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Year 5 – Learning at Home

Search Engines and the Web

We have used search engines to find images and information about Vikings. But how do search engines actually work? You will probably need to use a search engine to find out more about them!



<p>How do websites become listed on search engines?</p> <p>Tip: try searching for DMOZ</p>	
<p>Once a site is submitted in a search engine what happens next? How does it know what is on that site?</p> <p>Tip: look up the terms crawlers and spiders in relation to the internet (not bugs!), so type the following into a search engine “website crawlers” or spiders +internet.</p>	
<p>What causes a site to be listed when you search for words or phrases?</p> <p>Tip: search for keywords.</p> <p>How do keywords work?</p>	

Bonus Question

What can you find out about Tim Berners-Lee and his contribution to the development of the World Wide Web? Could you write a biography about him?