

**Course Title:** Information Literacy HS

**Board Approval Date:** 12/5/12

**Credit / Hours:** NA

**Course Description:**

This course focuses on mastery of the AASL Standards for the 21<sup>st</sup>-Century Learner. As students progress through this course, special emphasis will be placed on diversification of research skills and the ethical use of information. These competencies will be supplemented by the continued development of reading skills. *This course also complies with the Protecting Children Act which requires that schools must be “Educating minors about appropriate online behavior.”*

**Learning Activities / Modes of Assessment:**

Large Group Instruction	Surveys
Small Group Instruction	Graphic Organizers
Demonstration/Guided Instruction	Teacher Observation
Quizzes/Tests	Projects with Rubrics

**Instructional Resources:**

Library Data Bases  
Library Circulation Software  
Citation Generator  
Web 2.0 Tools  
Microsoft Office Suite  
District Purchased Software  
Educational Videos  
Educational Websites

## Course Pacing Guide

Course: **Information Literacy HS**

**Course Unit (Topic)**

**Length of Instruction (Days/Periods)**

1. Information Literacy

180 days

DAYS TOTAL

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Grade(s): 9th, 10th, 11th, 12th

Know:	Understand:	Do:
<p>1. Information Process Model</p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>• The Big6</li> </ul> <p>2. Layout of the Library</p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>• Fiction</li> <li>• Nonfiction</li> <li>• Biography</li> <li>• Circulation Desk</li> <li>• Laptops</li> <li>• Computer Lab</li> </ul> <p>3. Catalog Search Strategies (Destiny)</p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>• Advanced Strategies</li> <li>• Destiny Quest</li> </ul> <p>4. Databases such as:</p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>• Biography in Context</li> <li>• CultureGrams</li> <li>• World Book Online</li> <li>• POWER Library</li> <li>• Facts on File Databases</li> <li>• EBSCO Publishing Databases</li> <li>• Choices</li> <li>• Oxford Databases</li> </ul> <p>5. Websites</p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>• WebPath Express</li> <li>• Search Engines</li> </ul> <p>6. Online Tools/ Applications</p>	<p>I must be able to access high-quality information, make sense of it to draw my own conclusions or create new knowledge, and share my knowledge with others.</p>	<div style="background-color: #e0f2f1; padding: 5px; margin-bottom: 10px;"> <p><b>15.3.12.E – Unranked</b>          Evaluate chosen print and electronic resources for advanced research. Reference English Language Arts CC.1.4.11-12.U</p> </div> <div style="background-color: #e0f2f1; padding: 5px; margin-bottom: 10px;"> <p><b>15.3.12.I. – Unranked</b>          Synthesize information gathered from multiple sources (e.g., digital, print, face to face).</p> </div> <div style="background-color: #e0f2f1; padding: 5px; margin-bottom: 10px;"> <p><b>15.4.12.L. – Unranked</b>          Find and use primary documentation; employ an accepted protocol for citation.</p> </div> <p>AASL Standards for the 21st-Century Learner:</p> <p>1.0: Inquire, think critically, and gain knowledge</p> <p>2.0: Draw conclusions, make informed decisions, apply knowledge to new situations, and create new knowledge</p> <p>3.0: Share knowledge and participate ethically and productively as members of our democratic society</p> <p>4.0: Pursue personal and aesthetic growth</p> <p>1a. Identify the steps of The Big6 Research Process Model</p> <p>1b. Use The Big6 Research Process Model</p> <p>2. Locate &amp;utilize a variety of resources in the library</p> <p>Use Destiny to search for information in the library</p> <p>4. Use databases to locate and gather appropriate information</p> <p>5. Use websites to find appropriate information</p> <p>6. Use web-based programs to create and enhance projects.</p>

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<p>7. Evaluation Strategies</p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>• Authority</li> <li>• Accuracy</li> <li>• Currency</li> <li>• Objectivity</li> <li>• Coverage</li> </ul> <p>8. Policies &amp; Procedures</p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>• Circulation</li> <li>• Computer Usage</li> </ul> <p>9. Citations &amp; Copyright</p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>• NoodleTools</li> <li>• MLA format</li> <li>• APA format</li> </ul> <p>10. Genres</p> <p>11. Appropriate Book Selection</p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>• Reading Level</li> <li>• Labels/Signage</li> <li>• Annotations</li> <li>• Subject Headings</li> </ul>		<p>7. Evaluate sources for readability, validity and reliability</p> <p>8. Follow library policies &amp; procedures</p> <p>9a. Apply parameters of MLA format</p> <p>9b. Apply parameters of APA format</p> <p>9c. Use NoodleTools to record and organize information</p> <p>9d. Paraphrase &amp; quote appropriately</p> <p>10. Read a variety of genres</p> <p>11. Choose books based on level and need</p>

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Which standards are students learning in this unit?

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AASL Standards for the 21st-Century Learner: 1.0, 2.0, 3.0, 4.0