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MN K-12 Academic Standards











MN and the Common Core





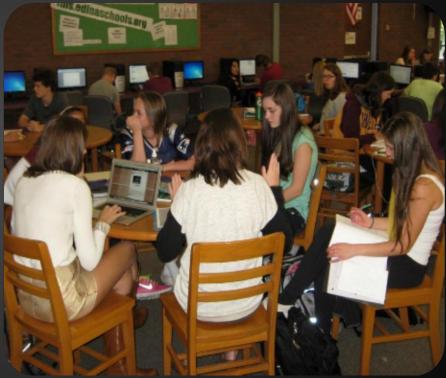
Common Core Goal: Creating...

"students who are college and career ready in reading, writing, speaking, viewing, listening, media literacy and language."



Research Standards







Benchmark: Literature

STANDARD: 9.4.10.10 By the end of grade 9, read and comprehend literature and other texts including stories, dramas, and poems, in the grades 9–10 text complexity band proficiently, with scaffolding as needed at the high end of the range.

- a. Self-select texts for personal enjoyment, interest, and academic tasks.
- b. Read widely to understand multiple perspectives and pluralistic viewpoints.

Range of Reading and Level of Text Complexity

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By the end of grade 10, read and comprehend literature and other texts including stories, dramas, and poems at the high end of the grades 9–10 text complexity band independently and proficiently.

 Self-select texts for personal enjoyment, interest, and academic tasks.

- 1.4.10.10 By the end of grade 11, read and comprehend literature and other texts including stories, dramas, and poems, in the grades 11–CCR text complexity band proficiently, with scaffolding as needed at the high end of the range.
 - Self-select texts for personal enjoyment, interest, and academic tasks.
 - Read widely to understand multiple perspectives and pluralistic viewpoints.

By the end of grade 12, read and comprehend literature and other texts including stories, dramas, and poems, at the high end of the grades 11—CCR text complexity hand independently and proficiently.

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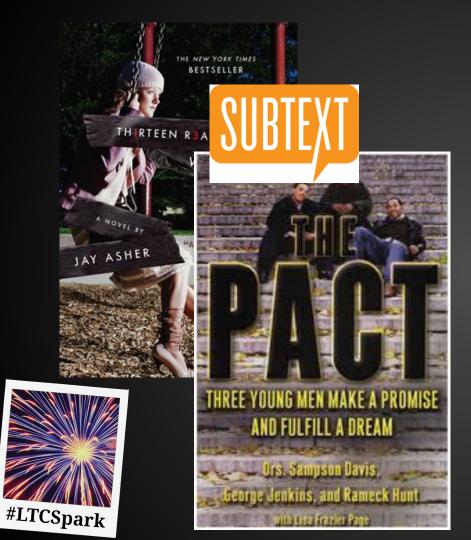




Benchmark: Literature

STANDARD 9.4.2.2: Determine a theme or central idea of a text and analyze in detail its development over the course of the text, including how it emerges and is shaped and refined by specific details; provide an objective summary of the text.

	Grades 9-10 students:	Grades 11-12 students:			
Key Ide	as and Details				
9.4.1.1	Cite strong and thorough textual evidence to support analysis of what the text says explicitly as well as inferences drawn from the text.	11.4.1.1. Cite strong and thorough textual evidence to support analysis of what text says explicitly as well as inferences drawn from the text, including determining where the text leaves matters uncertain.			
9.4.2.2	Determine a theme or central idea of a text and analyze in detail its development over the course of the text, including how it emerges and is shaped and refined by specific details; provide an objective summary of the text.	11.4.2.2 Determine two or more themes or central ideas of a text and analyze development over the course of the text, including how they interact as build on one another to produce a complex account; provide an objecti summary of the text.			





Benchmark: Informational Texts

Standard 11.5.7.7: Integrate and evaluate multiple sources of information presented in different media or formats (e.g., visually, quantitatively) as well as in words in order to address a question or solve a problem.

Integrat	tion of Knowledge and Ideas		
9.5.7.7	Analyze various accounts of a subject told in different mediums (e.g., a person's life story in both print and multimedia), determining which details are emphasized in each account.	11.5.7.7	Integrate and evaluate multiple sources of information presented in different media or formats (e.g., visually, quantitatively) as well as in words in order to address a question or solve a problem.
9.5.8.8	Delineate and evaluate the argument and specific claims in a text, assessing whether the reasoning is valid and the evidence is relevant and sufficient; identify false statements and fallacious reasoning.	11.5.8.8	Delineate and evaluate the reasoning in seminal U.S. texts, including the application of constitutional principles and use of legal reasoning (e.g., in U.S. Supreme Court majority opinions and dissents) and the premises, purposes, and arguments in works of public advocacy (e.g., The Federalist, presidential addresses).

