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| Unit Title: Library Resources |
| Lesson Title: Using Askusnow! |
| Objectives: Students will be able to   * Explain/demonstrate the benefit of using Askusnow! * Use Askusnow! to locate information on a given topic * Cite sources using proper MLA format |
| **Corresponding Standards:**  **CCSS.ELA-LITERACY.W.9-10.8**  Gather relevant information from multiple authoritative print and digital sources, using advanced searches effectively; assess the usefulness of each source in answering the research question; integrate information into the text selectively to maintain the flow of ideas, avoiding plagiarism and following a standard format for citation.  **AASL Standard – 1. Inquire, think critically and gain knowledge**  1.2.3 Demonstrate creativity by using multiple resources and formats. |
| Activities:   * Brief introduction to Askusnow!  1. Navigate to Askusnow! Homepage 2. Select appropriate county library system – Garrett College is what we should select 3. Follow prompts in inquiry box on right-hand side of the page  * Given a topic/question, students will have 10 - 20 minutes to find the following information:  1. 3 reliable and relevant sources 2. 3 supporting graphics 3. MLA format citations for all materials used  * This lesson is meant to be a short demonstration and guided practice lesson in using Askusnow! as a digital resource for students to locate reliable and topic relevant information. |
| Assessment: Students will be asked to choose a topic of interest as an interactive way to follow along and practice using/navigating Askusnow! Print out of information found on their topic of interest. The final print out should have 3 supporting graphics, interactive visual and MLA citations. |
| Notes to Self: |
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