

Login Instructions

1. Visit the Pleasantville P.S. website at
<http://www.yrdsb.ca/schools/pleasantville.ps/Pages/default.aspx>
2. Click on the **Library** tab
3. Locate links to all resources under the heading **Virtual Library** on the right; any that don't appear are found by clicking "**more...**" at bottom of the page
4. If required, enter the passwords listed on this page.

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Password: york

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<http://www.thecanadianencyclopedia.com>



<http://school.eb.com/>

User ID: dsbyork

Password: dsby7692



<http://search.ebscohost.com>

User ID: ns018912

Password: password

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<http://library.yrdsb.ca/uhtbin/cgisirsi.exe/?ps=DyVC3ybGPY/C367/264710145/60/1180/X>



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ONLINE LIBRARY CATALOGUE

The [Pleasantville P.S. Online Library Catalogue](#) enables users at school or home to search the Pleasantville library collection for reading and research materials that can be found in our library.

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