

William Annin Media Center
Database Introduction Pathfinder for 6th Grade English
Database Citation/Notesheet



1. Go to **William Annin Middle School** home page.
2. In the left column, hover on **Media Center** and select **Research**.
3. Click on **WAMS Resource Guides**.
4. Select **6th English Hurricane Research**.

Username/passwords listed below are needed if accessing these databases from **home**.

Articles from databases can be printed out, saved on your personal drive (My Documents) or a flash drive, or e-mailed home.

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1. World Book: (Reference/Encyclopedia articles)

- Click on **World Book** link.
- Select the database **World Book Student**.
- Type your keyword(s) in the search box. Click **Search**.
- In **Tools** box, click **E-mail article** to send home or **Save article** to save to USB.
- Citation information is at end of article. Fill in the article citation info below.



Author: _____

Article Title: _____

Publication Date: _____ Date you viewed article: _____

Name of Database: _____

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2. EBSCOhost: (Collection of many different types of databases)

- Click on **EBSCOhost** icon.
- Click on the database **Kids Search**.
- Type your keyword(s) in the Find box. Click **Go**.
- **Sort by:** select **Relevance** if you have *many* articles.
- **Filter results by:** select **Magazine** tab to only look at magazine articles.
- **Narrow Results by Subject.** Choose the *best* subject for topic you are interested in.
- Citation info is at top of article in **"Author"**, **"Title"**, **"Source"** fields. Email an article home. Remember some articles are in PDF format.



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