

Wallenpaupack Area School District

COURSE: Library

GRADE LEVEL: Eleventh Grade

LENGTH OF COURSE: Eight hours

TEXT: N/A

PUBLISHER:

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COURSE DESCRIPTION:

The library course of study has been developed following state guideline benchmarks with an emphasis on the ability to research and utilize appropriate resources. Classes at all grade levels of English and social studies are instructed on how to develop personal research skills for a life time of unlimited access to knowledge through active learning. Access Pennsylvania databases, district provided materials, and recommended Internet sites are emphasized in the research projects process at all grade levels. Proper citation and presentation are taught as part of research process along with searching techniques such as Boolean search logic. The final presentation of a completed senior project allows for the utilization of all acquired skills.

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Unit: Research/Interpretation

PA Standards: 1.8.11.A
1.8.11.B
1.8.11.C
3.5.B

Topics:	Skills:
Evaluation and processing of pertinent research information Senior project	Use appropriate techniques to collect and organize information for the senior project presentation Students will evaluate information in terms of completeness, usefulness, and accuracy for the senior project Use technology for the creative presentation of information Effectively use problem solving techniques as informational needs change Integrates information from a variety of sources
Activities:	Performance Assessments:
Collect, organize, interpret and analyze information for the senior project presentation Prepare a senior project presentation including: a journal, visual aids, and a paper or completed visible project.	Observation of the student doing research Evaluation of the quality and variety of the research sources, which were accessed and used Quality of the senior projects written and presented information Assessing feedback from teachers and students