

FSPS Writing Research Connections–Grade 4

Big6 Process Model

1. http://nb.wsd.wednet.edu/big6/big6_resources.htm#downloads
2. http://nb.wsd.wednet.edu/lmc/lmc_big6_guide.htm#Step1
3. http://www.janetsinfo.com/Big6_CCSS1stds.htm
4. <http://www.janetsinfo.com/big6info.htm>
5. http://www.janetsinfo.com/Big6_ICTLit1stds.htm
6. <https://sites.google.com/a/bryantschools.org/bpsd-research-elementary/research-help/research-methods>

Lesson Plans & Resources

1. <http://learnzillion.com/lessonsets/228-4th-grade-research-reading-and-writing-using-text-resources-to-research-plan-and-write-an-informational-text>
2. <http://blog.discoveryeducation.com/clamagna/2010/03/16/4th-grade-introduction-to-research-writing/>
3. http://www.internet4classrooms.com/grade_level_help/write_research_paper_language_arts_fourth_4th_grade.htm
4. blogs.spsk12.net/5429/files/2011/03/Research-Writing.ppt
Research Links for Students
5. <https://sites.google.com/a/bryantschools.org/bpsd-research-elementary/research-help>
How to teach students to research with internet
6. <http://www.google.com/insidesearch/searcheducation/lessons.html>

Writing Research Connections Criteria:

- Each quarter students identify a **significant topic, problem, or issue** to research as an extended project
 - Students compile pertinent information from multiple sources in a **variety of media formats** on the research topic
 - Students use notes taken from various sources to **summarize or paraphrase their findings**
 - Students present findings using a **variety of methods** in both formal and informal contexts
- Adapted from PARCC p. 17

Fourth Grade

- Write a short, extended project that addresses a topic/problem/issue
- Gather and integrate relevant information from several additional literary or informational texts (print sources) in various media (digital sources) on a topic or question drawn from 1 or more texts
- Provide a list of sources
- Summarize or paraphrase findings
- Present findings in a variety of modes in both formal and informal argumentative or explanatory contexts, either in writing or oral formats
(Refer to CCSS Anchor Standard 8)

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