

All About



Access PA / POWER Library
2016 Users Conference

Giving POWER to Kids with:

- Statewide online library services geared to K – 5:
 - E-Resources
 - Chat with a Librarian
 - Books, Movies and More
 - PA Photos and Docs
 - plus 3 additional online resources:
 - Discover Pennsylvania for Kids
 - Ben's Guide to the U.S. Government
 - Library of Congress for Kids and Families
- PA One Book
- Promoting POWER Kids

e-Resources

	Elementary School	Middle School
Elementary Student Research	✓	
EBSCO eBooks	✓	✓
BookFLIX	✓	
CyberSmarts	✓	✓
Middle Search Main Edition		✓
Primary Search Main Edition	✓	
Middle School Student Research		✓
SIRS Discoverer	✓	✓



Elementary Student Research (EBSCO Explora)

- Search or browse categories
- Topic overviews
- Translate, listen, or download audio

EBSCO eBooks

- Search or browse Children's & YA categories
- Read online or download



BookFLIX

- Pre – K
- Use Resources to search and sort titles

CyberSmarts

- Interactive eBooks
- Create a profile for learning simulations and to track your progress



Middle Search Main Edition (EBSCO)

- Magazines, biographies, historical essays
- Image collection of photos, maps, flags
- Primary source documents

Primary Search Main Edition (EBSCO)

- Magazines, biographies, books & image collection



Middle School Student Research (EBSCO Explora)

- Search or browse categories
- Topic overviews
- Translate, listen, or download audio

- SIRS Discoverer

- 100% full-text articles plus images & activities
- Features include Current Events, Country Facts & Maps, and Science Fair Explorer

Chat with a Librarian

- 24/7



- No personal data collected
- Class or group assignments

Books, Movies and More

- Direct search of the Access PA Kids Catalog!



- POWER Kids: keyword, author, title, or subject
- Kids Catalog: Words, Titles, Authors and subject list display

- Access PA link in upper right:



PA Photos and Docs

Photos and Docs Kids Interface with:

- Collection Subjects
- Featured Collections
- Primary source photographs and documents
- No rights restrictions



Discover Pennsylvania for Kids!

- State Symbols
- Flag & State Motto
- State Song
- Links to:
 - Science Fair Explorer (SIRS Discoverer)
 - Geography (Elementary Student Research)
 - BookFLIX
 - PA.gov



Ben's Guide to the U.S. Government



A service of the Government Publishing Office

- Learning adventures by age group
- About Ben and GPO: Lesson Plan for using Ben's Guide
- Libraries: AASL Lesson Plan Database
- Glossary
- Games



LIBRARY OF CONGRESS

for Kids
and Families

Websites designed for young readers, including:

- Read.gov – classic books online
- America’s Library – stories, games, songs
- Everyday Mysteries – fun science facts

One Book, Every Young Child

- In its 11th year!
- About the Author and Author Visit Schedule
- Activities by age group, group size, literacy, science, math, creative arts and more



Promoting POWER Kids

Get the logo!



- Go to POWER Library for Librarians
- POWER Library Portal
 - Promotional Materials
 - POWER Kids Materials

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→ Linking to E-Resources

Power Library Support

- Technical support for e-resources
- Support for all other Power Library services



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