The Passion Project Assignment Sheet

In this year-long project, you will complete the following steps:

- 1. DESIGN: Identify a topic about which you care deeply and want to learn more.
- Once your topic is identified, reframe your topic as a research question designed
- solve a problem. Deliver a speech to your classmates about your research question and why you chose it.
- 2. RESEARCH: Research the topic/problem using a variety of sources and
- 3. WRITE: Write a ten-page research paper in APA format that fully explores the problem and proposes a solution.
- 4. ACT: Bring this topic to life by taking action in the world.
- 5. PRESENT: Present your research and the action that you took to students, teachers, and community members in a Passion Fair.

DUE DATE	ASSIGNMENT	PTS
October 3 and 4, 2013	Passion Project Speeches	10
November 11, 2013	Sample research paper due on moodle by 8:24 a.m.	25
December 9, 2013	10 sources due in class	10
December 16, 2013	Outline and reference page due on moodle by 8:24 a.m.	25
February 10, 2014	Sample body paragraph due on moodle by 8:24 a.m.	10
March 14, 2014	Final paper due on moodle by 8:24 a.m.	50
May 21-23, 2014	Passion Fair: Presentation of Action	25

Common Core Standards Met

Standard 9.5.1.1 "Read closely to determine what the text says explicitly and to make logical inferences from it, cite specific textual evidence when writing or speaking to support conclusions drawn from the text."

Standard 9.5.2.2 "Determine central ideas or themes of a text and analyze their development, summarize the key supporting details and ideas."

Use the link below to contact Ms. Swenson for help narrowing your topic or locating resources for your project. Log in with your school computer creditials. Feel free to stop by the library for help as well!

There are also two resource documents to help guide your research.

- · Passion Project Help Form
- Use to ask for help with your project
- . EHS Student Research Planning Guide A five step guide to help you plan your research process.
- . Web Research Basics
- Tips for searching on the web and validating sources

A suite of five animated and interactive information literacy modules.

With this butorial, you'll learn how to

- · Select and narrow topics and apply limiters, . Find sources, identify primary, secondary and tertiary sources, use
- databases
- Select keywords for database searches . Identify citations, distinguish between book and jour-
- . Evaluate sources: practice evaluating the quality of s

Click on the Rutgers RIOT link to get started.

· Rutgers RIOT

earch Smarter, Search Faster

Fun explanation (with dinosaurs!) about how to focus on key limiters like "and" and "or" in your searches.



Service Project Research Assignment

Have a portion of your website devoted to your research on the issue.

1. Describe the issue

Definition (ex. Hunger is defined as...)

Gov't Service Project - - Print Page

- What causes the issue?
- · Etc.

2. Impact of the issue

- . How prominent is it? (Use statistics!) Who is impacted?
- What are some other aspects of society that are negatively impacted by the

3. Activism on this issue

- . (Sovernment) What is the government doing to help with the issue? Legislative Branch:
 - . Research and explain 1 law (can be historic in nature) that
 - has been proposed or passed by the state of Minnesota or p with the issue.

9th Grade Gov't Service Project Help Form

sponsibility...Why did this Your username (sarswenson@apps.edina.k12.mn.us) will be recorded when you submit this form. Not resentative from your you agree or disagree sarswenson? Sign out

* Required

What is your name? *

Pirst name Last name

Who is your government teacher? *

Mr. Lowe

Mr. Sigmund

What hour do you have this class? *

Eg: 1/2 A

What is your question? What do you need help with? *





Purpose: Become an informed citizen in regards to your group's service issue.

SVMS 9th Government Service Project Research Planner

- There are also two resource documents to help guide your research.
- Sanice Project Main Form
- Use this form to ask for help with your project. Access it with your school computer user credentials. (EG: Mickeyl/16328)

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- A five step guide to help you plan your research process.
- · Web Research Basics
- Tips for searching on the web and validating sources.



- Use this site to find federal (national) laws
- State of Minnesota Lenislature Use this site to find Minnesota state laws

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national) and explain how

the issue, and how can

sefly explain what they do.

or than your service

our service topic

Limiting to specific types of sites:

When searching for web sites related to your project, you may find it helpful to set up your search so that your findings are limited to just educational or government

For example, in Google the search string would look like:

achievement gap site: edu

literacy statistics site: gov

By adding "site colon dot edu" or "site colon dot gov" you'll ensure that your findings have an academic component/connection to them.

