**Helpful Resources:**

**Film Studies:**

[http://www.imdb.com](http://www.imdb.com/) is the link to The Internet Movie Database. This site contains useful background information and a brief analysis of numerous films we will view in class. This site is also valuable for researching other films and film genre for comparison and contrast.

[**www.filmsite.org**](http://www.filmsite.org/) is an award-winning website for classic film buffs, students, moviegoers and anyone else interested in the [great movies](http://www.hauppauge.k12.ny.us/metadot/momentsindx.html) of the last century. Detailed plot synopses, review commentary and [film reference](http://www.hauppauge.k12.ny.us/metadot/references.html) material are just some of the features available on the site. The site also contains film analysis, original content, information on [the top films](http://www.hauppauge.k12.ny.us/metadot/greatlists.html) and [most memorable movie scenes](http://www.hauppauge.k12.ny.us/metadot/scenesintro.html), ["best of…"](http://www.hauppauge.k12.ny.us/metadot/bestscenes.html) articles, and [the most popular film quotes](http://www.hauppauge.k12.ny.us/metadot/greatfilmquotes.html) in all [genres of film](http://www.hauppauge.k12.ny.us/metadot/filmgenres.html). Its many resources include a comprehensive overview of [film history](http://www.hauppauge.k12.ny.us/metadot/filmh.html), a complete survey of [the Academy Awards (Oscars)](http://www.hauppauge.k12.ny.us/metadot/oscars.html), [milestones and turning points](http://www.hauppauge.k12.ny.us/metadot/milestones.html) in the industry, and background and descriptions for hundreds of classic Hollywood/American and other English-language movies from the last one hundred years. In the mid-1990s when it was first launched, **Filmsite.org** was one of the first websites to initiate the trend to select [100 Greatest Films](http://www.hauppauge.k12.ny.us/metadot/momentsindx.html#100greats) in the history of cinema.

**All English Classes:**

www.**edmodo.com**

**Edmodo** provides a safe and easy way for your class to connect and collaborate, share content, and access homework, grades and school notices.

[www.turnitin.com](http://www.turnitin.com)

Middle & High School

Close to 6,500 secondary institutions worldwide now use Turnitin, including   
56 percent of the top 100 high schools listed on U.S. News and World Report's America's Best High Schools. Colleges & University

More than 3,500 higher education institutions use Turnitin, including 69 percent of the top 100 colleges and universities in the U.S. News and World Report Best Colleges list.

[www.collegeboard.com](http://www.collegeboard.com/) is a resource that contains myriad information about the PSAT, SAT and ACT tests. In addition, this site offers an SAT question of the day. I strongly recommend you utilize this site for valuable information and sample practice questions both in verbal and mathematics.

www.**act**student.org

The **ACT** Student Web Account ... where you can register for the test, upload your photo, send your scores, and more! SIGN UP / LOG IN.

**quizlet**.com/**web**

**Quizlet** is a lightning fast way to memorize vocabulary lists. It's like flashcards, but much more fun and interactive.

**owl**.english.**purdue**.edu

The **Purdue** University **Online Writing Lab** serves writers from around the world and the **Purdue** University **Writing** **Lab** helps writers on **Purdue**'s campus.

[**JSTOR**](http://www.jstor.org/)

www.**jstor**.org/‎

**JSTOR** is a digital library of academic journals, books, and primary sources.

JSTOR is an online research and teaching platform that helps people discover, use, and build upon a wide range of content in a trusted digital archive. JSTOR provides a growing number of access options for individual researchers.

www.**khanacademy**.org

With a library of over 3,000 videos covering everything from arithmetic to physics, finance, and history and hundreds of skills to practice,

[www.infoplease.com/edu/collegebound/applying/lesson1](http://www.infoplease.com/edu/collegebound/applying/lesson1) is a website to facilitate in the college essay writing process.

[Literature Study Guides (Bellmore-Merrick Central High School)](http://www.bellmore-merrick.k12.ny.us/guides.html)   
[Writing Guide (Oswego High School)](http://oswego.org/staff/tcaswell/wg/index.htm)   
[High School Hub: English](http://highschoolhub.org/hub/english.cfm)

[www.easybib.com](http://www.easybib.com/) is a resource that offers free templates to use when documenting the work cited page of your research paper. The templates allow users to format citations correctly, edit citations, add/delete citations and save all citations for future use. I strongly recommend you use this site or a similar template for MLA documentation.

[**NoodleTools** : MLA / APA / Chicago Bibliography Composer, …](http://noodletools.com/)

**noodletools.com**

**NoodleTools**: Student research platform with MLA, APA and Chicago/Turabian bibliographies, notecards, outlining

**Modern Language Association** (**MLA**): Format, Bibliography, …

www.**mla**.org

* + [MLA Bibliography](http://www.mla.org/bibliography) ·
  + [Style](http://www.mla.org/style) ·
  + [MLA Handbook](http://www.mla.org/store/CID24/PID363)

Founded in 1883 by teachers and scholars, the **Modern Language Association** (**MLA**) promotes the study and teaching of language and literature.

Gale, Twayne and  Bloom's **Literary Criticism** are all scholarly (acceptable) resources for modern and contemporary literary criticism. The high school library contains hard copies of these resources as well as online **subscription databases**. Just go to the library home page, click subscription databases and search.

www.p12.**nys**ed.gov/ciai/**common**\_**core**\_standards

P-12 **Common** **Core** Learning Standards Documents . On January 10th, 2011, the Board of Regents approved the recommended additions to the **Common** **Core** …

[ALA | Collection Development](http://www.ala.org/ala/aasl/aaslproftools/resourceguides/collectiondevelopment.htm)

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| Senior High Collections. Beers, Kylene and Teri Lesesne, eds. Books for You: An Annotated Booklist for Senior High Students. ... Grades 9-12. ...  www.ala.org/ala/aasl/aaslproftools/resourceguides/collectiondevelopment.htm -C |

This link will connect you to The American Library Association's recommended booklist for high school students.