State Library of Louisiana

New Services & Resources
Electronic Resources

- Credo Reference
- EBSCO non-fiction e-books
- Gale’s Small Business Collection
- Britannica non-fiction
Louisiana Libraries: Connecting People to their Potential

- Funded by $8.8M competitive BTOP grant
- Statewide workforce training – over 2700 classes over 3 years in computer applications and business skills
- HomeworkLouisiana
- Jobs & career resources
- Laptops to check out
Training Topics

- Computer Skills
  - MS Office Suite
  - Adobe Suite
  - Computer Foundations
  - Home Wireless Networking
  - Windows 7
  - And more…

- Business Skills
  - Resume Writing
  - Interviewing
  - Customer Service
  - Business Etiquette
  - Public Speaking
  - And more…
Registration Options

- Online: www.LaJaCC.org/Training
- Phone: Call 1-888-487-2700
HomeworkLouisiana

- Online one-on-one tutoring from kindergarten through basic college level, including GED prep
- Sunday – Thursday 2:00pm to 10:00pm
- Skills Center – 24/7/365
- Available from home or a public library
- www.HomeworkLA.org
Free Online Tutoring and Academic Resources

Whether you need help with Math Homework or want to prepare for a Chemistry Test, HomeworkLouisiana can help!

HomeworkLouisiana offers FREE online tutoring and academic resources from Tutor.com for Louisiana residents. Get help in math, science, social studies or English from a live tutor. The service can be accessed from a Louisiana public library or from your home computer.

Tutors are available Sunday through Thursday 2 p.m. - 10 p.m. The SkillsCenter is available 24 hours a day, 7 days a week!
Live Homework Help® - Math

To connect to a tutor, follow the steps below. Required fields are marked with an asterisk (*).

1. Select your grade level: *

2. Select the subject you want help in: *

3. How much help do you need? *

4. I want my tutor to help me: (optional)

What's your question? *(Tips)

Draw your problem on the whiteboard (optional)

Upload a file (optional)

Choose File no file selected

Remove

Accepted file formats are: bmp, doc, docx, gif, htm, html, jpg, jpeg, pdf, ppt, pptx, txt, xls, xlsx, zip
The maximum file size is 1MB.

Connect

Math Problems?
Try this Online Solver from Mathway.com

Step-by-step solutions to your Pre-Algebra, Algebra, Trigonometry, Pre-Calculus and Calculus problems.

SkillsCenter™

24/7!

Thousands of worksheets, tutorials, study guides and more!

Search:

Resources by Subject

- Elementary
- Middle Grades
- Algebra
- Algebra II
- Geometry
- Trigonometry
- Calculus
- Statistics
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\[ Y_2 = -X + 5 \]

\[ Y_1 = Y_2 \]
\[ X + 1 = -X + 5 \]
\[ 2X + 1 = 5 \]
\[ 2X = 4 \]
\[ X = 2 \]

The point of intersection is (2,3).
Louisiana Jobs & Career Center

- www.lajacc.org

- Centralized website bringing together over 100 of the best resources
State Library of Louisiana Job Search and Career Portal

This site was developed and is maintained by the State Library of Louisiana. It pulls together resources for those seeking new careers, changing jobs, needing a little extra help preparing for the job market, online one-on-one tutoring and access to free workforce development classes.

Job Search Resources
Between-Job Resources
Electronic Resources
Small Business Resources
Training
Electronic Resources

- Career Cruising
- Learning Express
  - Testing and test preparation
  - Popular computer applications tutorials
  - Computer & Internet basics (*new*)
- Teen Health & Wellness
- WorldBook (*new*)
Welcome to LearningExpress Library!

Whatever your goal, LearningExpress Library's resources will help you succeed. Each of our Learning Centers offers the practice tests, exercises, skill-building courses, eBooks, and information you need to achieve the results you want—at school, at work, or in life. Looking to land a job? You'll find an entire Learning Center dedicated to helping you get the one that's right for you.

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All eBooks are now available in the Learning Centers!

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Many New eBooks Now Available, including titles to help prepare for careers in Civil Service, Education, Allied Healthcare, and more.

The Job Search & Workplace Skills Learning Center will help you:
- Craft a resume that will get you hired
- Strengthen your job searching, interviewing, and networking skills
- Achieve career success

Visit the Job Search & Workplace Skills Learning Center now.

What Do I Do Now?

Help Center: Visit the Library Help Center.

Guided Tour: Take a guided tour of LearningExpress Library.

Learning Centers: Browse a list of the learning centers and their resources.

eBooks: Browse our complete library of eBooks.
GED Preparation

Below, you'll find all the practice, preparation, and information you need to earn your GED.

Choose your tests, courses, and eBooks from the categories below:

- GED Practice Exams
- GED Preparation Courses and Guides
- GED Skills Improvement
- Spanish-language GED Preparation
personal story

"I lost my grandmothers to the cancer of August."

Both were children of the Depression. They were artists and readers; appreciated beauty and were generous to a fault. These women raised eleven kids between them and truly valued education, especially the education of their girls. I will never forget them.

- Read Jane's story.
- Share your own story.
- Read other stories.

watch it: don't drink and drive

Dr. Jan's corner

Dear Dr. Jan,
I'm 16 and my mom just kicked me out. What should I do now?
~ Jasmine

- Read Dr. Jan's answer.
- Ask Dr. Jan a question.
- Read other questions and answers from Dr. Jan.

Cast your vote

Have you ever moved to a new city or town?

- Yes
- No, I've lived in the same place since I was born

Read more about moving.
See previous polls and results.
And, the latest.....

- Laptops to check out
  - 10 per parish
  - Can be taken home

- Accessibility hardware and software *(coming)*
  - Topaz CCTV reader (1 per parish)
  - JAWS workstation (1 per parish)
  - MAGic software (1 per branch)
General News

- July 1, 2011 – closed to walk-in traffic on Fridays
- State Aid remains low
- Lost 11 positions
- Charging for printing, fines, meeting room use
- Book Festival is back!
Louisiana Book Festival 2011

- Volunteers needed!
- www.LouisianaBookFestival.org
- www.facebook.com/LABookFestival
About the Festival

- October 29, 2011
- Saturday
- 9 am – 5 pm
- Coordinated by
  - Louisiana Center for the Book
  - State Library of Louisiana
Description

- Louisiana authors presenting panel discussions, readings, lectures
- Tents brimming with activities
- Exhibitions
- Music and food
- Children’s activities
Location

- State Library
- State Capitol & Grounds
- State Museum
- A. Z Young Park & Welcome Center
Strengths

- FREE to the Public
Audience

- Families with children
- Booklovers
- Literary Organizations
- Writers
- Booksellers & Publishers
Special Events

- Festival Authors Party
  - October 28, 2011
  - State Library of Louisiana
  - 7:00 pm – 9:00 pm
  - Cost $50 per person
Children’s Activities

- Crafts
- Storytelling
- Face Painting
Merchandise

- Book signings
- Mugs
- T-shirts
- Bookmarks
- Hats
- Posters
- Book bags
- Magnets
Volunteers -- You

Make It Happen!
Volunteer Job Descriptions

- Author Escorts
- Book Signing Tent
- Cooking Demonstrations
- Information Booths & Guides
- LA State Museum
- State Library of LA
- Young Readers Pavilion
- Festival Sales
- Volunteer Tent
- Capitol Room Monitors
- SMART (Site Maintenance & Resource Team)
To Volunteer

www.LouisianaBookFestival.org/Volunteers.html
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