

April 2023

HELENA HIGH LIBRARY

Monday – Thursday

7:00 – 5:30

Friday 7:00 – 4:30

(*3:30 pre-long weekend or holiday)

Lesson Spotlight: 4/3 – 4/28

- ❖ History Classes – students completed research and created Adobe webpages for Native American tribes of Montana.
- ❖ Government Classes – Provided Mock Congress instruction for research and development of annotated bibliographies, Bill writing and a letter to constituents.
- ❖ History – Students completed research on Renaissance artist and created an Adobe webpage illustrating their knowledge.

"On behalf of the American Government teachers: The teacher-librarians coming into the classrooms is always a good experience and a massive help. Librarians find very helpful sources that are related to the assignments and can very neatly organize everything into a collection that is easy to access for the students. Lastly, Mr. Belliveau cleaned up a rubric that will be utilized for the final assessment within the American Government course. Thanks to our librarians who are always willing to extend a helping hand!"
- Peter Schommer

I've wanted to do a project in Montana History where students would research one of Montana's Tribal nations but I had not been able to find the time to develop it. I reached out to Tim and Joanne and asked if they would meet with me to do some brainstorming and they enthusiastically agreed. After a short meeting, they took my ideas and transformed them into an amazing and valuable project complete with an extensive list of sources and a plan for students to create a Webpage with their findings. Additionally, for two weeks, they worked with my students in the library to help them through every step of the project. I can't overstate how invaluable their work on this project was." - Shelia Orzechowski

Collaborate with a librarian: [start here](#) or send an email to your librarian.



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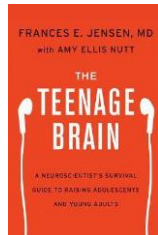


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Helpful Resources

Invigorate your teaching with some professional reading – We have a collection ready for you in our library and online through [Gale eBook Collection](#) (ask us for a password for home use – or check our [TEAMS site HHS Library Staff](#)).

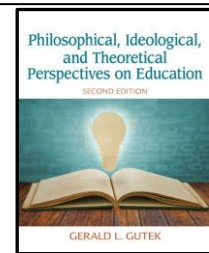
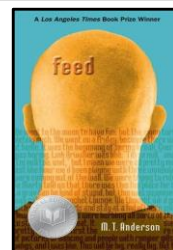
This week's spotlight:
*Ask a teacher-librarian
to borrow this book.*



This book provides amazing insight into the reason why teenagers behave and learn the way they do. An engaging read that a teacher or parent can peruse topically to help them understand a teenager.

Come to the library to check out:

staff
picks 



Technology heads up!

Avoid artificial intelligence submissions by utilizing [Turnitin.com](#). Ask a teacher-librarian how it works.

[YouTube.com](#) – Do not assume students can see YouTube video's on their Chromebooks (even with previously used lessons). Technology's software blocks YouTube videos unless cleared. This could apply to other sites like podcasts too. Submit a work ticket to be sure or have a student check on their Chromebook ahead of class time.

Attention Teachers!

Some deserving students have claimed some fantastic reads as their own – but we have more – reward a student with a Bengal Book coin which is good for one free book to keep.

