



# Fair Oaks School Library

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## A Curation of Elementary Academic & Literacy Resources



### New Tech App: Blooket

Gamification in learning is all the rage. Try this new take on a trivia and review game where teachers can customize content for fun student review and assessment. It offers a variety of game modes to keep students engaged.

Credit:  
@PlayBlooket

[www.blooket.com](http://www.blooket.com)



### Discussing the Invasion of Ukraine + Strategies

It can be difficult to talk about the recent Russian invasion of Ukraine with your students. Below is a link to a resource from Scholastic News that breaks down what has been going on (as of March 1st, 2022) in a way that is geared to students in grades 5+.

Credit:  
@Scholastic

[Supporting Students During Difficult Times \(scholastic.com\)](https://www.scholastic.com/resources/supporting-students-during-difficult-times)



### Me Encanto Activities from We are Teachers

Do your students love Disney's "Me Encanto"? If you plan to view the movie in class, these discussion questions and activities for grades K-5 from "We are Teachers", are a great supplement for student learning and aligning with curriculum.

Credit:  
@WeAreTeachers

<https://www.weareteachers.com/hub/teaching-with-encanto/>



### Read and Ride Across America with Beanstack

Read your way through a road trip from California to Florida! Along the way, you'll discover cool facts and silly stories behind some of America's most awesome attractions. So, what are you waiting for? Log into Beanstack, hop in, and let's get started!

Credit:  
@zoobeanreads

<https://bit.ly/BeanstackReadandRideAcrossAmerica2022>



### School Librarian Strategies for Reluctant Readers

Share these valuable reluctant reader strategies with your students' parents from Louisiana school librarian, Amanda Jones. This Scholastic Parents article shares 10 strategies to help children create a reading routine, including strategies that building a reading relationship together at home.

Credit:  
@ABMack33

<https://bit.ly/ReluctantReaderStrategies>

### Cobb Digital Library Highlight: BrainPop

BrainPop is available to teachers and students in Cobb Digital Library and includes BrainPop, BrainPop, Jr., and BrainPop Español. Check out BrainPOP 101 to learn about all of the learning features to teach Science, SS, ELA, Math & More. Be sure to learn about the new movie feature, "Pause Points", which helps with differentiation, passive learning, and targeting grade-level concepts/skills. Students and staff must be logged in to Cobb Digital Library or access through Clever to use.



Credit:  
@brainpop

[Say Hello to Pause Points, a New Way to Experience BrainPOP Movies - BrainPOP](https://www.brainiac.com/blog/say-hello-to-pause-points-a-new-way-to-experience-brainpop-movies)

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