

Welcome to Library Class with Ms. Christine Carr



Five Finger Rule for Reading

What to do: Pick a book. Open the book to any page. Start reading. Put one finger up for each word you don't know.

0-1	Too easy
1-2	JUST RIGHT
3-4	Give it a try
5+	Too hard

TEXT CONNECTIONS

Text to Self
A connection between the book and your life or experiences.

Text to Text
A connection between the book and another book you have read.

Text to World
A connection between the book and events in the real world.

Text to Media
A connection between the book and something you have seen on TV, in a movie, on the computer or heard in a song.

A SUMMER READING STAR LIVES HERE

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D a Difference
E Educational Excellence



Welcome to Back to School Night

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How to videos for Google Classroom

Parents Guide to Google Classroom PDF

Ms. Carr's LIVE HELP K to 5 hours and links (Google Hangout and Meet)

Link to Ms. Carr's Amazon BOOK Wish List 20-21



THANK YOU
today and
everyday for
your effort,
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patience.

ABOUT ME

- ★ 10th year in Midland Park
- ★ 19th year teaching
- ★ 32nd year working in library service
- ★ K to 5 grade weekly lessons
- ★ 5th & 6th grade Battle of the Books coach
- ★ Google Certified Educator
- ★ ❤️ Books, reading, libraries
- ★ Crafting, sewing, fishing, kayaking
- ★ ❤️ ❤️ ❤️ ❤️ ❤️ My family!

Highland School Media Center a.k.a. Library

Our media center / library takes up a huge room on the main floor and in the center of Highland School. And yes, to any former students this library is in the former gym and yes, the basketball key is still there underneath the carpet.



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Circulation Desk



Storytime Spot / Picture Books

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Easy Readers and Fiction



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More Fiction and Graphic Novels



Non-Fiction and Biographies



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Instructional Space





FYI - Maker Lab in Highland School (next to the Media Center)





**Classes: Interactive Band,
Woodworking, Morning
Show Recording Studio,
Cricut Creation Space, Lego
and lots of other maker
manipulatives and tools**

How Library Class Works Right Now

- Library Class is **VIRTUAL** for K to 5
- Lessons/assignments will be posted each week in **GOOGLE CLASSROOM**
- Lessons are **NOT** live unless I schedule a special event (i.e. Bingo)
- I am available for **LIVE HELP** twice a week for each grade level (more on next slide)
- Lesson is due at the end of the week, Friday
- Students **MUST** click  or  in order to get a grade for class in my **GRADEBOOK**

How a Student Can Get LIVE HELP From Me.... FAST


- LIVE HELP times and links (Google Hangout and Meet) are posted at the bottom of each ASSIGNMENT POST
-  Google Hangout = type/text questions to me
-  Google Meet = video chat questions with me
- BOTH links are for entire grade - groups NOT private. ccarr@mppanthers.org

Students MUST use mppanthers.org accounts when completing assignments, opening documents or videos, navigating databases or connecting on Google Hangouts or Google Meet.

I will NOT admit students who are trying to connect from accounts outside the mppanthers.org domain. (Safety issue)

On shared devices at home please LOG OUT of all other accounts BEFORE you set your child up to work on my assignments.



- **Grading policy (K to 5)**
 - **Each assignment/lesson in Google Classroom will receive a grade**
 - **All assignments = class participation grade**
 - **Other assignments will be graded with a rubric - which will be provided with the assignment (mostly 3rd, 4th and 5th)**
 - **Late assignments = lower grade**
 - **PLEASE click**  **or**



TURN IN



Important Info

- At the bottom of each assignment post are **ANNOUNCEMENT** links from me for students and families
 - **Class of the Week**
 - **Highland Library or MP Memorial Library Information**
- **K to 2 Golden Lead Award theme = Diversity**
- **The Library/Media Center for all K to 5 students is located in the Highland School**
- **Soon grades 3 thru 6 will begin borrowing books**
- **TIP: Students should not copy and paste usernames and passwords in databases - errors**

K to 2 Curriculum Concepts

- **Book care**
- **Library habits**
- **Parts of a Book**
- **Five Finger Reading Rule**
- **Text Connections**
- **Fiction and Non-Fiction**
- **Poetry**
- **Biographies**
- **and much more!**



3rd - 5th Curriculum Concepts

- **Book care**
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- **Parts of a Book**
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- **Text Connections**
- **Fiction and Non-Fiction**
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- **Biographies**
- **Database Navigation and Use**
- **Research**
- **Citations and Bibliography**
- **Avoiding Plagiarism**
- **and more!**

Digital Resources Explored

- **Highland Library Catalog**
- **World Book Online**
- **World of Animals**
- **EPIC**
- **Destiny Discover**
- **Newsela**
- **EBSCO / NoveList K to 8**
- **BCCLS Catalog**
- **and more!**

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ALSO JUST FOR FUN...
If your child particularly
enjoyed a storytime video
from last year.... I have
posted all of the links to
them on the MEDIA
CENTER website under the
section STORYTIME VIDEO
LIBRARY

Storytime Video Library - Highland... x +

highland.mpsnj.org/cms/One.aspx?portalId=99948&pageId=93894421

Storytime Video Library

Summer Reading
Battle of the Books
Databases
Destiny Discover/Follett Shelf
Library Catalog
Learning Websites/Educational Games
Golden Leaf Award
Author Visits
One School One Book
Helpful Websites
Reading Levels
Birthday Books
Book Fair
Smart Board
Projects
Snow Day!
Book Donations
Creating a Bibliography
Lost and Damaged Books

Ms. Carr's Storytime Video Library from 2019-2020 School Year

Click on a book to watch the storytime video from last year!

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Link to 2019-2020 School Year Storytime Video Library from Library Class with Ms. Carr
<https://highland.mpsnj.org/cms/One.aspx?portalId=99948&pageId=93894421>

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watching!
Above all -
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your effort, time
and patience
EVERYDAY!



Any Questions?



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