INFORMATION LITERACY RESOURCES FOR IASL

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Information literacy is a core area of responsibility for the teacher librarian. These sites may assist in developing further awareness of information literacy, considering how to integrate it more into the work of your library and providing access to resources in multiple languages.

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Definition of information literacy

What is information literacy?
http://www.informationliteracy.org.uk/information-literacy-definitions/

Information skills in the school: engaging learners in constructing knowledge (updated 2007)
http://www.curriculumsupport.education.nsw.gov.au/schoollibraries/teachingideas/isp/docs/infoskills.pdf

NSW Department of Education and Communities. (2007). *Information skills in the school.* [Chart].
http://www.curriculumsupport.education.nsw.gov.au/schoollibraries/teachingideas/info_skills/assets/infoprocesscycle.pdf

State Library of Victoria. (2014). Research skills
http://ergo.slv.vic.gov.au/learn-skills/research-skills

Video clips
Discover information literacy
https://www.youtube.com/watch?v=JWzigkpR7yg&feature=related

Information literacy in a nutshell
https://www.youtube.com/watch?v=VaWv5S50Zww

Why can't I just Google?
https://www.youtube.com/watch?v=N39mnu1Pkgw

Bruce, C. (2013). Information literacy research and practice: An experiential perspective.
http://ecil2013.ilconf.org/wp-content/uploads/2013/11/Bruce_Keynote.pdf

International resources

UNESCO (2011). *Creating and sustaining literate environments*. Bangkok: UNESCO. http://unesdoc.unesco.org/images/0021/002146/214653E.pdf

UNESCO. (2011). Media and Information Literacy Curriculum for Teachers
http://www.unesco.org/new/en/communication-and-information/resources/publications-and-communication-materials/publications/full-list/media-and-information-literacy-curriculum-for-teachers/
Downloadable in Arabic, Chinese, English, French, Greek, Mongolian, Portuguese, Russian and Spanish

UNESCO. (2014). *Overview of information literacy resources worldwide, 2nd edn*. Paris: UNESCO.
http://infolit.org/unescos-overview-of-information-literacy-resources-worldwide-2nd-ed-2014-2015/
This must be the best source on international information literacy because it offers links and citations for a wide range of resources in so many countries and so many languages including:
Afrikaans and South African indigenous languages, Albanian, Amharic, Arabic, Armenian, Azerbaijan, Bahasa Indonesia, Bahasa Malaysia, Bangla, Belarusian, Bosnian, Bulgarian, Chinese, Croatian, Czech, Danish, Dutch, Dzongka, English in many countries including Anglophone West Africa, Esperanto, Estonian, Filipino, Finnish, French in many countries including Francophone West Africa, Gaelic, Georgian, German, Gujarati, Haitian

Creole, Hindi, Hungarian, Icelandic, Irish, Italian, Japaness, Kannada, Kazakh, Khmer, Korean, Laotian, Latvian, Lithuanian, Macedonian, Marathi, Montenegrin, Nepali, Norwegian, Dari/Persian and Pashto, Persian, Polish, Portuguese in many countries, Punjabi, Romanian, Russian, Serbian, Slovak, Slovenian, Swahili, Swedish, Swiss, Taiwanese Chinese, Tajik, Telugu, Thai, Tok Pisin, Turkish, Turkmen, Ukrainian, Urdu, Uzbek, Vietnamese, Welsh, Zambian indigenous language

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http://infolit.org/unescos-overview-of-information-literacy-resources-worldwide-2nd-ed-2014-2015/ - See above

Toolkits

AASL Learning Standards & Program Guidelines Implementation Toolkit
http://www.ala.org/aasl/advocacy/tools/toolkits/standards-guidelines

ACRL Information Literacy Resources http://www.ala.org/acrl/issues/infolit/

ACRL. Analyzing your instructional environment: A workbook
http://www.ala.org/acrl/sites/ala.org.acrl/files/content/aboutacrl/directoryofleadership/sections/is/iswebsite/projpubs/aie/aie.pdf

Cardiff University. (2009). Handbook for Information Literacy Teaching
http://www.cardiff.ac.uk/insrv/educationandtraining/infolit/hilt/
Can be downloaded and repurposed subject to Creative Commons licence.

Crap detection: a 21st century literacy
https://librariesandtransliteracy.wordpress.com/2010/09/16/crap-detection-a-21st-century-literacy/

Infographics lie: Here's how to spot the B.S.
http://www.fastcodesign.com/3024273/infographic-of-the-day/infographics-lie-heres-how-to-spot-the-bs

KWHLAQ for the 21st century
The popular K-W-L chart upgraded for the 21st century to include 21st century skills, media platforms, tools and activities.

