

# The HfMS Library

A LIBRARY IS  
NOT A LUXURY  
BUT ONE OF THE  
NECESSITIES OF  
LIFE.

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# What's new....

- Periodic Table shelf added to S.T.E.A.M. lab
- Student News led by Mr. Wakeman in the production studio
- Studio has also been used for commercials, animation, and informational videos
- Recording studio now operational
- New Seating and gaming tables



# Genres



- Fiction now sorted into genres
- Students can easily find favorites
- Positive change for students



# STEAM Lab

- 3D printer
- Workbench
- Printing area
- Art area
- Electronic lab items
- CSI lab items
- Robotics
- Periodic table shelf





# 1:1

- Extra checkout computers housed in library
- Troubleshoot as many as possible before tech involvement
- Middle school students have a high percentage of breakage
- Not all students can take home so most teachers do not assign homework
- Need more reliable internet, ports are not sufficient for need
- Due to problematic Lenovos, students have issues with keyboards



# Book Fair

- Promotes literacy
- Funds special projects
- Exposes students to new books
- Creates excitement about reading
- Total Sales \$3505.33

(\$750.24 cash and \$127 Scholastic dollars)



# My Goals



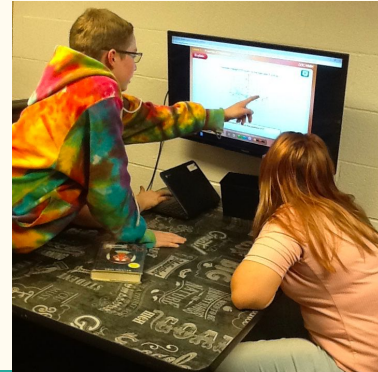
- Everyone feels welcome
- Safe place to learn, imagine and create
- Collaboration and networking are the norm
- Grow with ever changing needs of the LMC
- Be able to find the “answer to the universe and everything” (It’s 42) \*

\*Nod to Hitchhikers Guide to the Galaxy – Douglas Adams



# Grants

Last spring I received a grant from the Holden Foundation in the amount of \$980 to complete our seven collaboration zones in the media center. The balance was paid by a very generous donor. These zones have been used by numerous classes to share ideas and let everyone participate by working together on a larger screen. This allows for more inclusion and a better overall picture of their project.



# Library League

- Library Fundraiser
- Book club
- Read ins with pizza party
- Library League breakfasts and lunches
- Special privileges for members
- Open to all grades



# Banned Book Week

- AZKABANNED Prison
- Mugshots of perps reading banned books
- Teachers taking “banned book” from student





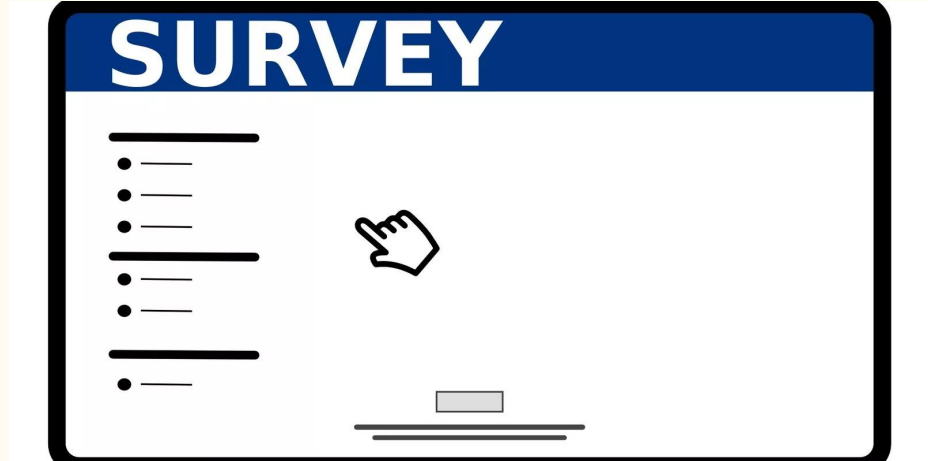
## And the Winners are...

- Mark Twain and Truman nominees proudly placed at front of LMC
- Read all 24 so I may share enthusiasm and book talk
- Pizza Party for those who read all 12 from one category
- May vote for favorite after reading four



# Collaboration with Teachers and Students

- Order book requests made by students
- Fulfill staff requests as budget allows
- Survey staff and students



# Public Libraries

- Work in conjunction with Trails Regional to promote literacy
- Promote upcoming events
- Encourage use of public library





# Future Projects

- Additional seating funded by book fair
- Expand offerings in the STEAM lab and Studio
- Designated Camera for studio
- Updates to Non fiction
- Address needs as they arise



# Budgets

- Budgets have been drastically cut last three years
- Fully and thoughtfully spend budget
- Library needs to be fully funded to provide a wide variety of literature so students become lifelong learners and readers
- Non fiction needs to be kept current and accessible
- Would like to see some Periodical funds moved to supplies or books

# MASL Spring Conference

I would just like to say how grateful I am that I am allowed to attend these amazing conferences. The classes I attend reignite my passion for making the library the best it can be. Once back, I begin to utilize what I have learned. The breakout boxes, Library League, STEAM Lab, Studio, and new trends in literature and libraries would not have happened without these informational and inspiring classes. Again, THANK YOU!



“I think kids are incredibly savvy readers. I think we should give them all the credit in the world. They want to know the truth.”

**Alan Gratz**

**...and now for the High School**



**Stephanie Frazier is now the Library Media Clerk in the Holden High School.**

# The HMS Library fills many needs...

## Dual Credit/Credit Recovery

- On average, there about 10-15 students per block that use the library for their studies.
- Edgenuity is the online courseware for credit recovery.
- Dual credit is in conjunction with UCM and Missouri State.





# The Search for a Perfect Book:

- The library has a wide selection of books for all preferences.
- Students enjoy requesting books and reading quietly in the library.



# Showcase Artwork



The students art projects are proudly displayed in the HHS Library.



# Technology

- The high school library media center houses roughly one hundred computers in the library.
- The students that have not paid insurance pick them up in the mornings and they are returned every afternoon at 3:00pm.



# Future Goals

- My main goals are to update the non fiction making room for more biographies and fiction. I would also like to purchase different seating for the kids so they may have a more comfortable study area.
- I will be looking into fundraising ideas--possibly a book fair.
- Continue to learn more about my position.



# HHS Library Media Center Budgets:

- Would like to see some budget money moved from Periodicals to Supplies
- Feel that any further budget cuts would be detrimental to our library





# Future Training

- iMovie
- Cricut use
- Apple tv
- Destiny
- Able to attend Staff technology in services and collaborate with certified staff.

