

## **Genealogy in the Classroom**

There is an excellent website available for use by teachers in public or private schools who may be interested in helping their students strengthen family ties and learn about their family history. It should also be of interest to parents. It is a site produced in British Columbia, Canada but is very applicable to the United States. It even covers some non-traditional family relationships which have become quite prevalent in today's world. It may be found at <http://www.victoriags.org/school/>. Society members should call the attention of teachers they know to this site and encourage them to interest their students in family history and genealogy. So often people do not become interested in their family history until later in life when it is much easier and more advantageous when started early in life. Families are still the basic units of society and family relationships are an important part of the glue which holds society together. Knowledge of family relationships should be a part of every child's education and should be encouraged at home and in school. The website cited above should prove to be a good tool to be used in that education.