Synonym search



Class Research Pages



























Family & Consumer Science

- Advanced Foods, Spice Project-O'Connell
- Advanced Foods, Super Foods Assignment
- Culinary, Cookie Contest-O'Connell
- Culinary, International Cuisine Project-O'Connell
- Culinary, Menu Project-O'Connell
- Fashion, Designers-O'Connell
- Fashion, History of Fashion Standard-O'Connell
- Interior Design, Housing Styles-O'Connell
- PALS, Multiple Intelligences-O'Connell
- PALS, Teaching Reading-O'Connell

Class Research Pages > Family & Consumer Science >

History of Fashion

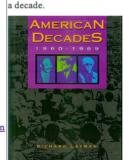
RESOURCES

Images and Information

- 19th Century Fashion Plates
- · American Cultural History: By the Decade
- BBC: Fashion's Shocking Styles
- Costume Gallery
- Costumer's Manifesto
- Fashion Era
- · Fashions of the Ages
- Head Over Heels: History of Shoes
- History Box: 20th Century Fashion
- Le Couturiere Parisienne
- LIFE Photo Archive
- · Shmoop: History of American Fashion
- U.K. Design Council: A History of Fashion
- Vintage Fashion Club

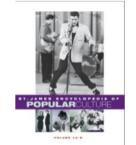
Print Sources

The American Decades collection located on the book cart highlights the major events and individuals of



The call number for fashion history

Online Reference



Click on the cover above to access the ereference book and search for fashion



An online encyclopedia is a good place in Reference and Nonfiction is 391. to look up basic information on concepts or events.

General U.S. History

(social, political, economic or technical events!)

- American Cultural History
- American Memory: Library of Congress (digital archive of photos, letters, historic artifacts of the time)
- Biography of America
- Digital History
- History Central



Creating Graphs-Bolyard Instructions on how to create a chart/graph using a Google Spreadsheet using the data you gather in class. Creating Charts Untitled spreadsheet 🖈 🗎 Edit View Insert Format Data Tools Help www.antherns. # Q Advanced Search - ProQue search.proquest.com.proxy.elm4you.org/advanced?accountid=45111 MN MyView TV Mecipes O Α C AND E Carriage 12 AND 1 10 32 El Add a row | Remove a row Highlight the 15 data you * Not all selected distabases will return results for this field. View details 10 Search options entered. 12 Full text including column Limit to: Search subtect areas headings. Publication date: Last 3 years Use search forms oustomized for each subject. Show less -Sook up People Person: 9 Look up Subject headings (all) Subject heading (all): " News & Newspapers Location: 9 Look up Locations NATCS: * Look up NAICS codes Look up Companies/organizations Company/organization: * Source type: 9 Select all Historical Newspapers ☐ Magazines M Newspapers ☐ Other Sources #LTCSpark

Benchmark: Writing

Standard: 11.9.5.5 Make strategic use of digital media (e.g. textual, graphical, audio, visual, and interactive elements) in presentations to enhance understanding of findings, reasoning and evidence and to add interest.

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9.9.6.6	and others, demonstrating command of formal English when indicated or appropriate. (See grades 9–10 Language standards 1 and 3 on pages 75 for specific expectations.)	11.9.6.6	Adapt speech to a variety of contexts, audiences, tasks, and feedback from self- and others, demonstrating a command of formal English when indicated or appropriate. (See grades 11–12 Language standards 1 and 3 on page 75 for specific expectations.) a. Apply assessment criteria to evaluate oral presentations by self and		
	specific expectations.) a. Apply assessment criteria to evaluate oral presentations by self and others.		AND		



Class Project Portfolio, Google Sites

- Project Instructions
 Example #1
- ▼ Tech How-To Change your page template Editing your page Picasa

This would normally be a class list of people.

YouTube

Example Student #1

Example Student #1

English Ethnography Sample

English 12 P5

29 January 2013

Acts of Kindness

Most people would agree that one of the nicest feelings in the world is to sit down in a comfortable room with nice people around, and be able to feel at home without actually being at home. That is the goal of Caribou Coffee, to make their customers feel comfortable and at home



Benchmark: Writing

Standard 11.7.8.8: Gather relevant information from multiple authoritative print and digital sources, using advanced searches effectively; assess the strengths and limitations of each source in terms of the task, purpose, and audience; integrate information into the text selectively to maintain the flow of ideas, avoiding plagiarism and overreliance on any one source and following a standard format for citation.

