No Plans? No Problem! Fun Websites to Waste Time on When You're Bored

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With what feels to be a never-ending pandemic of COVID-19 and many people still working from home, boredom feels like it's just a natural part of daily <u>life</u>. Sure there are some fun websites to go on when you're bored, like Instagram and Twitter, but you can only scroll for so long before things start to get repetitive and a little dull.

You can still have some ways to stave off the boredom while being cooped up at home with these cool, interesting and random time-wasting websites. All these fun websites will keep you entertained on the <u>Internet</u> for hours.

All of these **fun websites** to waste time on will grab hold of your attention and not let go. Take a peek at these 75 fun time-wasting websites and let boredom become a thing of the past! Here's the ultimate list of fun websites—from cool, interesting and random time-wasting websites to weird websites to go on when you're bored.

- **1.** Find the Invisible Cow You're going to want to make sure your sound is on in this fun finding game! Find the invisible cow in this laugh out loud version of hot and cold.
- **2.** <u>MapCrunch</u> Miss traveling? You're not alone! This site gives you a random Google map from anywhere in the world and all you have to do is explore.
- **3.** The Useless Web Want to see what the Internet truly has to offer? Take a peek at The Useless Web to see what truly is out there.
- **4.** Hacker Typer Want to feel like you're in The Matrix? Or at least feel like a super cool computer hacker trying to break into some evil lair? Just open up this site and pound the keyboard away!
- **5.** Paper Toilet Remember those days where you could waste toilet paper and not care? Relive those glory days with this fun interactive site.
- **6.** News of the Future If you're looking to get away from this crazy stressful year, check out this fun site filled with future news articles from 2030 and beyond. Don't worry, we took a peek and there's no mention of murder hornets anywhere!
- 7. Pointer Pointer Looking to really get lost in the quirky and weird? Look at this site and expect a few chuckles!
- **8.** <u>Bees Bees!</u> Check out this site if you want to see what Oprah's first idea was before she gave everyone a free car in 2004!
- **9.** <u>Staggering Beauty</u> Make the virtual worm dance with your mouse when you click on this fun website! Warning: this site does contain flashing images that may trigger some viewers.
- 10. Scream Into the Void This website invites you to get it all out. Take out all your outrage about any situation in your life (COVID related or not) and hit the "scream" button which throws it all out into the void.
- 11. <u>Shady URL</u> Want to play a harmless prank on your friends or give your co-workers a bit of a scare? If you shorten a URL on this website, it will make it look like the URL will lead to a virus or scam site!
- 12. <u>Wayback Machine</u> Take a peek at some of your favorite sites before they got an ultimate makeover with this fun website. All you have to do is type in a URL and choose a date. Then, the Wayback Machine will show you a screenshot of the site from that particular day!
- 13. Don't Even Reply If you want a good chuckle (or some commiserating validation), check out Don't Even Reply and read some real-life emails that are side-splittingly funny. We recommend starting off with Angry Fish Tank Guy!

- **14.** <u>Stellarium</u> If you live in a big city or an area filled with light pollution, it's probably been a hot minute since you've seen a night sky full of stars. Take a peek at this online planetarium to see which constellations and planets are out tonight!
- **15.** Shut Up and Take My Money Take your online shopping obsession to the next level with this fun website filled with cool gadgets and gizmos! This is also perfect to start shopping for unique stocking stuffers and fun little gifts for the holidays.
- 16. 2048 This website takes the best parts of elementary school math and Tetris and combines them into this fun game of 2048! Using your arrow keys, try combining numbers until you reach the sequence 2048.
- 17. <u>Wikipedia's List of Individual Dogs</u> Did you ever want to know what Air Bud's real name is? Or learn about the heartwarming tale of Greyfriars Bobby? Waste away your boredom and be tickled pink when you scroll through this fun website full of famous individual dogs!
- 18. Zoom Quilt If you're looking to bide some time while having a hypnotizing experience, check out this fun website where a picture infinitely zooms in to create and reveal new pictures.
- 19. <u>Drive Me Insane</u> Since 1997, you're able to have some fun at another person's expense with this fun website! Waste time turning on and off the lights in their office, play with a disco ball, and even display your own message on their computer!

