# \*BSHS Library News and Happenings

Please read below for updates from the High School Library!

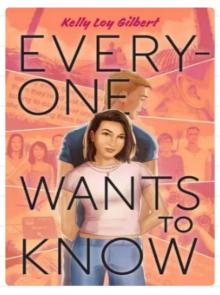
#### **December Reads from Sora**

New year...new eBooks and audiobooks on Sora! Click the books below to borrow three of the new ones from Sora!



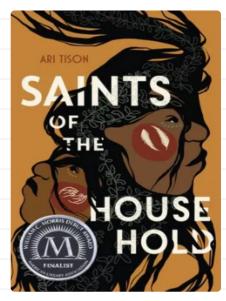
### Threads that Bind by Kika Hatzopoulou

A novel that tells the story of a descendant of one of the Greek Fates, this book is perfect for lovers of myth, mystery, and romance. Also



# Everyone Wants to Know by Kelly Loy Gilbert

Honor's had been on a reality TV show documenting their lives for years, and while the show has ended, they are still in the spotlight. When family drama gets leaked to the



# Saints of the Household by Ari Tison

Told through vignettes and poems, this novel tackles friendship, family, and belonging. Also available as an audiobook and in print!

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internet, Honor has to come to terms with her fame, her friends, and her family. Also available in print!

### Mindful Moments in the Library



As a reminder, we are using <u>calm.com</u> to offer a brief meditation and/or stretch (5-10 minutes) at the beginning of block 1 at 7:35am every Friday. Students should come from class or study hall with a pass to the library that specifically states they are coming for a mindful moment. We can also accommodate class

sign-ups from teachers at different dates and times if you desire and schedule it in advance. Just email me and we can set it up! We have 27 yoga mats and 30 yoga blocks, so we will cap our participation at 27. Everyone participating will be asked to scan a QR code and take an extremely short survey at the end. Can't wait to see you all there!

#### New! New! New!

We have so many new books coming into the library on a regular basis. This month we got a large shipment of fiction books and graphic novels from Follett Looking for something we don't have? Fill out the resources request form below (or on the library website) and let us know!



## Makerspace for January



We have set up a Lunar New Year themed and intention setting Makerspace for the month of January. Stop in to create a dragon corner bookmark or create an intention flower! We also have left our button pin maker out as a continuing Makerspace since it has been so popular. All supplies are provided!

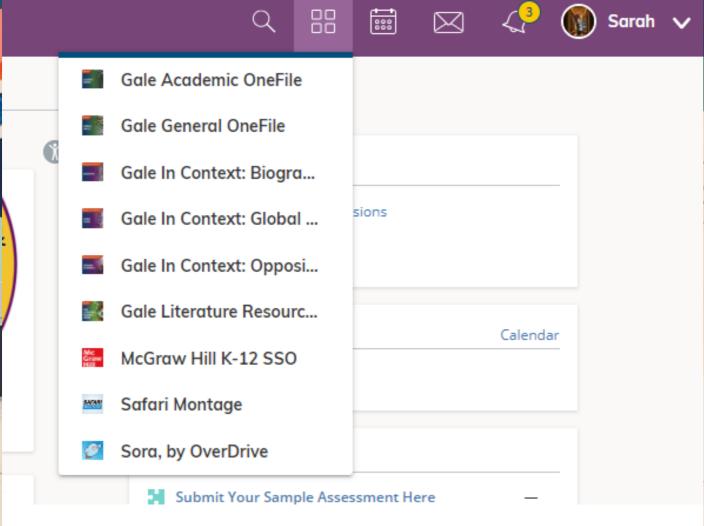
#### **Database of the Month**

Teen Health and Wellness is an online database of content to support information on young adults concerns in areas like nutrition, mental health, guidance, and counseling. My favorite part of this resource is the "Calm Room," which has visual relaxations, nature and animal live cams, mindfulness and meditation



resources, and other resources and apps. You can find this database on <u>Library.fyi</u> under "Health and Science." Check it out!

Sora and many of our Gale databases now integrate with Schoology. This allows teachers and students to search the Sora catalog and the databases without having to sign in using <u>Library.fyi</u>. In order to acces these resources, go to the Schoology "waffle" in the upper right hand corner next to the search and select what resource you want to use. If there is a Gale database you use regularly that you would like added, please let me know and I will have it included.



#### **Collaboration Corner**

Last month, Mr. Hornick's Government classes worked on a public policy project using library databases and NoodleTools to create a preentation. If you want your class to get these lessons, reach out so we can schedule!

We had many other exciting projects this month as well! Contact me if you need me to pull resources, want me to teach a lesson, are interested in some book talks, or if you want to collaborate on a multi-class project! There is nothing too big or too small.

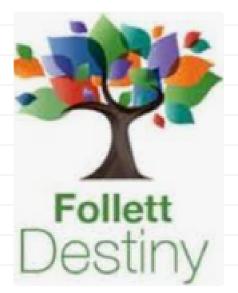
### **Important Links**



Sora



Library.fyi



**Destiny Online Catalog** 



**NoodleTools** 



**Library Website** 



Scottie's Dashboard

## **Resources Request Form**

The google form below can now be found on the library website.



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#### Contact me!

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