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Grades	7-10	stuc	tenus:

sources, using advanced searches effectively; assess the usefulness of each source in answering the research question; integrate information into the text selectively to maintain the flow of ideas, avoiding plagiarism and following a standard format for citation.

Grades 11-12 students:

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Tool for Real-time Assessment of Information Literacy Skills

A Project of Kent State University Libraries

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Welcome!

TRAILS is a knowledge assessment with multiple-choice questions targeting a variety of information literacy skills based on 3rd, 6th, 9th, and 12th grade standards. This Web-based system was developed to provide an easily accessible and flexible tool for school librarians and teachers to identify strengths and weaknesses in the information-seeking skills of their students. There is no charge for using TRAILS.

Details about how the assessment system works may be found at HOW TRAILS WORKS.

Environmental Science Alternative Energy Research Organizer (make a copy of this doc and share with your group members)

Group members: Topic:

Definition/history: (Use online encyclopedia)	Source/cite:
Now, in your words (paraphrase)	
General description/How does your energy work?	Source/cite:
Now, in your words (paraphrase)	
Amount of energy that can be produced:	Source/cite:
Now, in your words	

LTC Session: tinyurl. com/trails9



Using Databases for Scholarly Research

Databases are a part of the 'deep web,' They aren't accessible through web searches by search engines. They can only be accessed with paid links. Databases provide us with high < 0 quality, organized credible information for scholarly

A variety of databases are provided through the high school Media Center webpage. Public libraries also provide many databases to patrons who have a library card.

- · View 2 videos: "Tips for Using a Database" and "Scholarly Research"
- . Choose 2 databases on the Media Center webpage and practice using a keyword search that will lead you to the subject terms or headings.
- · Find a full text scholarly article in EBSCO using a topic of your choice. Notice the Subjects that are identified with each article. This could lead you to another thread

Optional topic: Using simulated patients in medical





PLC 2011-12

Ellen George

TRAILS-9 Information Literacy Assessment

Pre-Test 2/17/12 Post-Test 3/13/12

	A	В	С	D	E	F	G	Н	
1	Topic Covered	(2) Pre-Test	(2) Post-Test	(3)Pre-Test	(3)Post-Test	(4)Pre-Test	(4)Post-Test	(6)Pre-Test	(6)Post-Test
10									
11	12.1 Copyright	29	88.5	0	87.5	39	79.2	23	82.6
12	12.2 Copyright	10	73.1	57	66.7	48	58.3	31	73.9
13	12.3 MLA style	14	15.4	33	! 20.8	26	! 0	19	30.4
14	12.4 Plagiarism/Ethics	38	84.6	5	75	39	41.7	38	69.6
15	12.5 Copyright	38	76.9	33	87.5	65	70.8	77	82.6
16	12.6 Common Knowledge	52	73.1	14	66.7	48	41.7	31	56.5
17	12.7 MLA citation	X	X	X	X	X	X	X	X
18	12.8 Paraphrasing	29	57.7	19	62.5	26	29.2	35	47.8
19	12.9 MLA citation	24	26.9	57	! 8.	3 9	! 0	15	17.4
20	12.10 Intellectual Property/	33	53.8	10	33.3	35	50	42	69.6
21									
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23									
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25									
THE RESIDENCE AND ADDRESS OF THE PERSON.	Note: #7 answer deemed in	correct left	out of results						



Benchmark: Speaking, Viewing, Listening and Media Literacy

Standard: 11.9.8.8 As an individual or in collaboration, create a multimedia work, a remix of original work and the work of others, or a piece of digital communication for a specific purpose (e.g., to connect literature to a culture or a literary period, to recast a piece of literature into a different time period or culture, to critique popular culture, to create a parody or satire).

- a. Present, transform or remix content in an ethical manner, demonstrating an understanding of copyright, attribution, citation, the principles of Fair Use, and the different types of Creative Commons licenses.
- b. Publish the work and share with an audience.

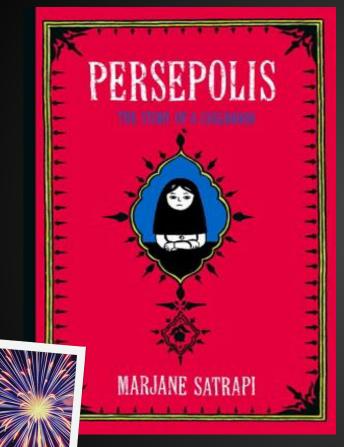
Media Literacy

- 9.9.7.7 Understand, analyze, evaluate, and use different types of print, digital, and multimodal media.
 - Evaluate the content and effect of persuasive techniques used in different mass media.
 - Synthesize information and recognize categories, trends, and themes across multiple sources.
 - c. Demonstrate an understanding of ethics in mass communication and describe the characteristics of ethical and unethical behavior.
 - d. Recognize ethical standards and safe practices in social and personal media communications, and understand the consequences of personal choices.
- 9.9.8.8 As an individual or in collaboration, create a multimedia work, a remix of original work and the work of others, or a piece of digital communication for a specific purpose (e.g., to interpret or respond to a piece of literature, to represent thematic similarities between two literary works, to interact or collaborate globally, to critique a current event or social issue.)
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 - b. Publish the work and share with an audience.

