd — www.scribd.com
Social network and publishing hybrid, you can write and publish or read what others have written.

Yudu — www.yudu.com
Upload your PDF to create an online magazine.

Zinepal — www.zinepal.com
Creates books in epub, pdf or kindle format from blog or efeed sources.