

Research Paper Resource Help Sheet

Olmsted 156 Library---- Ms. Cowe- Librarian

MAIN LIBRARY PAGE – portal to find all resources (look under research links)



<https://www.buffaloschools.org/Page/63805>

REASONS TO USE THE DATABASES FIRST:

- The databases have reliable and edited information, so you don't have to worry about articles being "fake news."
- EVERY article has a reference citation already created for it so all you have to do is copy and paste the citation into your Reference page at the end of your paper.
- You can make highlights and notes right on each article and save these notes and highlights using One Drive or Google Drive.
- More cool tools like being able to listen to the article while you read.

GALE Database link---choose MIDDLE SCHOOL IN CONTEXT (green button) for your research –don't worry, there are higher level articles on these famous people in this database:



<https://www.buffaloschools.org/Page/92311>

The password to enter the GALE databases is the word "*buffalo*"—all lowercase letters.

You can find my short video tutorials on how to use various tools in the databases here (give the page a chance to load if it's slow):



<https://www.buffaloschools.org/Page/96906>

RESEARCH PAPER RESOURCES (continued)

Here's a link to more research paper resources:



<https://www.buffaloschools.org/Page/97146>

You will find information and video tutorials on planning research, searching for information, using the databases, avoiding plagiarism, and creating citations on this page.

Find APA Style resources, including examples of how to create an APA Citation at this page (first 5 links):



<https://www.buffaloschools.org/Page/97044>

OWL at PURDUE Writing Center

Lots of tips and information on writing a paper and also on APA Citation Style



https://owl.purdue.edu/owl/research_and_citation/apa_style/apa_formatting_and_style_guide/general_for_mat.html

DATABASE TIP SHEET--- quick review of tools available in each database article



<https://www.buffaloschools.org/Page/96880>