

Connect to your TDSB Virtual Library 24/7 to find online resources (news/magazine/journal articles, e-books, pictures/videos, helpful web sites/tools) for projects and personal interest



How to connect from outside of TDSB:

1. <http://aw.tdsb.on.ca> – sign in with student/employee number and network password – locate *my home* tab (top navigation bar) – *Virtual Library* (left navigation bar)
2. <http://www.tdsb.on.ca> – locate *find your school* (top navigation bar) – *school name* – *Virtual Library* link (left navigation bar)
3. **Search** on the Internet for “school name TDSB Virtual Library”.

Types of Resources: Use the left navigation bar or home page to choose the type of resource to meet your needs. Many resources have read-a-loud, translation features and include images and video.

TYPE OF RESOURCE	HOW IT HELPS YOU
Encyclopedias	A great place to start an inquiry on most topics.
eBooks	Easy to access online to build your knowledge about a topic or to read for pleasure.
Online databases	Find topic overviews, current news/magazine/journal articles, images, video on many subjects, from hundreds of sources.
Images & Media	Find streamed video, images, and music for projects, for homework and for personal interest.
Library Catalogue	Login to the library catalogue to see your account and to access eBooks.

User Names and Passwords: Some resources need user names and passwords when outside of TDSB. Use the table below to find: **descriptions** of resources, locations (pages) and **login** and **password**

PASSWORDS MAY NOT BE POSTED ELECTRONICALLY OUTSIDE OF THE TDSB NETWORK.

STUDENT RESOURCES			
Resource Name (location/page)	LOGIN	PASSWORD	DESCRIPTION
BookFLIX (eBooks)	tdsb	trillium	Fiction/non-fiction paired texts, 12 themes, K to gr 3
Britannica Online (Encyclopedia)	trillium	trillium	Start here for all subjects, three reading levels, K to gr 12
Career Cruising	<i>Ask your Guidance Department</i>		Career information, gr 7 to 12
Can. Literary Reference Centre (databases)	trillium	trillium	Canadian writers, English, drama, gr 7 to 12
Canadian Points of View (databases)	trillium	trillium	Current issues, Canadian point of view/perspective, gr 6 to 12
Canadian Reference Centre (databases)	trillium	trillium	Current information, Canadian content, gr 6 to 12
Capstone (eBooks)	trillium	trillium	Ancient civilizations, science, body systems, gr 4 to 10
Culture Grams (databases)	trillium	trillium	Countries, provinces, culture/maps/image/ interviews/statistics, gr 4 to 12
Encyclopedie Universalis Jr./Sr. (encyclopedias)	trillium	trillium	French language, two reading levels, read-aloud, gr 4 to 12
Follett Shelf (eBooks)	student #	student #	Junior/Intermediate fiction books, biography, gr 2 to 10
Global Issues in Context (databases)	trillium	trillium	Global topics, overviews, articles, video, gr 7 to 12
Gale Virtual Reference Library (eBooks)	trillium	trillium	All subjects topic overviews, reference, e-books, gr 7 to 12
History Reference Centre (databases)	trillium	trillium	World, Ancient Civilizations, Explorers, European, gr 7 to 12
InfoBase e-Books (eBooks)	trillium	trillium	Science topics – e-books, gr 6 to 12
Jobs People Do (databases)	TDSBjpd	TDSB	Careers, experiential learning, co-op, gr 7 to 12
Learn 360 – elementary (images & media)	elem	elem	Video clips, all subjects, K to gr 8
Learn 360 – secondary (images & media)	second	second	Video clips, all subjects, gr 9 to 12
Literary Reference Centre (databases)	trillium	trillium	English, drama, gr 7 to 12
Middle Search Plus (databases)	trillium	trillium	All subjects, news, magazines, images, gr 6 to 12
Naxos Music Library – OSAPAC (databases)	trillium	trillium	Music, English, drama, public speaking, gr 5 to 12
Novelist K to 8 (databases)	trillium	trillium	Choosing fiction books. What to read next... K to gr 9
OERB (databases)	tdsbstudent	tdsb	All subjects – lessons, tutorials
PebbleGo -Animals, Earth & Space	trillium	trillium	Animals, Science, environment, K to gr 4
Passport to the Internet OSAPAC(databases)	oned510	8ngeyf	Tutorial on effective use of the Internet for students
Imagine the Learning/Research Success: (research toolkit)		tdsbresearch	Helpful guides for inquiry /research projects, gr 1 to 12
Research Success in French (Liens français)		recherchetsb	Helpful guide for inquiry /research projects in French, gr 7 to 12
Science Reference Centre (databases)	trillium	trillium	Science, health, geography, gr 6-12
TABVue (eBooks)	tdsb	trillium	Canadian information, social studies, Gr 4-10, English & French
Teen Health & Wellness (databases)	tdsb	trillium	Mental, physical health, teen issues, self-help, gr 7 to 12

ADDITIONAL RESOURCES			
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PROFESSIONAL/TEACHING RESOURCES (for TDSB staff)			
ASCD Professional Collection (eBooks)	trillium	trillium	ASCD Professional Education e-books
CBC Curio streamed video (Teacher Resources)	Request access code from Library@tdsb.on.ca		Video streaming – also access via Library Catalogue – Teaching Resources or Streamed Media
Follett Shelf – ebooks (eBooks)	Employee #	Employee #	Professional Education e-books
Learn 360 – teacher (images & media)	048 Employee #	048 Employee # (or tdsb)	Video streaming – also access via Library Catalogue – Teaching Resources or Streamed Media
OERB	Request teacher access code from Library@tdsb.on.ca		Curriculum resources, learning objects, shared teacher resources