Resource-o-Rama! Tips and Tools

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This list shares ideas for tech resources that educators can use to develop gifted students' talents and interests. On the table below, the columns to the right identify the benefit explanations of the resource so that educators can find resources that fit their need(s). These are not exhaustive; many of the resources have applications far beyond what is defined here, and all can be used for differentiation of instruction. The benefit explanations include:

- Creation: resources for creating products
- Creativity: sites that assist students in expanding or exploring creativity
- Exploration: these resources help students explore possible interests/expand their exposure to new potential interests or perspectives
- Engagement: resources for engaging students
- Organization: these resources help students/educators organize projects, ideas, web links
- SEN: resources that help in meeting social/emotional needs
- Sharing: these resources facilitate students' or educators' sharing products, ideas, or web links

Resource	Link	Creation	Creativity	Engagement	Exploration	Organization	SEN	Sharing
Bingo	bingobaker.com	X	X	X				
Bitly	bitly.com					X		X
Brain Breaks	brainbreaks.blogspot.com			X				
Dotstorming	dotstorming.com	X		X				X
Flippable books	flipsnack.com	X	X					X
Fonts	fontsquirrel.com & kimberlygeswein.com	X	X					

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Images	Unsplash, Pixabay, Morguefile.com (& other image sites freeimages.com & freerangestock.com)	X	X					
Interviews	storycorps.org/discover/education/	X	X				X	X
Jeopardy	jeopardylabs.com	X		X				
Kiva	kiva.org			X			X	
Labyrinth	bit.ly/labyrinth-2 bit.ly/labyrinth-1 bit.ly/draw-lab		X				X	
Menti	mentimeter.com			X				
MOOCs	mooc-list.com or edx.org		X		X			
Motivational posters	bighugelabs.com/motivator.php	X	X				X	
NY Times (data interp.)	nytimes.com/column/whats-going-on-in-this-graph				X			
Play with Images	canva.com	X	X					
Postcrossing	postcrossing.com				X		X	
Presentations	ignitetalks.io	X	X					X
Quiz	triventy.com			X	X			
Screencasting	screencast-o-matic.com (tutorial at bit.ly/som-tutorial) or Snagit (techsmith.com/store/snagit) learn how to use it at teachertrainingvideos.com.	X						
SET	setgame.com/set/puzzle		X	X				
Story Creation	storybird.com		X					X
Video download	savefrom.net	X	X					X
Visual patterns	visualpatterns.org			X				
Word Scramble	bit.ly/van-scramble	X	X					
Zentangle®	zentangle.com & tanglepatterns.com	X	X				X	