

## Different Countries and Cultures

Why can't you just Google the answers? When using the internet to find information, it is important to evaluate the information/website. Anyone can publish a website. Not all websites are created equal.

It is best to use the digital resources that the districts pays for and provides for you.

[www.houstonisd.org/milby](http://www.houstonisd.org/milby)

- ➔ Students → Library → Online Resources → you can use any of the databases
- These databases will give you lots of great information and pictures:
- World Book Web
- NetTrekker
- Gale Virtual Reference Library
- Ebsco

You can also use these credible websites. They contain information about different cultures and countries, decorating traditions, culinary traditions, entertainment, games, holidays,

<http://www.state.gov/misc/list/>

<http://www.infoplease.com/countries.html>

<https://www.cia.gov/library/publications/the-world-factbook/docs/profileguide.html>

<http://www.countryreports.org/>

<http://www.culturecrossing.net/index.php>

Explore culinary traditions and recipes from other countries and cultures from these websites:

<http://www.bbc.co.uk/food/cuisines>

<http://www.epicurious.com/articlesguides/blogs/80dishes>

<http://www.bbcgoodfood.com/recipes/category/cuisines>

<http://time.com/8515/hungry-planet-what-the-world-eats/>

<http://www.npr.org/blogs/pictureshow/2010/08/10/129107806/whatieat?ps=cprs>

<http://blog.hostelbookers.com/travel/best-breakfast/>

Musical instruments from different parts of the world

<http://www.hobgoblin-usa.com/info/glossary/>

Videos from around the world:

<http://www.viewchange.org/>

Public transportation around the world:

[http://www.salon.com/2011/07/03/trazzler\\_slideshow\\_public\\_transit/](http://www.salon.com/2011/07/03/trazzler_slideshow_public_transit/)

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