20. Freerice

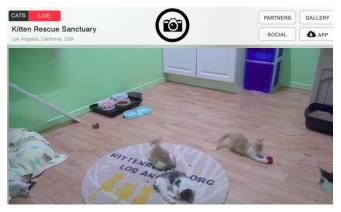


Do something good for your soul as you procrastinate! For every correct answer you get on this online vocab quiz, sponsors of Freerice will donate the cash equivalent of 10 grains of rice to the United Nations World Food Programme.

- **21.** <u>Astronomy Picture of the Day</u> Discover the cosmos from the best of the best with NASA's astronomy picture of the day! You'll get to see a stunning photo of space while also learning something with the explorative caption underneath.
- **22.** MuscleWiki Fine-tune your workout with this fun website, MuscleWiki. It not only gives you a full diagram of the muscles in your body but how to stretch and work them out!
- 23. <u>Duolingo</u> Make the most of your free time and cross something off your bucket by becoming fluent in a different language with the help of Duolingo! This fun website also doubles as a fun free app on your phone so you never miss a lesson.
- **24.** <u>Internet Live Stats</u> You commonly hear the phrase "everyone is on the <u>internet</u>" but how many are there *really*? Find out how many tweets, Instagram posts, and emails are being sent in real-time!

- **25.** <u>Hubski</u> Get fun and offbeat conversation topics with the help of Hubski! You'll find different forums of thoughtful and unique conversations that will be a smash hit at your next virtual Zoom meeting with friends.
- **26.** This Is Sand Everyone remembers the fun sand art smash hit craft of the 90s. Now, you can recreate priceless childhood memories in the digital form! Just simply drag your mouse to make digital colorful sand art.
- **27.** <u>Lizard Point</u> Geography not your best subject in school? Lizard Point makes learning fun with virtual quizzes that help you broaden your horizons without all the stress of tests and final exams.
- 28. Radio Garden Ever wanted to hear what the radio was like in Paris or in Tokyo? Travel through the airwaves and see what is playing in local cities (literally *any* city) in real-time.
- 29. <u>Music Theory</u> Learn the language behind your favorite pieces of <u>music</u> with this fun website! They offer free lessons and exercises so you have all you need to become the next musical genius.
- **30.** Radioooo Take a step back into time with Radiooooo. Like the Radio Garden website, you can choose any region in the world and listen to the local airwaves. However, this site gives you a timeline so you can listen to the radio from not just anywhere, but anywhen in time! Have fun listening to 1960s French bops.
- **31.** <u>Sleepytime</u> Did quarantine get your sleeping schedule out of whack? This fun website calculates exactly when you need to go to sleep and wake up in order to get a good night's sleep.
- **32.** Passive Aggressive Password Machine If you ever wanted to know how strong your password is, simply type it into this machine and it will tell you what you need to work on!
- **33.** <u>Code Academy</u> With many people still working from home and some in quarantine, why not pick up something new? Code Academy offers coding lessons with immediate feedback and real-world projects.
- **34.** 29a.ch Paint the cosmos with all the colors of the wind with this fun interactive creative site! It's a great and mesmerizing way to relax and chill out after a long day.ss

35. <u>Live Kitten Cam</u>



Fill your heart with absolute joy and forget about the world with this fun website that streams from a live webcam set up at Kitten Rescue Sanctuary in Los Angeles! Worried that you'll be looking into an empty room? Don't worry, they always have cute baby kittens either snuggling, playing, and being overall adorable.

- **36.** What Should I Read Next? Read all the books in your library? This website will take your preferences and give you all the book recommendations you could ever want.
- **37.** My Fridge Food Forget to go food shopping? Don't worry, just type in whatever is in your fridge into this site and it will create a recipe just for you!