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	<p><b>Atomic Learning:</b> Atomic Learning is a collection of Web-based video tutorials that may assist teachers with using software. DoDEA provides access to the Technology Skill videos and Assistive Technology tutorials only. No test access is available. This resource is provided by the Education Technology dept.</p>	<p><b>All Subjects</b></p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>• All MS staff and students have access to Atomic</li> <li>• Click the Training Library from the top menu bar then select Technology Skills or Assistive Technology</li> </ul>	
	<p><b>Gale: InfoTrac Junior Edition</b> This periodical database is designed for students in Jr high and provides access to full-text magazines, newspapers and reference books for information on current events, the arts, science, popular culture, health, people, government, history, sports and more.</p>	<p><b>All Subject Areas</b></p>	<p>IS Blackboard:</p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>• InfoTracJrGuide.pdf</li> <li>• InfoTracJrTitles.xls</li> </ul>
	<p><b>Gale: Junior Reference Collection</b> General reference material including primary sources, multimedia content, audio and video clips, and photographs.</p>	<p><b>All Subject Areas</b> with emphasis on:</p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>• <b>History</b></li> <li>• <b>Literature</b></li> <li>• <b>Science</b></li> <li>• <b>Social Studies</b></li> </ul>	<p>IS Blackboard:</p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>• JRCOverview.pdf</li> <li>• JRCSearchTips.pdf</li> <li>• JRCTitleList.xls</li> </ul>
	<p><b>Gale: Student Resource Center Junior</b> Covering all core curriculum areas, including history, literature, science, social studies, and more, SRC Junior provides a premium selection of reference material, more than 340 full-text periodicals and newspapers, primary sources, creative works, and multimedia, including hours of video and audio clips. New to the database are Lexile reading levels for periodicals.</p>	<p><b>All Subject Areas</b></p>	<p>IS Blackboard:</p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>• SRCJrNavGuide.pdf</li> <li>• SRCJrTitleList.xls</li> <li>• SRCJrOverview.ppt</li> </ul>


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	<p><b>Newsbank: Access World News</b>                      The electronic editions of record for valuable local, regional, and national U.S. newspapers as well as full-text content of key international sources. Includes: local and regional news, business, politics, sports, economics, and cultural activities. Includes a Current Events and Special Topics section addressing items presently in the news.</p>	<p><b>All Subject Areas</b></p>	<p>IS Blackboard</p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>Newsbank User Guide.doc</li> </ul>
	<p><b>Newsbank: America's Historical Newspapers</b>                      Archival coverage of American history, government, politics, social issues, culture, inventions, eyewitness accounts, illustrations, classifieds, birth/marriage, obituaries, announcements, and pro/con articles of events, issues and daily life exactly as they appeared in print at the time.</p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>Includes a timeline interface which groups historic events, provides an overview of the event, and pro/con historic articles, letters to editor, opinion columns, etc</li> </ul>	<p><b>All Subject Areas</b></p>	<p>IS Blackboard</p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>Newsbank User Guide.doc</li> </ul>
	<p><b>ProQuest: Culture Grams</b>                      Links students to country reports that go beyond mere facts and figures to deliver a one-of-a-kind perspective on daily life and culture. In-depth reports covering 200+ countries, the United States, and Canada. Includes customs, lifestyle, recreation, photo galleries, economic conditions, distance calculation, currency conversions, audio pronunciation files, maps, etc.</p>	<p><b>Counselors:</b>                      Relocation &amp; transition assistance for students, parents, &amp; teachers</p> <p><b>Foreign Language:</b></p> <p><b>Humanities:</b> General reference for study of US &amp; world culture, customs, and communities</p> <p><b>PTS:</b></p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>Business</li> <li>Culinary Arts</li> <li>Lodging</li> </ul>	<p>Culture Grams overview video (4m22s)  <a href="http://www.proquestk12.com/demo/CGOverview/CG_Overview.shtml">http://www.proquestk12.com/demo/CGOverview/CG_Overview.shtml</a></p> <p>Culture Grams interactive training (30m)  <a href="http://www.proquestk12.com/demo/09/CultureGrams/1/1.shtml">http://www.proquestk12.com/demo/09/CultureGrams/1/1.shtml</a></p> <p>IS Blackboard:</p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>CG Overview pdf</li> <li>CG QuickStart Guide pdf</li> </ul>

