TOR Library Media Center Syllabus 😊
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TOR Library Media Center Website & Destiny Book Catalog Access:
TORonline.org>Media Policies>TOR Media Center Website > Scroll down to Destiny

Overview:
Students utilize TOR’s Library Media Center throughout the school year. During one to five day blocks of time students locate, read, annotate, organize, cite, and write about curriculum-relevant topics to create an original research paper, movie or presentation.

Mrs. Murray and classroom teachers collaborate about upcoming lessons and together they determine the lesson structure and outcome. While classes are in the media center, Mrs. Murray instructs students about literacy, research, note taking, and tech skills while classroom teachers instructs students about content-relevant material.

Our Library Media Center offers over 8000 hard cover books and thousands of database articles that support curriculum, district goals, DOJ interventions, SBAC, and the Common Core. We’re fortunate enough to have Kevin Carrington, our Media Para, readily-available to assist. Students are encouraged to check out books throughout the school day to support the great work that’s happening in our classrooms.

Scope & Sequence: Media Center curriculum is based upon the “Big Six.”

While students are in the media center they:
1. Locate information from SPS book and database resources.
2. Read and annotate text.
3. Organize notes.
4. Cite sources.
5. Create an original research paper, movie or presentation.
6. Save work securely.

Behavioral and Academic Expectations: Students are expected to follow our AUP and Code of Conduct.

Office Hours: Mrs. Murray and Mr. Carrington are available to help students from 7:45-2:55. Students do not need a library card to check out books from our Media Center.

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