

Sources and Resources

Many of the tricks in this guide were adapted from the references below.

Books

Wiess, Jim (1998). *Magic Science: 50 jaw dropping, mind-boggling, head-scratching, activities for kids*. San Francisco: Jossey-Bass

Shalit, Nathan (1981). *Science Magic Tricks*. New York: Holt, Rinehart and Winston

Web Links

Card Trick Central – <http://web.superb.net/cardtrick>

This website has hundreds of card tricks. They are sorted by ability level and make it easy to find an appropriate one to try.

Magical Youth International – <http://magicyouth.com>

Magical Youth International is the youth program of the International Brotherhood of Magicians (IBM).

Bill Blagg – <http://www.billblagg.com>

Official website for Bill Blagg that includes tour dates, biography, videos, pictures and an e-mail group sign up form.

Special Thanks

Overture Center for the Performing Arts (Madison, WI) – Educational Series (2010).

**Excerpts from the self-produced Overture Center Guide have been referenced in this resource guide.*

Simon Shaw – Shaw Entertainment Group. Great Barrington, MA

“Bill Blagg’s *The Science of Magic* is without question the pinnacle of this genre!”

– Daniel Hahn,
Playhouse Square,
Cleveland, OH

Curriculum Connections

Science
Dramatic Arts/Theatre

Additional Curriculum Connections information: <https://artsbridgega.org/field-trip/the-science-of-magic/>