Do You Know Your Resources?

A PRESENTATION TO BETTER ASSIST ARIS PATRONS (STUDENTS, STAFF, PARENTS) LEARN ABOUT ALL THE RESOURCES

LIBRARY AND IT HAVE TO OFFER

BOOKS

- ► TEXTBOOKS: Student copies, teacher's handbooks and copy masters.
- ▶ REFERENCE TITLES: Books only used in the library. le: dictionaries, limited copies of textbooks etc.
- ► FICTION TITLES: Stories not real life; le: Harry Potter
- NON-FICTION: Real life, includes literature

E-BOOKS

- ► KINDLE TITLES: Fiction and nonfiction titles. Titles can be purchased and put on school devices if they are requested at the beginning of each financial quarter: August/November/January/April
- ▶ PDFs: Found online, there are so many free books in PDF form. The format can put people off, but it's the same information for free that you would have to buy otherwise.

AUDIOBOOKS

- TEACHER RESOURCES:
- ▶ Zoom, Tricolore etc.
- AUDIBLE:
- ► Found on Kindles: Fiction/Nonfiction. This is a growing part of the department. We are investing part of our library budget in this

PODCASTS

- ▶ DEFINITION: A digital audio file made available on the Internet for downloading to a computer or mobile device, typically available as a series, new installments of which can be received by subscribers automatically.
- ► NOTE THIS FIELD IS EXPLODING WITH DEVELOPMENT AT THE MOMENT.
- https://www.apple.com/itunes/podcasts/

DVD/CD-ROM

- ► Almost every teacher's guide comes with an accompanying DVD/CD-ROM, which has extensive, extra material the textbooks don't have, including class activities, worksheets etc.
- We have TONS of these in the library, if you are needing more material for class, please come and ask us and we will assist you with this.

PERIODICALS!

- Magazines in the library:
- Time
- ▶ The Economist
- Reader's Digest
- School Library Journal

- ► Magazines in the library:
- Ebony
- Africa Report
- World Soccer
- ▶ The International Educator

DATABASES

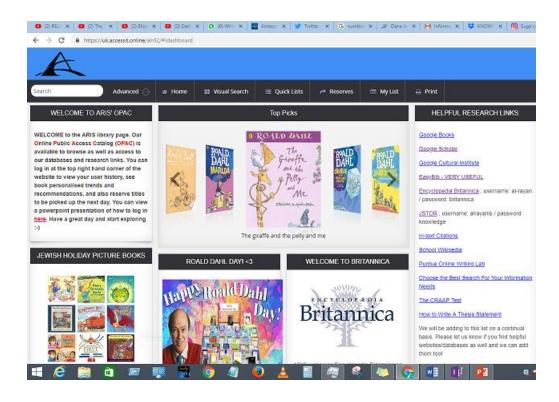
- Encyclopedia Britannica:
- Login: https://school.eb.co.uk
- ► Username: al-rayan
- ► Password: britannica

- > JSTOR:
- Login:
 https://www.jstor.org/
- ▶ Username: alrayanis
- ► Password: knowledge

DEVICES

- ► AMAZON KINDLES:
- ► EBOOKS
- AUDIOBOOKS
- APPS
- You can issue one for one week at a time, with the ability to renew as you go.

ARIS Library Website! https://uk.accessit.online/alr02



LIBRARY WEBSITE cont.

- ► NEWS ITEMS
- ▶ BOOK LISTS
- DATABASE INFO
- ► RESEARCH HELP

- ► SEARCH CATALOG
- ► RESERVE BOOKS
- ► CREATE LISTS
- ► COLLABORATE WITH US!

LIBRARY STAFF

- FIND INFORMATION
- ► PROJECT MANAGEMENT
- ► CURATED COLLECTIONS

Wi-Fi Internet Connection

- Desktop computers with universal usernames/passwords.
- Good Al-Rayan Wi-Fi connection.

ENVIRONMENT

- ► GOOD LIGHT
- ► QUIET AND PEACEFUL
- TABLES FOR WORKING SPACES
- COUCHES TO SIT/READ ON
- ▶ PERFECT FOR PRODUCTIVITY!

WE NEED YOUR HELP!



THANK YOU!

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