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STUDENT ACTIVITY



- Double-click the “Destiny” icon on your desktop screen to open Destiny in a browser window.
- Login to Destiny Quest (use the same username and password you use to log on to the school computers)
- Take a minute and look around before clicking . . . What is the first thing you want to do? Probably change the theme . . . Go ahead and change it!
- The Top 10 check outs are listed on the left hand side of the screen. Scroll your mouse over each number to see what books are most popular right now.
- Search for a library book you have already read. Scroll over it then click on it and look at all the information. Did the book win any awards? Are there any reviews of the book posted? You may go ahead and review the book if you would like to. You can rate it with stars and you can also type a review. Remember to use correct spelling, grammar, and punctuation. You may wish to add your **first name only**.
- Notice the “You may also like” box. These are books that have something in common with the book you searched for. You can click on each title to see more information about it. If any interest you, you may want to add them to “My Personal List.” Just click the “Add to List” button on the right side of the window.
- When you are looking at the information about a book there is a special button under the cover picture on the left side of the window that says, “Shelf Browse.” If you click on it, you can browse for books that sit near that book on the library bookshelves. Go ahead and try it!
- Try searching for a topic that interests you: cats, soccer, cooking, poetry, composers, fishing, etc. When you search, Destiny Quest automatically shows you books on that topic from our library. Look in the top left hand corner just underneath the words “Destiny Quest.” You will see a book and a globe. Click on the globe if you would like to see websites on your topic instead. When you click on a site, it opens in a new browser window. You can close or minimize it to get back to Destiny Quest. In Destiny Quest, click on the book to go back to the list of books.
- Anytime you want to get back to the start page of Destiny Quest just click on the words “Destiny Quest” in the top left hand corner. Take some time to search and explore. If you find books or websites that interest you add or drag them to “My Personal List.” Have fun!