## RESEARCH QUICK GUIDE

Set up your EasyBib account (<u>www.easybib.com</u>), if you haven't done so already.

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Get acquainted with your research topic. Consider conducting some cursory research using a well-known search engine like Google. The sources you locate during this search may not be credible; however, they can give you a starting point in terms of learning the language or jargon of your topic. You can use this language to later do more sophisticated searches (described below).

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"Up" the Credibility of Your Search. Consider using a search engine that "emphasizes high quality Google Q social media and body image About 714,000,000 results (0.49 seconds) Scholarly articles for social media and body image  $\textbf{Social} \ \text{comparisons on } \textbf{social media} \text{: The impact of } \dots \text{-} \ \text{Fardouly -} \ \text{Cited by } 196$ Social media effects on young women's body image ... - Perloff - Cited by 207 The role of the  $\mathbf{media}$  in  $\mathbf{body}$  image concerns among ... - Grabe - Cited by 1448 Social Media and Body Image | Mental Health Information https://www.projectknow.com/research/social-media-and-body-image/ Jul 9, 2018 - As social media continues to play a central role in the lives of adolescent girls and young women, its influence on body image and the ... How Does Social Media Affect Your Body Image? | National Eating ... https://www.nationaleatingdisorders.org/.../how-does-social-media-affect-your-body-i... Social media sites like Facebook and Twitter have become a huge part of most teens' lives. But do they help or hurt our self-esteem and body image? We asked. Selfie-Esteem: The Relationship Between Body Dissatisfaction and ... www.in-mind.org/.../selfie-esteem-the-relationship-between-body-dissatisfaction-and-s... • by M Staff - Related articles Teenage girls are also using image-based social media platforms more ... These studies examined exposure to media forms and body image to show that there .. Social media is affecting the way we view our bodies — and it's not good

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resources" like <u>www.sweetsearch.com</u>. Although a search engine, this website is more tailored than Google, for example.



Conduct a More Sophisticated Search Using Authoritative Databases. As a student of Fulton County Schools, you have access to authoritative, subscription-only research databases. You can access these databases by following these steps:

- · Go to Classlink
- Go to e-Library
- Go to MackinVIA
- Select your database of choice
  - Academic Search Complete
  - Galileo
  - Gale Opposing Views (this database contains the most student-friendly articles, i.e., more "digestible" <u>text</u>)

Export and/or save any selected resources to your EasyBib account. EasyBib will help you create MLA-compliant citations, even placing your sources in alphabetical order.

Review each selected source, reflecting on its value to your research, as well as assessing its credibility. See, especially, the section entitled

Assessment: CRAAP on your graphic organizer. If your source doesn't pass this test, don't use it!

