

Did you know the library subscribes to electronic databases that you can use your library card to access from anywhere?

Electronic Databases are online collections of encyclopedias, magazines, and other nonfiction reference materials.

Different databases specialize in different subjects and offer easy ways to search multiple sources at once.

Many of the databases feature multimedia sources, including videos, pictures and sound, to make learning come to life.



Frequently Asked Questions

Where can I find electronic databases?

On our website under the kids section: <http://nhfpl.org/kids/homework-help/> Scroll down to see each database listed by subject.

Will I be able to understand the materials?

There are different databases for different grades and many of them have options to search within a specific reading level.

But my teacher said “No Internet!” for this project.

Unlike Google or Wikipedia, all of the information in the databases has been carefully selected for credibility, just like the books you can get at the library. Many databases are simply electronic versions of physical books and encyclopedias. Most articles even give you the information you need for your Works Cited or Bibliography pages.

How to find materials to help with homework anytime, anywhere, online!



Electronic Databases for Science Math Language Arts & Social Studies !

Explora (Elementary and Middle/High School versions) has information on almost any topic.



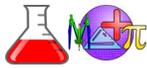
Bookflix pairs fictional animated storybooks with a nonfiction book. Grades K-3.



TrueFlix features Scholastic's True Books series paired with videos, project ideas, age-appropriate web links, and educational games. Grades K-8.



ScienceFlix has the latest on all STEM related news. Browse topics, find experiments and learn about careers in science.



Learn A Test has practice tests for all grades, in all subjects as well as tutorials for writing and computers.



TOPICsearch allows researchers to explore current social, political & economic issues, scientific discoveries and other popular topics.



Daily Life Through History features day-to-day lives of average people and places, past and present. Grades 6 and up.



WorldFolklore and Folklife covers myths, proverbs, music, urban legends, comparative religion, folk and fairytales, literature. Grade 6 and up.



African American Experience is your source whether you're searching for historical information on slavery or want to know about Will Smith. Grades 6 and up.



The **Latino American Experience** has both English and Spanish content focusing on individuals of Hispanic origins living in the Americas from pre-Columbian times until the present day.



The **American Indian Experience** features primary documents and images, including treaties, speeches, traditional tales, and a wealth of maps and photographs. Grades 6 and up.



CultureGrams Kids Edition features 106 country reports perfect for school projects and homework assignments; States Edition offers kid-friendly reports on all 50 states. Grades k-12



Middle Search Plus contains magazines, biographies, primary source documents, and a School Image Collection of photos, maps and flags.



Today's Science has in-depth explanations of important advances in biology, chemistry, environmental science, space, physics, and technology.



Science Reference Center covers biology, chemistry, earth & space science, life science, physics, science & society, and science as inquiry. Grades 6 and up.



History Reference Center features encyclopedias and non-fiction books, as well as leading periodicals, documents, biographies, photos, maps, and historical videos. Grades 1-12.



Biography Reference Center offers full text biographies of people from the past and now, as well as thousands of narrative biographies.

