

How NOVELNY Supports New York State Learning Standards

	Description	NOVELNY Link	Examples By Database
Access to Resources	Using the wide variety of resources found in NOVELNY, teachers can instruct their students in how to navigate the route of information retrieval using database search techniques and critical analysis of search results. Teachers can use NOVELNY resources to create New York State Learning Standards-linked lessons and activities. Some Spanish-language material is available, which supports the Bilingual Common Core Initiative.	Resources for Educators: http://novelnewyork.org/educators.php	eLibrary Elementary: <i>Jack and Jill</i> <i>Highlights for Children</i> Scholastic GO!: <i>Amazing Animals of the World</i> <i>La Nueva Enciclopedia Cumbre</i> Kids InfoBits: <i>National Geographic Kids</i> <i>Odyssey</i>
ELA Skills - Literary and Informational Texts	Resources that support such texts can be found in NOVELNY in a variety of lexile levels, which will help students become more engaged in what they read and allow them to read at grade appropriate levels and increase their academic vocabulary through increasingly complex texts.	Resources for Students: http://novelnewyork.org/students.php	eLibrary Elementary: <i>Civil War: A History in Documents</i> <i>ScienceSpin 2-3, ScienceSpin 4-6</i> Scholastic GO!: <i>America the Beautiful</i> <i>Encyclopedia Americana</i> Kids InfoBits: <i>New Moon Girls</i> <i>Plays</i>
Math Resources	The business resources available through NOVELNY contain statistical data and customizable charts that allow students to apply mathematical concepts in real-world situations, using nearly 25,000 industry reports and over 500,000 company profiles.	Business Resources: http://novelnewyork.org/business.php	Business Insights: Essentials: See “Compare Companies” See “Compare Industries”
Inquiry-Based Learning	NOVELNY encourages inquiry-based learning by providing a wide variety of resources that help students think creatively by providing multiple texts with multiple perspectives and resources that develop problem-solving and technology skills.	Resources for Students: http://novelnewyork.org/students.php	General OneFile: <i>Environmental Health Perspectives</i> <i>Gender and Society</i> Opposing Viewpoints in Context: See “Cloning” See “Privacy”
Primary Resources	NOVELNY contains non-fiction primary resource materials that can be used by students to practice text-based answers and writing sources. NOVELNY databases contain over 1,180 newspapers, 39 of which are New York State newspapers.	Current Events Resources: http://novelnewyork.org/events.php	Gannett Newsstand Complete: <i>Ithaca Journal</i> <i>Poughkeepsie Journal</i> InfoTrac Newsstand: <i>Buffalo News</i> <i>New York Times</i>