

THE HUB NEWS



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1. Announcements

Survey

The Learning Hub is always looking for ideas about what new books you, the patron, want to read. Please let us know what books you want to see in the Learning Hub by completing this simple [survey](#).

Important dates

February 14th is Library Lover's Day. Celebrate by reading a book!

Quiz

From now on, each month there will be a quiz, with prizes for the first person to correctly answer all questions **online** and **in person**.

1. Who built the library of Alexandria?
2. What is the world's largest library?
3. Which superhero works in a library as her day job?

To win the prize, be the first to fill in this online [form](#) or be the first to bring the answers to the Learning Hub. Winners will get the prizes and will be published in next month's Hub News newsletter!



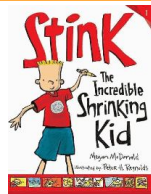
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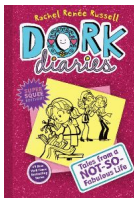
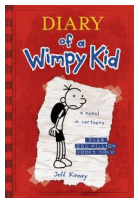
2. Recommended books

Primary

If you liked these... try...



The 6 Stink books in the Learning Hub are fun books about a student learning who he is as a person. The books are short chapter books, perfect for new readers.



Geronimo Stilton is an adventure-seeking mouse in Graphic Novels. These are great books with colorful pictures and funny stories and we have 20 titles in the Learning Hub.

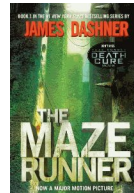
Secondary

The Learning Hub has lots of great series to read, why not try one today!



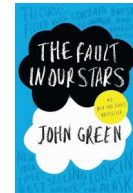
We have several series by author Rick Riordan.

Join Percy Jackson as he encounters the real world he thought was mythology.



Don't miss James Dashner's quartet of novels.

Thomas must find his way out of the maze, but he has no memory to rely on.



John Green's books are well known for their

emotional characters and compelling stories. We have several to read!

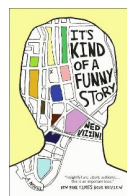
Staff

The Learning Hub has books for everyone, staff included!



The author of "The Martian" takes us to the moon in "Artemis". Murder, theft, and the mob combine with science to create this great book that everyone

should read. This is science fiction, with an emphasis on science!



In "It's kind of a funny story", we follow a teenager into a psychiatric hospital for stress and anxiety reasons. While the overall subject matter is very serious, the book

also shows the nicer side of hardship, and how things can get better with help.



3. 40 Book Challenge

The Learning Hub has a challenge for you:
read 40 books and record them in the 40 Book Challenge.

During library class, grades 3, 4, and 5 will be recording the books they have read, working towards a prize.

There are different genres of books in the Challenge: realistic fiction, informational text, fantasy, biography/autobiography, poetry, science fiction, mystery, adventure, historical fiction, and free choice books too.

Anyone can participate in the 40 Book Challenge: students, parents, staff. All you have to do is record the books you have read. You can get a copy of the 40 Book Challenge in the library or through [this link](#).

Winners will get a prize: a unique, hand crafted, bookworm bookmark!



4. Exploring Destiny Discover

**Destiny Discover is a great resource for finding books in the library.
It's easy to use, too!**

All you have to do is follow these steps:

1. Follow this link to get to [Destiny Discover](#).
2. Click on Login in the top right corner. Every student at PAS has a username and password. The username is the start of your email address and your password is the number on your ID.
3. You can now use Destiny Discover!

The following [presentation](#), shows how to enter the platform.

Please note that books labeled Classroom Library are for class use only.

What can you do with Destiny Discover?

- ★ See new and popular books
- ★ Search for books by topic
- ★ Put books on hold
- ★ See what books you have checked out
- ★ If you need help write to us at:
 - pascopias@panam.ed.cr
 - cristina.chaves@panam.ed.cr or
 - leanne.edwards@panam.ed.cr

[Click here for a video \(in English\) showing all the things you can do with Destiny Discover.](#)

