

Dunwoody READS!

*Reading for
Excellence
Achievement
Development
and Success!*

Check out the display stands for new books and special interest displays. This is a favorite spot for students to gather and choose a book to read. Students make suggestions about books they have enjoyed reading to other students. We invite you to join this elite group of students as you make reading a priority while attending DHS.

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DUNWOODY

Your Library Media Specialist is ready to assist you with your research needs.

STUDENT HANDBOOK

DUNWOODY HIGH SCHOOL
LIBRARY MEDIA CENTER



DeKalb School of Excellence
2001-2002

Georgia School of Excellence
1986 & 1990

Welcome to your Library Media Center, Wildcats! This booklet has been designed to acquaint you with the services of your Library Media Center, as well as with the guidelines governing the usage of the materials, print/non-print.

S. Hawk Library Media Specialist
Jasmine Grant Library Media Assistant
Nakita Jackson Instructional Para (part-time)

Your Library Media Center contains over 16,000 books and audio-visual materials, multi-media computer workstations with presentation software, scanners, and digital video editing equipment. The Internet and online resource databases are available for research.

HOURS OF OPERATION:

Mon., Tues., Thurs., Fri.: 7:45 a.m. – 3:45 p.m.
Wed.: 7:45 a.m. – 3:10 p.m.
Hours are subject to change.

CHECKING OUT BOOKS:

In order to check out books, students should present their school photo ID. Up to five items may be checked out at a time. Limits may be placed on Reference/Reserve materials as needed.

CIRCULATION/LOAN PERIODS:

General Collection: Two weeks
Reference/Reserve/Magazines: Overnight
(Items must be returned by the first bell the following school day)

FINES:

All fines should be cleared before the end of each semester.
General Collection: 10¢ per school day (not to exceed \$3 per item per semester)
Reference/Reserve/Magazines: 25¢ per hour
Lost Materials: Replacement price, plus a \$1 non-refundable processing fee.

PASSES:

Passes are required during the school day, but not before and after school or during lunch break. When entering the Library Media Center at any time during the school day, please sign in and leave pass in the basket located at the desk or present signed agenda to the Library Media Specialist.

SERVICES FOR STUDENTS:

Audio-visual (AV) materials and equipment are available for use in the Library Media Center. (All AV materials are listed in the library catalog). Select **audiobooks** are available for check out. **Videos** may be viewed by students in the Library Media Center but may only be checked out by teachers.

A **photocopier** is available at a cost of 10¢ per page.

Computers are available for student use. **Word processing** programs and presentation programs are available for use in the Library Media Center. **Printing** costs 10¢ per page. **Color printing** is available at a cost of 25¢ - \$1.00 per page, depending upon the amount of color ink used.

Magazines/Newspapers are available in the Library Media Center.

Video Editing Equipment is available for student productions. Students must make an appointment to use this equipment.

STUDENT RESPONSIBILITIES:

Students are expected
...to be orderly and quiet
...to follow Library Media Center policies
...to work individually
...to present a pass signed by the teacher
...to remain in the chair until the bell rings (not standing at the door before the bell rings)
...to push chairs in to the table before leaving

BOOK BAGS:

Students may not bring their book bags into the Library Media Center except in the morning before the first bell and at the end of the school day.

FOOD:

Students may not have food or drinks in the Library Media Center at any time. This includes bottled water and candy.

INTERNET:

In accordance with DeKalb County's **Internet Acceptable Use Agreement** (IAUA), all students wishing to use the Internet must read the terms and conditions of the IAUA along with parents. This agreement is located in the Code of Conduct that all students receive at the beginning of the school year. **Please note:** The Internet is to be used solely for **school-related research**. Students may access their **FirstClass** student email accounts for instructional purposes. Students may not access Facebook, non-FirstClass e-mail accounts (Yahoo, Gmail, Bellsouth, etc.), nor play non-instructional games using school computers. Students must ask permission before using the computers and must sign-in.

