Destiny Discover

Navigating Destiny Discover

Destiny Discover is the fun, visual interface of our library catalog, Destiny. Your school may have it as their default, or you may need to click on the hamburger menu on the left side of your Destiny catalog page and click on Destiny Discover there.



Log In with your network username (short) and your network password. Let's take a look at your screen once you've logged in.



For an eBook, you have the option to open and read it without checking it out, or click checkout to check it out like a physical book. Like a physical book, there are a limited number of copies available. Different format types will have different options.



Audiobooks can be played right on your device or checked out.

This little ribbon indicates if a title is checked in or out.



For physical books in the library, you will see the call number, and an option to place the title on hold.

You can use these arrows on either side of your ribbon to scroll through the titles.



Interactive eBooks are eBooks with some extras. They have embedded videos, maps, vocabulary words, note-taking ability, and more. They also offer teacher resources. They do not checkout, and they can have multiple users reading them simultaneously. Your library may also have these listed as Lightbox books.

Performing a Search

Searches can be done by choosing a Topic or entering a search term into the search box. Topics will vary from school to school. If your school has their library collection divided by genre, the Topics should reflect those genres.



You can narrow your search by clicking the Search Options button. This can help find titles in a particular format, reading level, or genre.

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Search Results

Whether you choose a Topic search or enter a Search Term, your screen will look similar to this. You still have the option to narrow your search using the Filters on the left side. Filters will vary depending on what was searched, and your school's level. The Books tab is the default. If you are looking for more information, click on the Collections or Databases tabs.



Databases will link you directly to encyclopedias, other reference books, and informational subscriptions such as PebbleGo. Sources that appear will depend on your search terms and your school level.



Each source will have a slightly different format, but they will all have full text articles that you can email, print, or save, along with ready-made citations.

Collections

Collections are groups of resources curated by librarians and teachers around the country. Collections can include webpages, videos, documents, books, articles, and other resources from anywhere on the internet. Collections can be made public, or shared only by your district, school, or only a few people. You can also make a private collection that only you can see. When you search collections, you are only seeing public collections, or collections shared with your school or district.

*Please note that Private Collections are collections that you have made, unless you make them private, they can still be seen by the public.





Making Your Own Collection

To make your own collection, begin by clicking on the Private Tab at the top of your Collections screen.



You can choose your grade level(s), subject(s), and either choose a stock picture or upload your own picture.

Adding Resources to Your Collection



To add another resource, simply click the + at the bottom of your collection page.



When you are logged in to Destiny or Destiny Discover, you will have the ability to add items directly to _____ your collection.