Resource Links for CCC

**General Cord Cutting Resources**

**Consumer Reports** has a wealth of information on all subjects involved in cutting your cable cord. Start here with this article “Take Control of Cable TV!” (Make sure and login to their site for full access free with your library card) [https://www.consumerreports.org/tv-service/take-control-of-cable-tv/](https://www.consumerreports.org/tv-service/take-control-of-cable-tv/)

**Consumer Reports** Streaming Media sites [https://www.consumerreports.org/streaming-media/streaming-sites-for-people-who-want-more-than-netflix/](https://www.consumerreports.org/streaming-media/streaming-sites-for-people-who-want-more-than-netflix/)

**Consumer Reports** How to decide if cord cutting is right for you [https://www.consumerreports.org/streaming-media/how-to-decide-if-cord-cutting-is-right-for-you/](https://www.consumerreports.org/streaming-media/how-to-decide-if-cord-cutting-is-right-for-you/)


**Consumer Reports** the Many Ways to Watch Television [https://www.consumerreports.org/tv-service/the-many-ways-to-watch-television/](https://www.consumerreports.org/tv-service/the-many-ways-to-watch-television/)

**Grounded Reason** is a website devoted to getting rid of “Pay” TV and still being able to watch your favorite shows. It has whole sections on everything from antenna reviews to how to watch the HBO’s True Detectives online (spoiler alert! It is still going to cost $) [https://www.groundedreason.com/](https://www.groundedreason.com/)


**Antennas**

**Consumer Reports** has a great article HDTV Antenna Review and that nice video explanation. [https://www.consumerreports.org/antennas/hdtv-antenna-reviews-indoor-tv-antennas/](https://www.consumerreports.org/antennas/hdtv-antenna-reviews-indoor-tv-antennas/)

**FCC** has lots of great information about Antennas period- from a map of broadcast towers for reception because--Antennas don’t work equally well everywhere you can check your address at the FCC website to see whether you are likely to get good reception or not. [https://www.fcc.gov/media/engineering/dtvmaps](https://www.fcc.gov/media/engineering/dtvmaps) (they even have tips about antenna placement)

**NoCable.org** [www.nocable.org](http://www.nocable.org) Lots of general cord cutting resources here-my favorite things here? A broadcast station TV guide and a step-by-step Cord Cutting guide!

**YouTube** has Lots of great do it yourself videos on every step things like how to connect your antenna! Check out this one [https://youtu.be/U_jxj5ZwKWM](https://youtu.be/U_jxj5ZwKWM)

**Antenna web** Cord cutters news and resources [www.antennaweb.org](http://www.antennaweb.org)

**Internet**

**Consumer Reports Internet Providers** [https://www.consumerreports.org/products/internet-providers/ratings-overview/](https://www.consumerreports.org/products/internet-providers/ratings-overview/)

**Highspeedinternet.com** reviews and tools to help you compare providers [https://www.highspeedinternet.com/](https://www.highspeedinternet.com/)

[https://broadbandnow.com/](https://broadbandnow.com/) See plans, prices, & ratings for every internet provider in your area.

[https://testmy.net/](https://testmy.net/) to test how fast your internet connection really is
Routers


CNET best networking devices https://www.cnet.com/topics/networking/best-networking-devices/

PC Magazine The best wireless routers for 2019 https://www.pcmag.com/article2/0,2817,2398080,00.asp


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Techlicious Streaming Devices https://www.techlicious.com/guide/5-easy-ways-to-get-netflix-video-streaming-services-on-your-tv/comments-/CP2/