Helpful Research Tips

World Book Online has a tutorial on writing note cards, and how to do research.

Do not use blogs, wiki, or pod casts - no fact checkers

Try to stay away from websites that are .com –use .org or .edu instead

World Book Online, Facts on File and Gale Databases (Infotrac) will give you the citation information you need at the bottom of the article.

Do not use Wikipedia as a resource.

<u>www.easybib.com</u> – you plug in the information and this site will put it in the correct format but you do need to know how to do this for your district assessment and LEAP and iLEAP

Reminders:

Your paper must include a Works Cited page that lists all of the resources where you found information.

On the Works Cited page sources are listed in alphabetical order.

Write your works cited information as you do your research. It is very difficult to go back and locate the information later.

Parenthetical citations include page numbers. Remember to write the page number as you take notes.