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		<b>Social Studies:</b> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>• Government</li> <li>• US History</li> <li>• World History</li> </ul>	
	<p><b>ProQuest: eLibrary</b> Offers more than 2,000 full-text sources, with an easy-to-use search interface. Includes magazines, newspapers, books, television/radio transcripts, maps, pictures, and audio/video clips.</p>	<p><b>All subject areas</b> with emphasis on:</p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>• <b>The Arts</b></li> <li>• <b>ELA</b></li> <li>• <b>Foreign Language</b></li> <li>• <b>Health/PE</b></li> <li>• <b>Mathematics</b></li> <li>• <b>Science</b></li> <li>• <b>Social Studies</b></li> <li>• <b>Technology</b></li> </ul> <p><b>PTS:</b></p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>• <b>Architecture</b></li> <li>• <b>Business</b></li> <li>• <b>IT/STEM</b></li> <li>• <b>Manufacturing</b></li> </ul>	<p>eLibrary Short Demo <a href="http://www.proquestk12.com/demo/09/eLib_New_QuickTour/eLib_New_QuickTour.shtml">http://www.proquestk12.com/demo/09/eLib_New_QuickTour/eLib_New_QuickTour.shtml</a></p> <p>eLibrary Quick Tour (7 mins) <a href="http://www.proquestk12.com/demo/09/eLib_New_QuickTour/eLib_New_QuickTour.shtml">http://www.proquestk12.com/demo/09/eLib_New_QuickTour/eLib_New_QuickTour.shtml</a></p> <p>eLibrary Multimedia Highlights <a href="http://www.proquestk12.com/demo/09/eLib_New_Multimedia/eLib_New_Multimedia.shtml">http://www.proquestk12.com/demo/09/eLib_New_Multimedia/eLib_New_Multimedia.shtml</a></p> <p>eLibrary Brief Overview (2m43s) <a href="http://www.proquestk12.com/demo/eLibraryBTS/eLibrary_BTS.shtml">http://www.proquestk12.com/demo/eLibraryBTS/eLibrary_BTS.shtml</a></p> <p>eLibrary Training Video (67m) <a href="http://www.proquestk12.com/demo/ELIBRARYDEMO/1.html">http://www.proquestk12.com/demo/ELIBRARYDEMO/1.html</a></p>
	<p><b>ProQuest: Professional Education</b> A comprehensive reference collection for K-12 professional development and continuing education.</p>	<p><b>Teachers</b></p>	<p>ProQuest Professional Educator Overview Training Video (30m) <a href="http://www.proquestk12.com/demo/PQ_Platform/1/1.shtml">http://www.proquestk12.com/demo/PQ_Platform/1/1.shtml</a></p> <p>IS blackboard</p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>• PQ ProEd Title List</li> <li>• PQ ProED Search Examples</li> <li>• PQProEd Overview</li> <li>• PQProEd QuickStart Guide</li> </ul>

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	<p><b>ProQuest: SIRS Discoverer</b>            General reference resource for young researchers that makes learning fun and intuitive. Helps students in develop research, writing, language, and computer skills. Includes almanacs, encyclopedias, maps, photo essays, pathfinders, student activities, Web sites, and more.</p>	<p><b>All Subject Areas:</b>            General reference items.</p>	<p>SIRS Discoverer overview video (2m 3s)  <a href="http://www.proquestk12.com/demo/SIRSDiscoBTS/SIRSDisco.shtml">http://www.proquestk12.com/demo/SIRSDiscoBTS/SIRSDisco.shtml</a></p> <p>SIRS Discoverer full training video (46m40s)  <a href="http://www.proquestk12.com/demo/SIRSDiscoverer_1006/SIRSDisco.html">http://www.proquestk12.com/demo/SIRSDiscoverer_1006/SIRSDisco.html</a></p> <p>IS Blackboard:</p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>• SIRS Discoverer QuickStart Guide pdf</li> <li>• SIRS Discoverer Title list pdf</li> <li>• SIRS Discoverer Overview ppt</li> </ul>