

DISCUS

South Carolina's Virtual Library is an electronic library of essential information and learning resources for all South Carolina citizens.

- **DISCUS** provides Internet accessible subscription resources to all SC public libraries, colleges, public schools and SACS-accredited private schools.
- **DISCUS** insures that South Carolinians have equal access to information of high quality regardless of their local funding or geographic location.
- **DISCUS** selects reliable, up-to-date resources on a wide variety of subjects for all age groups.
- Read more about **DISCUS** at:
www.scdiscus.org



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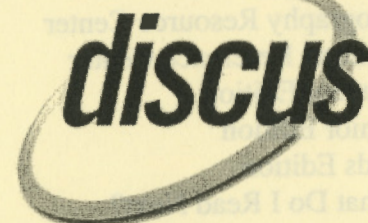
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**Essential
Information
at
Your
Fingertips**

Resources

Gale/InfoTrac: Comprehensive Periodical & Reference Sources

- Biography Resource Center
- General Reference Center
- Student Edition
- Junior Edition
- Kids Edition
- What Do I Read Next?
- Expanded Academic ASAP
- InfoTrac OneFile
- Health Reference Center-Academic
- Health & Wellness Resource Center
- Business & Company ASAP
- Custom Newspapers: NY Times & SC papers (Charleston & Greenville)
- LegalTrac

Grolier Online: Encyclopedias

- Encyclopedia Americana Online
- Grolier Multimedia Encyclopedia
- New Book of Knowledge Online

SIRS: Selected Topics

- SIRS Discoverer
- SIRS Knowledge Source

□ **Elementary/middle school age**

- **All age levels**

How to Access



@Schools Colleges Libraries

Access DISCUS resources from Internet computers at South Carolina schools, colleges and public libraries. Ask your librarian or media specialist for instructions.

For more information, go to:

www.scdiscus.org



@Home

Access DISCUS resources from your home Internet computer 24 hours a day, 7 days a week. Basic information is available at:

www.scdiscus.org

Your librarian or media specialist must provide you with additional instructions needed for home access to DISCUS resources.

DISCUS provides:

- ◆ newspapers
- ◆ news updates
- ◆ magazines
- ◆ professional journals
- ◆ encyclopedias
- ◆ dictionaries
- ◆ reference books
- ◆ photo essays
- ◆ directories
- ◆ maps & charts
- ◆ lesson plans
- ◆ student activities
- ◆ government reports
- ◆ supreme court decisions
- ◆ primary sources
- ◆ historic documents
- ◆ selected links to web sites
- ◆ recommended reading lists
- ◆ almanacs

DISCUS supports:

- ◆ reports and term papers
- ◆ science experiments
- ◆ research projects
- ◆ speech preparation
- ◆ independent study & learning
- ◆ teacher preparation
- ◆ consumer evaluation
- ◆ lesson planning
- ◆ personal interest
- ◆ and much more!!!

