

# ***SURF 'N STUFF 'N TIPS***

## **DIGITAL IMAGE ARCHIVE**

There's nothing like the library. You can spend hours just flipping through the books. Of course, books with pictures are the best kind. But if you want to browse pictures, you don't have to go to the library. The New York Public Library has digitized an astounding number of images. There are over 350,000 and you can view them all online! You can browse photographs, prints and historical maps. Or perhaps you'd like something more unusual. How about floor plans for New York City apartments? Or cyanotypes of British algae?

You could spend hours perusing the collection. If you're like me, you probably will. Keep in mind the photographs are free for browsing. If you want to reproduce them, you will need to pay a fee.

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## **TIME AND DATE PRINTED DOCUMENTS**

Having the date appear on your printouts is pretty handy. Most programs let you add a date in some way. Let's go through some programs you may be using.

**Microsoft Word** Click where you want to place the date. Click Insert>>Date and Time. You will have a selection of choices--date only, time only and date and time. Choose one and click OK.

You can make Word insert dates in all documents automatically. To do that, you must change the Word template. That is a file named Normal.dot.

**You'll find it in these folders:**

**Windows XP** C:\Document and Settings\[Your Name]  
\Application  
Data\Microsoft\Templates

## **TRANSFERRING DATA BETWEEN COMPUTERS**

Buying a new computer?

Your old one doesn't have a CDburner?

In this situation, you could send your data to special sites on theInternet. These sites will accept mammoth files, which you can thendownload to your new computer. Here are three:

<http://www.yousendit.com/>  
<http://www.dropload.com/>  
<http://www.sendthisfile.com/>

## **FASCINATING SCIENCE FACTS**

Did you know that Einstein and Darwin managed their correspondence the same way you or I manage e-mail? They responded to some letters immediately and waited to reply to others.

That little tidbit can be found at **LiveScience**. As you can guess from the name,**LiveScience** is all about science. It's a great place to read stories and keep up on the latest news.

In the Science or Fiction section are stories that are almost too unbelievable to be real -- or are they? After reading some of them, you leave with renewed appreciation for science and technology.

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