

# LHS Media Center News

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## Unblocking Websites

If you want to use blocked websites for a classroom lesson, arrangements can be made with the GISD to *unblock* the sites for a short period of time. Contact Kristy if you want to know more!

Due to cutbacks at **The Detroit News**, the Media Center will no longer receive free newspapers. Instead, they have given us 25 online subscriptions—this means that only 25 users can be logged in at any one time. You may access the online paper at home or at school using the login and pass listed below. Please check out this new service and let me know if you like it!

**Go to:** [http://es1.tecnavia.com/ee/detroitnewspapers/nie\\_news.php](http://es1.tecnavia.com/ee/detroitnewspapers/nie_news.php)

**Login:** nie17628

**Password:** hello



### Media Center Hours:

Monday-Friday 9:40-2:35\*

Tuesday *ONLY* 9:40-3:20\*

Sunday 1:00-4:00

\*The computer lab is still available  
1<sup>st</sup> and 2<sup>nd</sup> hours for classes only!

**FOR  
SALE**

**Floppy Disks= .25**

**CDs= .50**

**Notecards (100)= .50**

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**Loan:** The Media Center has several video cameras available for students to check out to film school projects.

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## GREAT WEBSITES TO HELP US THINK GLOBALLY!

To begin thinking globally, start here:

- go to [TEACHERTUBE.com](http://TEACHERTUBE.com)
- type in "Did you know? 2.0"
- Select the last entry, watch by clicking on the title.



**iEARN.com** (International Education and Resource Network) is a non-profit organization made up of over 20,000 schools and youth organizations in more than 115 countries.

iEARN empowers teachers and young people to work together online using the Internet and other new communications technologies. Over 1,000,000 students each day are engaged in collaborative project work worldwide.

### GlobalSchoolNet.org



**Global SchoolNet's** mission is to support 21st century learning. We engage teachers and students in meaningful project learning exchanges with people around the world to develop literacy and communication skills, foster teamwork and collaboration, encourage workforce preparedness and create multi-cultural understanding. We prepare youth for full participation as productive and effective citizens in an increasing global economy.

### Purdue Online Writing Lab: <http://owl.english.purdue.edu/>

The Online Writing Lab (OWL) at Purdue University houses writing resources and instructional material for English and non-English teachers, and they provide these as a free service of the Writing Lab at Purdue. Anyone who requires students to write in their class should check this site out!



Check out the Linden High School Media Center at:  
<http://www.lindenschools.org/medialinks/bookmark.htm>