

Suggested Research Projects or Subjects for Student Reports

Art

Contemporary Paper Kite Making
Contemporary RipStop Kite Making
Miniature Kites
Kites in Art (Paintings, prints, etc)
Art Kite Museum, Detmold, Germany

History

Kites of the Antarctic
Weather Kites
War kites
Early European Kites
Benjamin Franklin
William A Eddy
Hunting Kites
Fishing Kites
Military Kites
Barrage Kites
Life saving Kites
The Gipson Girl Survival Kite

Science/Aviation

Early European Kites
Sir George Cayley
Lawrence Hargrave (1864)
Otto Lilienthal (1889)
Charles J. Lamson
Captain BFS Baden-Powell
The Levitor Kite
Alexander Graham Bell
Samuel Franklin Cody
Charles Brodgen
The Wright No. 1 Glider
Alexander Wilson
George Pocock
Parafoil Traction Kites
Domina Jalbert
The German Focke-Achgelis Gyroplane
Francis Rogallo Inflatable Wing
William Allison

Culture/Anthropology

The Kites of Japan

The Kites of China

The Kites of South America

The Kites of Southeast Asia

South Pacific Island Kites

Cave Drawings of Kites in Indonesia

The Kites of India

The Kites of the West Indies

The Kites of South America

The Kites of Central America