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## Blog Exemplar WebQuest

*Visit at least three of the blogs listed below, choosing ones that match your personal interests. As you surf through the content, notice the style of the writing, the format of the posts, and the special features and details that attract your attention.*

### **Environmental Blogs**

Los Angeles Times "Greenspace": <http://latimesblogs.latimes.com/greenspace/>

The Times (London) "Green Central": <http://timesonline.typepad.com/environment/>

Got To Be Green: <http://got2begreen.com>

### **Travel Blogs**

Everything, Everywhere: <http://everything-everywhere.com>

### **Food Blogs**

Cooking with Amy: <http://cookingwithamy.blogspot.com/>

Cupcakes take the Cake: <http://cupcaketakethecake.blogspot.com/>

### **Sports Blogs**

Reuters Soccer Blog: <http://blogs.reuters.com/soccer/>

### **Political Blog**

CNN Political Ticker: <http://politicalticker.blogs.cnn.com/>

### **Music Blog**

Said the Gramophone: <http://saidthegramophone.com>

*Now, go back to your favorite blog and answer the following questions.*

1. Which blog is your favorite? \_\_\_\_\_

2. What are the posts about and how did the author(s) format them?

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3. What kinds of features are on the side bar?

4. How does this blog make use of graphic design?

5. Are there links included on the blog? How do the links relate to the content?

6. Are there photos or other kinds of graphics on the blog? How do they relate to the content?

7. List at least three features you noticed on blogs during this WebQuest that you would like to have on a blog of your own design.

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