Toolkits for assessing information literacy skills

[SLIM *School Library Impact Measure) Toolkit](#)
Developed by CISSL, Rutgers

[TRAILS](#) (Tool for Realtime Assessment of Information Literacy Skills)

Information Literacy Metasites

ACRL: Information Literacy Resources (to assist in advocacy for and developing and applying information literacy instruction as well as improving teaching and learning)
http://www.ala.org/acrl/issues/infolit

ACRL PRIMO – Peer-reviewed instructional materials online
http://www.ala.org/acrl/aboutacrl/directoryofleadership/sections/is/iswebsite/projpubs/primo

ALA Information Literacy
http://www.ala.org/tools/atoz/profresourcesinfolit/information_literacy

IFLA Information Literacy Section http://www.ifla.org/information-literacy

Kathy Schrock's information literacy resources
http://www.schrockguide.net/information-literacy.html

LOEX http://www.emich.edu/public/loex/

SOS for Information literacy http://www.informationliteracy.org/

Relevant Journals

http://www.library.illinois.edu/infolit/journals.html
College & Research Libraries
College & Research Libraries News
Evidence Based Library And Information Practice
Knowledge Quest
SCAN
http://www.curriculumsupport.education.nsw.gov.au/schoollibraries/scan/index.htm

ACCESS http://www.asla.org.au/publications/access.aspx
SLAV: Synergy http://www.slav.vic.edu.au/synergy/

Policies, standards and guidelines

ALIA/ASLA. (2006). Statement on information literacy for all Australians.
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http://www.alia.org.au/about-alia/policies-standards-and-guidelines/aliaasla-policy-information-literacy-australian-schools

ALIA/ASLA. (2009). ALIA/ASLA Policy on guided inquiry and the curriculum
http://www.alia.org.au/about-alia/policies-standards-and-guidelines/aliaasla-policy-guided-inquiry-and-curriculum

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http://www.alia.org.au/about-alia/policies-standards-and-guidelines/alia-asla-policy-resource-based-learning-and-curriculum

Bundy, A. (Ed.) (2004). *Australian and New Zealand Information Literacy Framework: principles, standards and practice.* Adelaide: Australia and New Zealand Institute for Information Literacy
http://www.caul.edu.au/content/upload/files/info-literacy/InfoLiteracyFramework.pdf

National and local information skills standards
http://www.sldirectory.com/libsf/resf/infoskill.html

Practical resources for IL implementation including lessons
A directory of lesson plan sites for information skills instruction
http://www.sldirectory.com/libsf/resf/libplans.html

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http://www.youtube.com/watch?v=bi0JFW_MCGs

Fitzgerald, L. (2011). The twin purposes of Guided Inquiry: guiding student inquiry and evidence-based practice. *SCAN, 30*(1), 26-41. Available online

http://www.curriculumsupport.education.nsw.gov.au/schoollibraries/assets/pdf/guidedenquiry.pdf

Information literacy and narrative structure: Lessons for Year 7
https://online.det.nsw.edu.au/blog/226294-informationliteracyandnarrativestructurelessonsforyear7in2013/

Information literacy for K-16 setting
http://www.csulb.edu/~lfarmer/infolitwebstyle.htm

K-12: digital citizenship http://k12digitalcitizenship.wikispaces.com

Kids grade K-5 http://kids.usa.gov

NSW Department of Education and Communities. (2011). ISP matrix K-6.
http://www.curriculumsupport.education.nsw.gov.au/schoollibraries/teachingideas/isp/k_6/

NSW Department of Education and Communities. (2011). ISP matrix K-6: Planning, support: linking syllabus outcomes, information skills and ICT
http://www.curriculumsupport.education.nsw.gov.au/schoollibraries/teachingideas/isp/k_6/tablecogs.htm

NSW Department of Education and Communities. (2011). ISP matrix 7-10
http://www.curriculumsupport.education.nsw.gov.au/schoollibraries/teachingideas/isp/7_10/index.htm

NSW Department of Education and Communities. (2011). ISP matrix 7-10: Planning, support
http://www.curriculumsupport.education.nsw.gov.au/schoollibraries/teachingideas/isp/7_10/matrix.htm

Research and information fluency
https://interactivenets.wikispaces.com/3.+Research+and+Information+Fluency

Rubric for discipline-based and interdisciplinary inquiry studies
http://galileo.org/rubric.pdfhttp://galileo.org/rubric.pdf

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www.curriculumsupport.education.nsw.gov.au/schoollibraries/

Studyvibe
A bright attractive website created by Leonie McIlvenny to support information literacy skills development, digital citizenship and integrating technology into teacing and learning

Tips for teaching digital and information literacy
http://content.easybib.com/tips-for-teaching-digital-information-literacy/#.U0FuEnsayK1

The use of graphic novels in information literacy instruction
http://www.maltacomic-con.com/post/588/the-use-of-graphic-novels-in-information-literacy

You are here! Where kids learn to be smarter consumers
http://www.consumer.ftc.gov/sites/default/files/games/off-site/youarehere/index.html

21st century information fluency
http://www.scoop.it/t/21st-century-information-fluency

Information Literacy and Technology

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http://www.scoop.it/t/web-tools-to-support-inquiry-based-learning

Bright ideas [Blog]. (2014)
http://slav.global2.vic.edu.au/?s=information+literacy

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http://www.emergingedtech.com/2013/12/enhance-project-based-learning-with-these-10-powerful-tools/

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College Readiness -- or not

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College Knowledge: How to get students ready to succeed
http://professionals.collegeboard.com/profdownload/college-knowledge-david-conley-ca-forum-09.ppt

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HUBO - Hacettepe University – A web based program that teaches what Information Literacy is.

ILIPG - Innovative Library Initiatives Promotion Group – a group of librarians supporting activities for libraries & organising seminars.

ILIPG - Facebook

Improving Library Oriented Information Literacy Programs for Universities: Hacettepe University case – Coskun Polat, 2005.

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