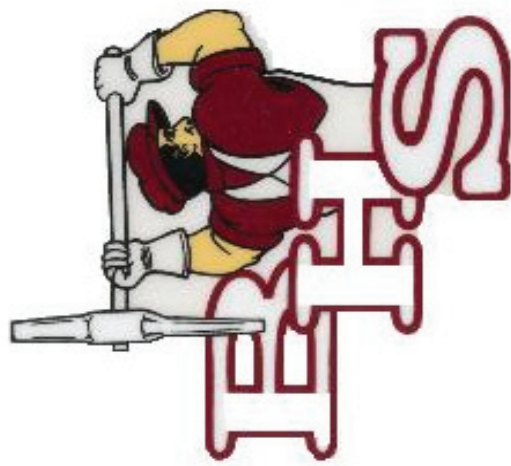


BHS Media Center Database Guide



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Goals of the Media Center

Ms. Thompson and Ms. Rusenko, who collaborate as the media center staff, aim to create an inviting environment that facilitates students and staff in asking and



answering their own questions. We are excited by curious minds, and welcome creative thinkers who deserve current and relevant resources. We strive not only to offer these electronic and print resources,

We hope to help you answer your own questions.

but also to share our expertise in accessing, retrieving, evaluating, and presenting the information that these resources provide. Please let us know how we can assist you in obtaining and utilizing our resources.

Electronic Databases

The BHS media center purchases subscriptions to numerous electronic databases: web sites that store hundreds if not thousands of magazine, newspaper, and reference articles. Since students and staff may **access these databases at school or at home**, they can research "in" the media center without being inside of its walls.

Comprehensive Databases

Several subscriptions provide us access to multiple databases within one site; therefore, only one login is required.



Columbia
Internatio...

Columbia International

Affairs Online

A full-text database on international affairs with a collection of books, working papers, journals, policy briefs, course packs, case studies, and comparative data and maps.

Login Information

Web Site: <http://www.ciaonet.org>



Consumer
Reports

Consumer Reports

Login Information

Web Site: <http://www.consumerreports.org>

- Click on "Log In" in upper right corner

Username: brunswick

Password: brunswick



Country
Watch

Country Watch

CountryWatch provides country specific geopolitical information on each of the 192 countries of the world.

SIRS Discoverer

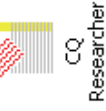
General reference database with full-text articles and images on almost any subject.

[Login Information](#)

[Web Site:](http://discoverer.prod.sirs.com) <http://discoverer.prod.sirs.com>

[Customer #:](#) fcpsbhs

[Password:](#) bhs



CQ Researcher

Explores a single "hot" issue in the news in depth each week

[Login Information](#)

[Web Site:](http://library.cqpress.com) <http://library.cqpress.com>

[cqresearcher](#)

[Username:](#) fcpsbhs

[Password:](#) fcpsbhs

Issues and Controversies

Pro and Con viewpoints of controversial issues

[Login Information](#)

[Web Site:](http://www.2facts.com) <http://www.2facts.com>

[Username:](#) fredco

[Password:](#) fredco



My Road

collegeboard.com's college and career planning web site

[Login Information](#)

[Web Site:](https://myroad.collegeboard.com) <https://myroad.collegeboard.com>

- Click on "Sign Up Today"
- In "School Programs" enter 6-digit code: 210305
- Click "Go"
- In "Not a Member Yet" panel, click "Sign Up"
- Fill out all required information marked with a red *. Make sure to use a gaggie.net email account for school use. If you don't have a Gaggie account, see Mrs. Thompson, in the BHS Media Center.
- Click Submit



Student Knowledge Source

[Login Information](#)

[Web Site:](http://sks.sirs.com) <http://sks.sirs.com>

Comprehensive search portal with links to:

SIRS Researcher

SIRS Government Reporter

SIRS Renaissance

SIRS Interactive Citizenship

SIRS Discoverer

SIRS Decades

Spotlight on Immigration

Student Resource Center

[Login Information for all resources](#)

[Web Site:](http://infoftrac.galegroup.com/itweb/fcpsbhs) <http://infoftrac.galegroup.com/itweb/fcpsbhs>

[Password:](#) bhs

Student Resource Center Gold

Easy access to award-winning content based on national curriculum standards. Covering all core curriculum areas, including history, literature, science, social studies, and more, SRC - Gold provides a premium selection of reference material, more than 1,100 full-text periodicals and newspapers, primary sources, creative works, and multimedia, including hours of video and audio clips and podcasts. Premier reference content includes the American Journey Series, American Decades, Career Information Center and the SRC Health Module. New to the database



are Lexile reading levels for periodicals, an integrated national and state curriculum standards search with content correlated to the standards, and popular topic picklists.

Student Edition

Access to a variety of indexed and full-text magazines, newspapers and reference books for information on current events, the arts, science, popular culture, health, people, government, history, sports and more.

Gale Custom Database

Professional Collection

Science Resource Center

Thousands of topic overviews, experiments, biographies, pictures and illustrations are just a few clicks away and the latest scientific developments are covered in articles from over 200 magazines and academic journals and links to quality web sites. The database covers curriculum-related science topics and offers teachers an easy-to-use tool to identify content directly correlated to state and national standards.

Teaching Books

Multimedia resources on children's and young adult literature.

[Login Information](#)

[Web Site:](http://www.teachingbooks.net) <http://www.teachingbooks.net>

[Username:](#) fcps

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World Book Online

Online encyclopedia, as well as additional articles, an atlas, multimedia content, current events, and intermediate-level Spanish language encyclopedia.

[Login Information](#)

[Web Site:](http://worldbookonline.com) <http://worldbookonline.com>

[Login ID:](#) fredco

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