

Teacher Toolkit

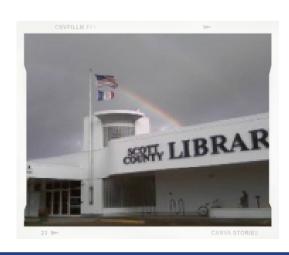
Learn how the Scott County Library System can support you and your students this school year.

Welcome to the Library



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Monday: 8am-8pm Tuesday: 8am-8pm Wednesday: 8am-8pm Thursday: 8am-8pm Friday: 8am-4:30pm Saturday: 9am-4:30pm

Teacher Services

All services can be tailored to your class based on grade, area of study, or interests. Many of these services can be offered in person or virtually.

Book Talks



A librarian will visit your school to share book talks focused on a genre or subject, books by a certain author, new and popular books, award-winning books, etc.

Library Tours



Arrange for your students to visit the library. Tour behind-thescenes and in the stacks. Tours can be combined with instructional sessions, story times, or other activities.

Instructional Sessions



A librarian will introduce students to research skills, databases, books/eBooks, and more. Visit the library's website and click on "Research Tools" for more information.

Holds, Book Lists, & More



If you have a RiverShare library card, librarians can request materials for your classroom for large group assignments or put multiple copies of the same item on hold. We can also create booklists or subject bibliographies upon request.

Story Time



The library's Literacy Outreach Coordinator visits local preschools and daycare centers to share stories, songs, and more. A one-time visit on a special theme can be arranged or the Coordinator may have schedule availability for a monthly or bi-weekly story time in your classroom.

Teacher Resources

Visit the library's website to access these resources. Some resources require a Scott County Library card. If you experience difficulty logging in, please contact the library for assistance.

Overdrive/Libby





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For more detailed instructions, visit the "Go Digital" section on the library's website.

Kanopy Kids



Kanopy is a video streaming service that provides instant access to thousands of critically acclaimed movies, documentaries and children's favorites. Kanopy has something for everyone including an educational and entertainment collection just for children, as well as a teacher-focused watch list.

HelpNow by Brainfuse



Live tutoring, homework help, writing lab, and study materials designed to help learners of all ages succeed. Live virtual tutors are available from 2-11 p.m. daily.

TumbleBooks



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