
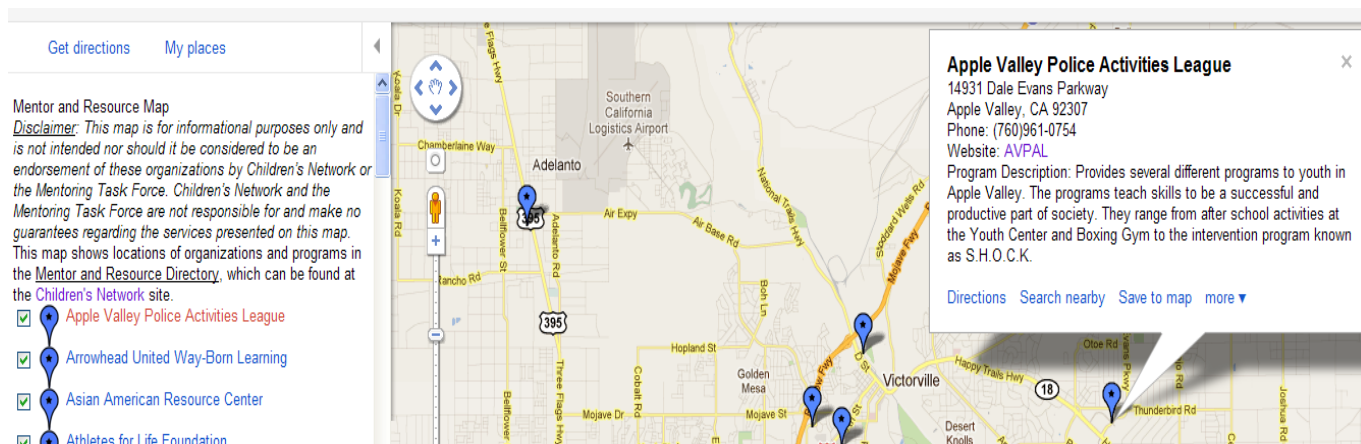


Children’s Network Google Map Primer

The locations of organizations and services found in Children’s Network’s *Mentor and Resource Directory* can now be found using Google Maps. All you need to view this map is a computer with Internet access and Microsoft Internet Explorer 7.0 or later.

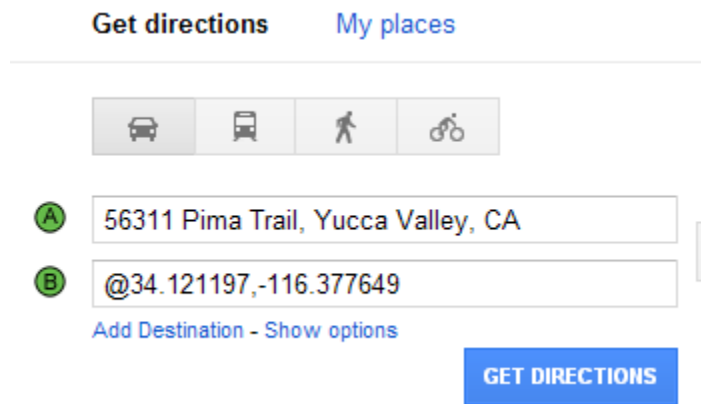
1. Go to <http://tinyurl.com/Map-Resources-CN> . You can save this site as a “Favorite” for fast and easy access from your computer. It should be noted that when the map is updated with new information, a new link will be issued and should replace the old one in your Favorites.
2. What you will see on the map:
 - a. Sites depicted by a blue tear-shaped icon 
 - b. List of sites in the left window pane (in alpha order, for the most part).
 - c. Information window displaying site name, address, telephone number, contact name, e-mail address, website link, and program information.
3. Click a site in the left window pane to see where it is on the map and to see information for that site (information window will appear). You can also get the information window to appear by clicking on an icon on the map.



4. Once you find a site you can:
 - a. Zoom in to see street detail using the Zoom tool. Click + sign to zoom in and the – sign to zoom out. You can also click “More” in the information window and then select “Zoom here” to zoom into site.

- b. E-mail contact by clicking e-mail link in the information window (if available).
- c. Go to website by clicking link in information window (if available).
- d. Get directions to site by clicking the “Directions” link in the information window. For example, if you want directions from the Yucca Valley CFS office to TAY Center in


Morongo, click Directions in the TAY Center information window and a *Get Directions* box (right) will appear in the left pane. Type in the Yucca Valley office address in the text box for point A and click Get Directions. You may get




more than one suggested route. After choosing a route, you can either print directions or send them via email. You can also use this function to learn the distance and time to get to site. In addition, you can select directions by public transit (includes bus times),

walking or bicycling.



- 5. You can navigate map by using the following methods:
 - a. Click on map and drag while holding down left mouse button.
 - b. Use the arrow buttons on your keyboard. Press (hold down) up arrow to move north, down arrow to move south, right arrow to move east and left arrow to move west.
 - c. Use the Navigation Control on the map by clicking appropriate arrow buttons to move north, south east or west. 

- 6. Other things you can do in map:
 - a. Click on “Traffic” to see up-to-date traffic conditions.
 - b. Search for nearby businesses by clicking “Search nearby” in information window.
 - c. Refresh map to original view by clicking refresh button at top of screen .

If you have any questions or experience problems with the map, contact Sandra Wakcher at (909) 388-0227 or at swakcher@hss.sbcounty.gov.