- 11.9.7.7 Understand, analyze, evaluate, and use different types of print, digital, and multimodal media.
 - Evaluate the aural, visual, and written images and other special effects used in mass media for their ability to inform, persuade, and entertain.
 - Examine the intersections and conflicts between visual (e.g., media images, painting, film, graphic arts) and verbal messages.
 - Recognize how visual techniques or design elements (e.g., special effects, camera angles) carry or influence messages in various media.
 - Recognize ethical standards and safe practices in social and personal media communications, and understand the consequences of personal choices.
- 11.9.8.8 As an individual or in collaboration, create a multimedia work, a remix of original work and the work of others, or a piece of digital communication for a specific purpose (e.g., to connect literature to a culture or a literary period, to recast a piece of literature into a different time period or culture, to critique popular culture, to create a parody or satire).
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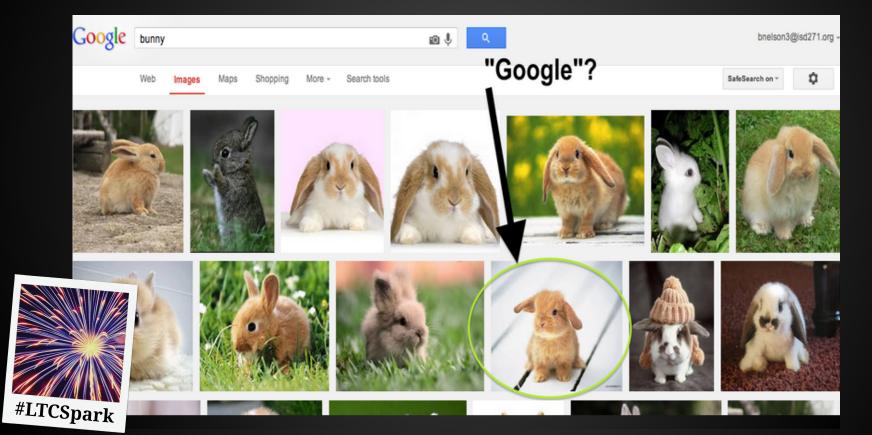








After seeing a few rounds of results...





ITS DEFINITELY HER APPENDIX. GOOD THING YOU CAUGHT IT RIGHT AWAY. WE'LL BRING HER INTO SURGERY NOW.



WHEN I WAS IN KINDERGARTEN, ON 9/11/2011, THE TWIN TOWERS WENT DOWN.



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Benchmark: Literacy in History/Social Studies

Standard: 11.12.9.9 Integrate information from diverse sources, both primary and secondary, into a coherent understanding of an idea or event, noting discrepancies among sources.

6.12.7.7	Integrate visual information (e.g., in charts, graphs, photographs, videos, maps) with other information in print and digital texts.	9.12.7.7 Integrate quantitative or technical analysis (e.g., charts, maps, research data) with qualitative analysis in print or digital text.	11.12.7.7 Integrate and evaluate multiple sources of information presented in diverse formats and media (e.g., visually, quantitatively, spatially, aurally, physically as well as in words) in order to address a question or solve a problem.
6.12.8.8	Distinguish among fact, opinion, and reasoned judgment in a text.	9.12.8.8 Assess the extent to which the reasoning and evidence in a text support the author's claims.	11.12.8.8 Evaluate an author's premises, claims, and evidence by corroborating or challenging them with other information.
6.12.9.9	Analyze the relationship between a primary and secondary source on the same topic.	9.12.9.9 Compare and contrast treatments of the same topic in several primary and secondary sources, including texts from various cultures and Minnesota American Indian culture.	11.12.9.9 Integrate information from diverse sources, both primary and secondary, into a coherent understanding of an idea or event, noting discrepancies among sources.

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History Day



Ask questions, challenge thinking, and propose conclusions.

Research Help Tertiary, Secondary and Primary Sources

Using Databases To Find Tertiary Sources Using Libraries for Research



Five Sites We (and our students) Can't Live Without Right Now















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