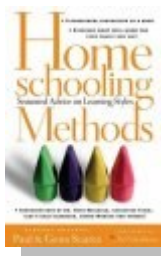


Library Resources



Print & Electronic Resources: We have a variety of books and magazines (available in print and digitally—see **OverDrive** for eBooks and eAudiobooks and **Zinio** for digital magazines) on homeschooling and parenting. Browse non-fiction homeschooling resources under the call number **371.042**.

The Library also has a number of books on literature for young people. Check out our Juvenile Literature section (**J-L**) for reading suggestions and tips to engage young readers.

Foreign Language: We have books for all ages in over 40 languages! Check out our **World Language Collection**. Learning a new language? We have audiobooks, instructional DVDs and books that can help! Or try **Mango**, an online language-learning tool.



Programs: The Library offers programming throughout the year. Children and families can join us for Family Storytime, STEAM Book Club, or LEGO at the Library, to name a few.

For more information, visit:
tcpl.org/kids/programs.php

Teens are invited to join the Junior Library Advisory Council (JLAC) the YA Book Club, and more! The Library also offers writing workshops periodically. For upcoming teen programs, visit: tcpl.org/teens/programs.php

Library Online Resources

Check out our **Homework Help** webpages for access to encyclopedias, books, magazine articles, and other reference tools. Children, visit: tcpl.org/kids/homework.php Teens, visit: tcpl.org/teens/homework-help.php

Here are a few of our favorite databases:

- **eLibrary Elementary:** A general reference resource with access to 200+ magazines, newspapers, reference books and more.
- **Kids InfoBits:** This database features a kid-friendly graphic interface with full-text content from elementary reference sources and magazines.
- **Grolier Encyclopedias:** Full-text access to *Encyclopedia Americana*, *Grolier Multimedia Encyclopedia*, and *The New Book of Knowledge*.
- **Opposing Viewpoints in Context:** A social-issues database providing pro/con viewpoint articles, reference information, statistics, journal and newspaper articles and more.

Local Groups & Resources

- **Earth Arts and the Lantern School Homeschool Programs:** Mentors share cultural earth-based traditions from around the world, through lots of games, stories, art, songs, adventure, and team-building activities. earthartsithaca.org

- **Ithaca Generator:** A community of inventors, crafters, designers, engineers and artists. ithacagenerator.org
- **Cornell Center for Materials Research—Lending Library of Experiments:** The Lending Library offers lesson plans and student activity sheets available for download on a wide variety of science topics that have been or are being designed to meet the Next Generation Science Standards. <http://www.ccmr.cornell.edu/education/educational-resources/lending-library-of-experiments/>
- **TC3 College Now!:** Supports the student transition to college and careers by providing quality college credit and connecting our faculty with school instructors to promote career pathways, clarify college expectations, and raise awareness of TC3 and its resources. tc3.edu/CollegeNow
- **Ithaca Children's Garden:** ICG offers education year round, in many forms. Explore ICG's innovative, research-based programs, events, and workshops, designed for children, families, schools, educators, and community members. ithacachildrengarden.org
- **Loving Education at Home (LEAH):** Ithaca LEAH is just one of many local chapters of NYS LEAH, which is a state-wide Christian homeschooling support network and home school co-op. ithacaleah.org