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**Research Paper Scavenger Hunt**

**STEP ONE:** On the homepage, click on “NSD Research Wiki”.

**STEP TWO:** Click on “Resources Middle School”.

From here, you will find a list of **credible** web sites that will guide you through this worksheet.

1. When *evaluating a web site*, you should consider the following: authority, accuracy of content, objectivity/bias, currency, appearance, coverage and \_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_.
2. On “Easybib”, the first choice for creating a citation is a web site. The second choice is \_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_.
3. “Overdrive” includes mostly \_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_ titles.
4. “Follett Shelf”includes mostly \_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_ titles.
5. Click on “Marshall Cavendish Digital”. Choose “animals and plants” as your topic. Click on “photographs”. What type of penguin do you see? (It should be the sixth photo shown.) \_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_.
6. Click on “World Book”. Under “Explore”, click on “Explore Pennsylvania”. Scroll down to “Biographies” and click on “Dan Marino”. What city was he born in and what college did he attend? \_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_.
7. Click on “DestinyFollett”. Click on “Carl Sandburg Middle School”. Click on “Catalog”. Find a video titled “Lawyers”. What is its call number? \_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_.
8. Click on “Gale - U.S. History in Context” on the left side of your screen. Under biographies, click on “John F. Kennedy”. The article states that he was the best president since \_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_.
9. Click on “Gale – Opposing Viewpoints in Context”. Under “Law and Politics” click “capital punishment”. What is capital punishment sometimes called? \_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_.
10. Click on “Useful Links” found on the left side of your screen. Click on “Stats”. Click on “What is a College Education Worth? Not What the Data tell You”. When was this article published? \_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_.