

WE LOVE TECHNOLOGY

Are you ready for Spring Break? Only 18 days to go. In this Newsletter you will find information about Professional Development geared for your needs or even how to move over on the pay scale, information about the SORA/OVERDRIVE system, how to determine if your students are plagiarizing.



Professional learning for the modern-day educator.

Are you an educator trying to stay afloat in a sea of ever-changing technology?

- Find content that's right for you- Search hundreds of courses based on your classroom needs.
- No need to rush- Take courses at your own pace. Kyte will pick up where you left off.
- Need units to advance on the pay scale? 15 hours of unpaid PD = 3 units of credit. **Contact Reanne Little at rlittle@orangeusd.org prior to starting for restrictions and paperwork.

IN THE FILE ON YOUR **DASHBOARD NAMED EDUCATOR PROFESSIONAL DEVELOPMENT**



DON'T SEE A BOOK YOU NEED?

YOU CAN REQUEST BOOKS THROUGH YOUR LMS/LMT



SORA

Did you know there are books online? Here are some ways to use Sora:

STUDENT LIBRARY

AUDIO BOOKS

-CLASS SETS -5,795 EBOOKS

-1,020 AUDIO BOOKS

TEACHER VIEW

TEACHER LIBRARY

-PD BOOKS CODE: 06751564 **SORA** -EMAIL APPLE ABRICA **INSTRUCTIONS**



ORIGINALITY REPORTS



CREATE AN ASSIGNMENT IN GOOGLE CLASSROOM



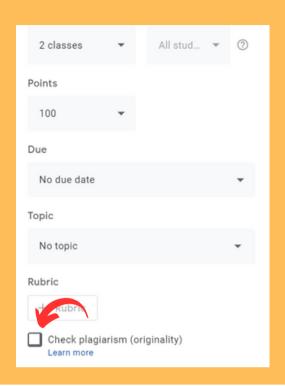
CHECK PLAGIARISM



VIEW ORIGINALITY REPORT



ORIGIN OF SOURCE PROVIDED



SECONDARY NEWS

Looking for an alternative to Google Classroom plagiarism reports? <u>Turnitin.com</u> checks assignments against a large material database and also runs an internal comparison to other assignments submitted through the site. This allows you to make sure students are not plagiarizing from online sources or from each other.



SOS STRATEGY OF THE MONTH



3 TRUTHS, 1 LIE

- Select a digital source
- Create 3 true statements and 1 lie based on the chosen selection
- Students analyze text, video, media, etc.
- Students look for evidence to support the true statements

EDUPROTOCOL OF THE MONTH



#Teach More Work Less

Random Emoji Generator

Students write a paragraph based on a random emoji generator. Students submit their writing through Socrative and vote for the best, most creative, funniest, etc. Best part? NO COLLECTING PAPERS and the students have fun WRITING!