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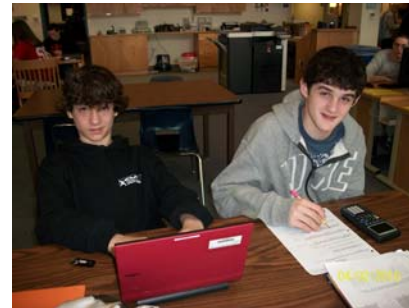
Plymouth Regional High School Library Monthly Report



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Library Highlights

- ✓ **157** Seniors have successfully completed their **Digital Portfolio** graduation requirement.
- ✓ We added **38 new books** to the library collection in January. We also added **2 new DVDs** to our video library.
- ✓ We added **20 new Dell netbooks** for student use within the library.
- ✓ **Ashland Elementary School 8th Graders** visited the library. We sent them on a scavenger hunt and taught them some of the basics of library research.
- ✓ Darci Lipka, **Math Tutor**, has tutored 88 students during the month of February.
- ✓ James Thorpe, **English Tutor**, has been teaching his World Lit class how to use a Kindle.
- ✓ **49 classes** used the library during the month of March, for research, computer use, and projects.
- ✓ We currently have **10 student Library Aides** working in the library. Students help to check out books and assist their fellow students with library resources.



Utilization Report:

Month	Days Open	Monthly Circulation	Historic Circulation 2008/09	Historic Circulation 2007/08	Historic Circulation 2006/07	Historic Circulation 2005/06
August	3	226	117	269	50	20
September	20	1224	1758	768	167	131
October	21	1199	1394	1091	309	80
November	18	1212	1152	799	520	115
December	16	982	775	420	416	86
January	18	965	1002	378	580	136
February	14	867	753	507	415	118
March	23	1145	832	720	619	178
April	17		1054	1134	259	230
May	20		942	1547	887	136
June	8		443	525	311	18
July	20		129	26	56	0
Totals:	180	7820	10337	8184	4589	1248

Library Utilization and Collaboration Highlights: (not all classes using the library are listed)

Name or Topic of Unit (# of sections using the Library)	Grade Level and Subject Area	* Level of Collaboration				
		1	2	3	4	5
Country Research	Mr. Gulick's Far East Class		X			
Poetry Research & booktalks	Ms. Dougherty's English 11 Classes				X	
Jazz Age PowerPoint Projects	Mr. Miller's Global History Classes		X			
<i>Lord of the Flies</i> Critical Analysis	Ms. Donahue's English 10 Classes		X			
Citing Sources	Mr. Blais' US History Classes			X		
Career Research	Mr. Collins' English 11 Classes					X
India Research & Citing Sources	Mr. Lamb's Geography Classes					X
Picasso Paintings Research	Ms. Rella's Conversational Spanish Classes		X			
Final Statistics Research Projects	Mrs. Miller's Statistics Class			X		
Health Projects	Ms. Raymond's HSTE Classes		X			

*Level of Collaboration Rubric (developed by Londonderry High School LMC):

1. No collaboration beyond scheduling the library and offering assistance to teachers and students.	2. Pull together resources (online and print) for teachers and students to use in the library, curriculum lab, or classroom.	3. Provide instruction at the beginning of a unit as well as scheduling and pulling resources together.	4. Plan with teachers, offering suggestions and strategies as well as instruction, scheduling and pulling resources together.	5. Provide a lesson in an information literacy skill concept as a result of planning with teachers as well as scheduling and pulling resources together.
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