**TEXQUEST GALE HIGH SCHOOL RESOURCES TRANSCRIPT**

**Gale High School Resources Introduction**

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Hello and welcome. This training video

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is for Gale high school resources

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which are part of TexQuest,

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a statewide program providing high quality

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resources like those from Gale to

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Texas K through 12 public schools and open

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enrollment charters.

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After completing this module, you'll be able to

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demonstrate basic features and functions

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of the Gale In Context collection, including

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Gale In Context: High School,

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Gale In Context: Opposing Viewpoints,

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Gale In Context: Environmental Studies, and

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Gale In Context: Science,

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as well as Gale Literature, which

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allows you to search all four of your Gale

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literary databases in a single interface.

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TexQuest is supported by appropriations

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from the Texas State Legislature,

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a grant from the Institute of Museum and Library Services,

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and member fees.

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First, let's go over how to access the

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resources available.

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Start by Visiting TexQuest.net

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You may also have access through your campus or district webpage.

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From Texas.net you can access your TexQuest resources

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and find training and support.

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To get started, select your campus level-

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high school, or provider.

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Today we'll be looking at Gale's resources.

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Select a resource

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and enter your district name and password.

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Contact TexQuest support for help with district

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usernames or passwords.

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Now let's go over the Gale resources that are

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available to you.

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All Gale In Context databases start

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students off with topic pages to quickly.

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access frequently studied topics.

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In addition, they offer critical thinking questions,

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viewpoint essays, and related subjects

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to help students understand the context

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of the subject.

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Gale In Context: High School offers

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cross-curricular content, aligned to national

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and state standards,

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and presents that material in the way most useful

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for students,

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with critical thinking questions, viewpoints,

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essays, line notes, and more.

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Gale In Context: High School provides support

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for assignments while reinforcing the development

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of critical thinking and problem solving skills

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in a variety of curricular areas.

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Gale In Context: Opposing Viewpoints is the

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premier online source covering today's hottest

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social issues,

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from capital punishment to immigration to marijuana.

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Its informed, differing views present

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each side of an issue and help students

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develop information literacy, critical thinking skills,

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and the confidence to draw their own valid conclusions.

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Gale In Context: Environmental Studies focuses

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on the physical and social aspects of environmental

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issues, from global warming

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to food safety, to access to health care,

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to the impact of economic development on

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international relations.

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Today's environmental issues are covered in depth

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in Gale In Context: Environmental Studies

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with portal overviews of essential

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information, academic journals, news

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case studies, conferences, statistics

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and rich multimedia.

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Gale In Context: Science is an engaging

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online source providing contextual information

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on hundreds of today's most significant

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science topics.

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Integrating authoritative curriculum-aligned

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reference content with headlines and videos,

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Experiments and simulations.

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Gale In Context: Science draws students into

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the subject matter, showing how scientific

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disciplines relate to real world issues.

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Gale Literature brings together all the content

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of your Gale literary resources

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Gale Literature Resource Center,

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Gail Literature: LitFinder,

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Gale Literature: Scribner Writer Series,

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and Gale Literature: Twayne's Author Series

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into one easy-to-use search interface.

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With Gale Literature students can find

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author biographies, work summaries,

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literary criticism, and reviews

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alongside full-text works

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including poems, short stories,

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essays, speeches and plays.

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This integrated research tool allows

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discovery and analysis of authors,

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works, and literary movements in entirely

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new ways.

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These resources share a very similar interface,

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so it's easy to move between them when doing research.

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Now our trainers will demonstrate these resources

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and their top features.

**Gale In Context Topic Pages**

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Need to get your work done faster?

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Checkout Gale In context.

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Click for fast access to frequently studied topics.

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Browse all issues

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or choose a category.

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Assess your interest in a topic.

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Learn more with additional reference overviews.

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Engage with multimedia coverage.

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Multiple source types and recent coverage

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strengthen your understanding.

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Click to add limiters

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and view sources.

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Save useful results.

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Start your Works Cited with the included citation,

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or use the Cite tool to cite in MLA, APA, or Chicago format.

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**When You Need a Research Topic**

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When you're having trouble choosing a research topic,

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Gale In Context resources provide paths

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to get you started.

