



## From Your State Library



# ***WebJunction is Now FREE!***

## **Free Online Courses and Webinars For All Library Workers and Volunteers In New York State**

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The New York State Library is partnering with OCLC to provide *free* access to WebJunction's self-paced courses for *all* library workers, volunteers and students in New York State. The State Library has designated WebJunction as an approved provider of professional development required to maintain active New York State public librarian certification. The **free** access is open now at [learn.webjunction.org](http://learn.webjunction.org).

WebJunction continues to grow its learning content, programs, and resources on topics of high interest. Here is a list of what library staff can find on the site now and throughout the year:

- A **catalog of free self-paced courses and curated webinar archives** have been developed in collaboration with LibraryU, Infopeople, and other content providers. Seven new courses developed specifically for library workers have already been added to the catalog this fall. To access this content, simply create your free account at [learn.webjunction.org](http://learn.webjunction.org).
- **Certificates of completion** will be provided for courses finished or webinar archive viewed through the WebJunction catalog.
- WebJunction hosts more than **20 live webinar sessions** throughout the year--free online events that allow library workers from around the country and the globe to meet and learn from library leaders and fellow library practitioners. Attendees are eligible to receive a certificate of attendance.
- Dozens of **new articles on hot library topics** written by WebJunction staff and library practitioners are published on a regular basis and highlighted on the WebJunction.org [homepage](http://www.webjunction.org).
- **Crossroads e-newsletter** is broadcast each month, to announce upcoming learning opportunities and provide updates on what is happening in the library world. Make sure you and your colleagues are [subscribed!](#)

**Mark Your Calendar! November 12, 2014, 2-3 pm EST**  
**[Put a Goal on It: WebJunction and Self Directed Learning](#)**

This webinar provides library staff with tools and resources to manage their own learning, and a tour of WebJunction's free learning opportunities.

To visit the WebJunction course catalog and set up a free account, go to [learn.webjunction.org](http://learn.webjunction.org). For all other content and programs, visit [www.webjunction.org](http://www.webjunction.org).