

DATABASES, CATALOGS, ETC.

[Gale Student Resources in Context](#) (password storm340)

This database has reference content, and full text magazines, academic journals, news articles, primary source documents, images, videos, audio files and links to vetted websites organized in a user-friendly way.

[Gale Opposing Viewpoints in Context](#) (password storm340)

This database contains contextual information and opinions on hundreds of today's hottest social issues. It has continually updated viewpoints, full text magazines, academic journals, news articles, primary source documents, statistics, images, videos, audio files and links to vetted websites organized in a user-friendly way.

[SIRS Issues Researcher](#) (use name bvhs password storm340)

This database provides background and current analysis for 356+ current leading issues. Analysis covers the pros and cons on the most researched and debated social issues. Each Pro-Con subtopic provides a brief overview, critical thinking questions, timeline, and an research guide.

[Resource Mate High School Online Catalog](#)

Look up materials in the high school catalog by title, author, subject, or keyword. It will indicate the location of the item within the high school library. Access from home!

[Prairie Catalog Interlibrary Loan Catalog](#)

Search by title, author, subject, or keyword. Order through the high school library. It takes about a week to get the material.

[World Cat/ FirstSearch](#)

Catalog of ALL the books, videos, and cds, etc. in the WORLD!

CITATION MACHINES

[Purdue OWL Writing Lab](#)

[Easy Bib](#) – How to cite sources using various formats such as MLA and APA

[Landmark Citation Machine](#) - How to cite sources in MLA and APA form

[Noodle Bib Express](#) - Citation Maker

SEARCH BY TOPIC

BUSINESS

[Better Business Bureau](#)

[Business Week Online](#)

[Business Wire](#)

[Consumer Action](#)

[Consumer Jungle](#)

[Consumer Reports Online](#)

[Consumer's Union Link](#)

[Money](#)

[Wall Street Journal Online](#)

ENGLISH/ LANGUAGE ARTS

Collections

[Shakespeare Oxford Society](#)

Poetry

[Academy of American Poets](#) - Poetry database searchable by author, title, subject, etc.

[American Verse Project](#) - Electronic archive of poetry prior to 1921

[Poetry 180](#) - Former Poet Laureate, Billy Collins, selects 180 great poems for high school students

[Representative Poetry Online](#) - Search by poet, first, line, title, keyword, or timeline

Literary Criticism

[Writing An Essay](#) - Tips on how to write an essay

[Literary History](#) - Links to literary criticism

[Randy Rambo's Homepage](#) - IVCC Instructor, Randy Rambo, has this GREAT website.

Mythology

[Mythweb](#) - Heroes and monsters of Greek Mythology

[Encyclopedia Mythica](#)

[Greek Mythology Link](#)

[The Theoi Project](#)

Miscellaneous

[Bartleby.com](#) - Internet publisher of literature, reference, and verse, providing access to books and information on the web free of charge

[Bibliomania](#) - Chapters of books online

GEOGRAPHY, SOCIAL STUDIES, TRAVEL

[Atlapedia Online](#) - information maps on every country

[Color Landform](#) - Atlas of the U.S.

[Countries of the World](#) - facts and current information from the Information Please Almanac

[National Geographic](#)

[Guide To the Fifty States](#)

Travel

[Lonely Planet](#)

[Travel Eye](#)

CURRENT EVENTS

[Top Breaking News Headlines from 1st Headlines](#)

[ABC News](#)

[CNN](#)

[NBC News](#)

[New York Times on the Web](#)

[Time Magazine](#)

[USA Today](#)

[U.S. News and World Report](#)
[Washington post](#)
[World News](#)

FAMILY AND CONSUMER SCIENCE

[Diabetic Recipes](#) - in addition to recipes, there are useful charts (food substitutions, U.S. and Metric Measurements) and how to's

[Martindale's Reference Desk](#) - formulas, interest, checkbook balancing and many other calculations (22,085 in all)

[Recipe Source](#) - Online archive of recipes. Ethnic cuisine is listed by region. Others listed by type of dish

GOVERNMENT

[World Atlas](#)

[World and I Magazine/World Gallery](#) - Articles written by scholars and experts published monthly online. World Gallery of pictures and multi-media presentations

HISTORY

[The History Channel](#)

[Eyewitness History Through the Eyes of Those Who Lived It](#) - Eyewitness accounts of major events throughout history, from ancient times through 20th century

Civil War

[The American Civil War Homepage](#) - Everything you ever wanted to know!

[American Memory Civil War Maps](#) - Library of Congress Collection

[The Valley of the Shadow: Two Communities In the American Civil War](#) - Primary source documents shadowing two communities, one north and one south using diaries, letters and photographs

Civil War Battles

[History Place](#) -Timeline of battles with short summary of action

[Battle of Antietam](#) - Descriptive information

[Battle of Bull Run](#) - Descriptive information

[Battle of Gettysburg](#) - Descriptive information

[Battle of Shiloh](#) - Descriptive information

Miscellaneous

[Information Please Almanac](#) - online facts

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TEACHER RESOURCE FOR K-12 TEACHERS

[Education World](#) - Search Engine/Database for educators