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Start by clicking, browse topics,

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where you can generate ideas and choose from

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a list of frequently studied subjects.

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Read the overview on a topic page for a

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quick introduction to key themes.

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To continue building thorough background knowledge,

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check out the reference section.

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These articles are pulled directly from

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trusted encyclopedias.

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If you want to expand your search

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or change your research direction,

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look at related subjects.

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You can also access Topic Finder,

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which provides a graphic organization of results

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related to your search.

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Use it to refine your research, discover

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connections between topics, and find

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sources that fit your needs.

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Navigate to topics that interest you and

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start putting together the sources you need

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for quality research.

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**Narrowing Your Research Topic**

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When you have a broad idea for a research project,

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it can be hard to narrow it down to something specific.

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Gale In Context databases give the

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tools you need to focus your topic

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and find the best sources for your research.

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Start with a reference article or overview

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to build background knowledge, brainstorm

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keywords and develop a specific perspective

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for your research.

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If available,

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continue refining your investigation with Topic Finder,

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which maps themes and sub topics within

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your research.

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Click to discover new search paths and

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immediately access relevant results.

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As you clarify the focus of your research,

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use Advanced Search to target precise

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results and quickly locate materials

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that meet your needs.

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When you find documents to support your project,

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make sure to use the available tools to

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stay organized and save yourself time

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so that you can focus on getting your next A.

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**Gale Literature – Literary Analysis**

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Whether you've just finished reading the latest work

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by a contemporary author,

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or need to find a unique angle for

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covering a classic,

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Gale Literature provides critical essays,

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author biographies, overviews

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and more to take your literary analysis

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to the next level.

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Read biographies and work overviews

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to build an understanding of the personal

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and historical influences behind a work.

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Use the insight into key themes and

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literary elements to narrow a broad

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topic into specific research questions.

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When you've developed an initial thesis,

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examine literature criticism to refine

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and support your investigation.

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Continue brainstorming and exploring subtopics with Topic Finder,

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or limit search results based on key themes

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within the scholarly discussion of a work.

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You may even uncover authors' views

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of their own works,

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which can provide valuable evidence for your analysis.

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As you discover useful sources,

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cite, download, print, or send your sources and

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citations to Google Drive or Microsoft OneDrive.

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Gale Literature simplifies the process

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of starting and managing your research so

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that you can focus on writing a paper that impresses.

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**Gale Tools – Highlights and Notes**

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Record your thoughts, define unknown terms, and organize article excerpts with Highlights and Notes.

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Select a section that you find important.

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Then click Highlight and choose a color.

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Select Notes to write a reminder or description for later.

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Use Download, Send To... or Print to save a marked-up source

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including your Highlights and Notes.

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View All Highlights and Notes gives you all markups made in that session.

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Save your markups to reference them later.

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You can also select unfamiliar words, and Define those terms.

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**Gale Tools - Downloading and Sending to Google Drive and OneDrive**

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Download or export Gale documents to use any time.

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Click Download in the tools bar...

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and you'll get a PDF of the article saved to your computer.

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Any highlights you make will also be in the PDF.

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You can also send documents to GoogleDrive or OneDrive.

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The article will be in a folder named after the Gale resource.

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**Gale Tools – Get Link**

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Easily share trusted Gale information with Get Link!

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Get Link can be found on any article, topic page, or search page.

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Use it to get a link you can copy.

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Easily share the resource with anyone...

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Or even use it on a class website!

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**Gale Tools – Google Classroom Integration**

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Using Gale library resources,

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teachers can take advantage of a seamless integration

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with their Google classroom accounts,

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and easily share content with students.

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When you find a result you want to share with your students,

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click the green Share to Classroom icon.

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Choose your class and action,

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and then follow the same steps you normally do

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when creating a post.

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Once you've finished,

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you'll have the chance to view your post.

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You can also share search results and topic pages

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by going through the same steps.

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If you want to share any highlights and notes you've

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made on an article,

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first, send the document to your Google Drive account.

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Then, make a post on Google Classroom

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and click the Google Drive icon.

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You'll find the article you saved in a folder

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named after the Gale resource you were using.

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Use these tools to enhance your lessons

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and empower your students' learning.