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District e-Resources

- **Online Book Review and Recommendations (students/staff can add)**
- **Professionally selected, safe, searchable websites**
- **28 student and staff research databases and online encyclopedias**
- **National Film Board-Office National du Film du Canada streaming video**
- **Media Awareness Network resources (secondary and staff-focus)**
- **e-Books (secondary focus)**

Three Ways to Access District e-Resources:

- Via <http://destiny.sd43.bc.ca> (choose a school from list)
- Via <http://public.sd43.bc.ca/district/library> (click on “Databases”)
- Via <http://www.sd43.bc.ca> (click on “Library”, and then “Databases”)

User Names and Passwords:

- NOT REQUIRED from school (access is automatic)
- REQUIRED from home (ask the teacher-librarian or principal)

Annotated List:

Books (Print and e-Books):

- **SD43 Destiny Library Catalogues (K-12):** search for books and video in all school libraries and the Aboriginal Education Library. Students and staff can log in to see their own library records and when logged in can also add book reviews and recommendations.
- **Gale Virtual Reference Library (8-12):** subject-specific reference e-Books



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Safe Websites:

- **SD43 Digital Library (K-12):** Searchable catalogue of over 50,000 professionally selected websites, organized by subject and viewable by grade level.

Streaming Video:

- **National Film Board Online Screening Room/ La salle de visionnement de l'Office National du Film du Canada (K-12):** Search for and show the National Film Board-Office National du Film du Canada's documentary and animated films in the classroom.

Online Encyclopedias:

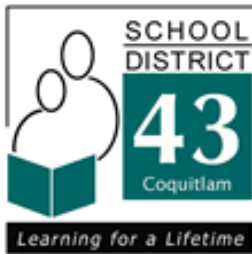
- **World Book suite (K-12 - *World Book Kids*, *L'Encyclopédie Découverte*, *World Book Student*, *World Book Advanced*, *Enciclopedia Estudiantil Hallazgos*):** One of the world's most recognized encyclopedias with content designed for "Kids" (K-5), "Student" (6-12) and "Advanced" (10+) . Available in English and Spanish. Includes encyclopedia articles, dictionary, sounds, images, research tips, and a timeline module. "Advanced" contains primary sources.
- **Encyclopedia of British Columbia (4-12):** Encyclopedia articles specifically on B.C., with images.

Reading Recommendations:

- **NoveList K-8 and NoveList (K-8 and 8-12):** Reading recommendations databases. Finished one book and want one just like it, but don't know of a title? Use NoveList to find out ("If You Liked ____, You Will Like..."). Includes author biographies, literature lists, reviews, and book talks.

Newspapers:

- **Canadian Periodical Index (CPI.Q) (4-12):** Search Canadian newspaper content.
- **Regional Business News (9-12):** Business news content.



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Canadian Reference (Magazine/Reference Articles, Video and Images)::

- **Canadian Reference Centre (6-12):** Canadian magazine and journal articles.

General Reference (Magazine/Reference Articles, Video and Images):

- **MasterFILE Premier (9-12, staff):** Designed with a public library audience in mind, MasterFILE Premier is a general reference database with magazine and journal articles across a broad spectrum.

Student Reference (Magazine/Reference Articles, Video and Images):

- **Searchasaurus (K-5):** Dinosaur-themed online information site for younger learners. Contains magazine and journal articles intended for this younger audience.
- **Kids Search (K-8):** A kid-friendly but more structured interface with the same magazine and journal content as Searchasaurus.
- **Middle Search Plus (6-8):** Magazine and journal articles intended for the middle school learner audience.
- **eLibrary Curriculum Canada Edition (9-12, *secondary only*):** Premier newspaper, magazine, and journal article database available at secondary schools.

Subject-Specific Reference:

- **EBSCO Animals (K-12):** Individual encyclopedia articles on very specific animals. For example, search “monkey” for articles on 21 different types of monkeys!
- **History Study Centre (9-12, *secondary only*):** A resource for history and Social Studies. Contains secondary and primary sources.
- **ProQuest Learning: Literature (9-12, *secondary only*):** A resource for secondary English courses. Includes significant poetry content, including video of poets such as Margaret Atwood reading their own works.



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- **GreenFILE (9-12): Environmental periodicals; mainly abstracts.**
- **Consumer Health Complete (9-12, staff): A health information database designed with the public in mind but also suitable for research.**
- **Business Source Premier (9-12): All about business! Includes information on economics and corporations in addition to news.**
- **E-STAT (9-12, secondary only via Destiny library sites): Statistics Canada resource with access to statistical reports and information.**
- **QPLegalEze (9-12, secondary only, school access only, via Destiny library sites): BC Queen's Printer website with updated B.C. legislation and reports.**

Peer-Reviewed Journal Articles:

- **Academic Search Premier (9-12, staff): Premier academic database with high-end research journal and magazine content. Great for staff research, too!**

Teacher Professional Development:

- **Professional Development Collection (staff): Education journals and magazines.**