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NEWLY ACQUIRED: THE WORLD BOOK ENCYCLOPEDIA OF PEOPLE AND PLACES



This six-volume encyclopedia set takes students on a worldwide tour of 193 countries.

With accurate and up-to-date information, this award-winning set provides students with a clear understanding of today's changing and

challenging world. Full color maps, charts, flags, and time lines written from a young person's perspective adds to a new understanding of the history, geography, politics, and economics of our fascinating world of people and places.

LIBRARY CALANDAR

You can check the library availability and reserve the room at any time via the online WebEvent calendar.

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Access the online calendar via the Salt Point Library website at www.dcbooces.org/saltpointcenter/library

Take advantage of the facility and the resources within for book selection, testing, homework help, class projects, etc. You can reserve the physical space, the SMART Board, the projection unit, and/or my time. Use the room and collaborate with your Library Media Specialist to implement library resources, information literacy skills, and educational technology into your curriculum.

Professional Development EBOOK Collection <http://www.dcbooces.org/saltpointcenter/library/databases>



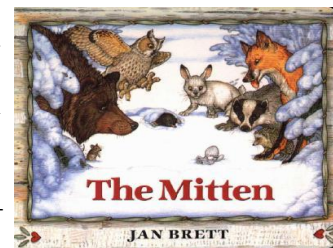
There are 56 professional development eBook titles from the Association for Supervision and Curriculum Development (ASCD) available through the Dutchess BOCES School Library System. The collec-

tion includes a wide range of popular titles and new favorites that address the ongoing professional development needs of today's educators.

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Successful Classroom Collaboration: "The Mitten" Videoconference Project

Students in Mr. Sheehan's class practiced their reading, writing, and researching skills, as well as their presentation and speaking skills, through an interactive videoconferencing project. After reading "The Mitten" by Jan Brett, the class researched the animals in the story using a variety of web resources, and used their findings to come up with a series of 'clues' about each animal. The students then connected with another 2nd grade class located in Garden City Island via the videoconferencing equipment in the library. The



classes alternated guessing what the other had in their mitten by the clues given. The students also used Google Earth on the SMART Board to share information about the Hudson Valley, Dutchess County, and our school with the participating class.

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