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## Agenda

(2-hour workshop)

### 1. *iGoogle* Custom Homepage

Step 1: Create a Google Homepage iGoogle.com

Google.com

Sign In

Create an account now

Step 2: Add widgets

- To Do List
- Bookmarks
- RSS feed from school homepage
- Notebook
- Docs & Spreadsheets

### 2. Language Tools

Step 1: Click on Language Tools (next to search bar)

Step 2: Copy & Paste text or URL into appropriate space

Step 3: Choose language and click translate

### 3. Effective Searches

- Google quiz
- Handout: **Better Search Results**
- Game: Objective- to get the fewest # of results  
Topic: \_\_\_\_\_

## 4. Custom Search Engines

- Why?
- How to:

Step 1: go to [www.google.com/cse](http://www.google.com/cse)

Step 2: Follow on screen directions

Step 4: Add developer Gadget to your iGoogle homepage

Step 5: Add Custom Search Engine to your blog or webpage

Get the code

Copy code

Go to your webpage, click view html, paste in code, apply, save

Resources

- Starter Guide – [Google Custom Search Engine](#)

