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Dear friends,

As schools are going into a very weird “holiday mode”, The Booklegger & Gale, believe that ALL our children should have **FREE** access to the highest quality resources for research (as The Booklegger has been doing for 43 years).

Can you please support your local network too? I don't have contact details for every school in your area, and I know you're brilliant networkers! – can you please share with your regional network?

Suggest they can email me direct if they're not already on my mailing list so I can include them in future free offers.

Two new areas for you to share with your whole school community – **please include families & parents if you can!** Firstly:

Gale reference eBook subscription – your instant reference library online

Easily sortable by reading age: content mediated for years 7-12, the ultimate reference library features:

- Unlimited access reference library on topics appropriate to High School students – worth \$2million
- **Simple tools to sort all content by reading ages**
- Highly intuitive platform, virtually the same as our “In Context” database style, designed for students, simple tools to filter searches from huge numbers of “hits” to 5-20 highly-relevant articles
- Mediated by teacher librarians to ensure content is appropriate to high school curriculum needs and is appropriate for adolescent readers.
- Simple citation tools
- Exceptional collection for **History, Science, Literature, Technology, Health, Religion, Environment, Business, Psychology, Biography, Media, Music etc**

N.B. Gale reference eBook collection is a global resource. It will provide exceptional content for around 50% of year 7-12 research assignments.

Like all major encyclopedias & databases, it is published for an international market. It does have some Australian content, but for many Australian topics, your students are better to use Australian sites.

Free link till at least May 31st 2020 – please share with all teachers, students and school families!

<http://infotrac.galegroup.com/itweb/61book02?db=GVRL-0>

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eBook reference subscription Covers most curriculum areas: Normal subscription price A\$695 (+GST) (under 500 7-12 students) \$1351.50 (under 1,000 7-12 students), \$2288 (over 1,000 7-12 students)

Gale Academic OneFile – featuring intuitive searching techniques (similar to “Gale In Context” platform)

The simplest to use Academic database for Australian year-10 students & teachers:

- Highly intuitive platform, virtually the same as our “In Context” database style, designed for students, simple tools to filter searches from huge numbers of “hits” to 5-20 highly-relevant articles
- extensive reference library, up-to-date periodicals from around the world, peer-reviewed academic content and multimedia library on topics appropriate to High School students
- all articles are “full-text” – you don’t have to go and purchase anything from outside sources
- Copious up-to-date articles from global magazines & newspapers
- Peer-reviewed Academic Journals
- Huge volume of relevant material: e.g. a simple search on “genetics” provides: Academic Journals (491,826) [Magazines \(45,803\)](#) [Books \(744\)](#) [News \(756,653\)](#) [Images \(6\)](#) [Videos \(117\)](#)

A simple sort by Lexile levels 800-1300 – materials with a reading age up to an average year 12 student still yields: Academic Journals (40,121), [Magazines \(8,859\)](#), [Books \(146\)](#), [News \(136,560\)](#), [Images \(1\)](#), [Videos \(25\)](#)

- Powerpack options: separate log-in icons are available for 30 “sub-collections” such as **History, Science, Educator’s Reference, Psychology, Religion & Philosophy, Environment, Fine Arts, Health etc**
- School subscriptions are substantially less than many other academic databases – please compare!

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Academic OneFile and Powerpack databases Normal subscription price A\$1851 (+GST)

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Please ring, text or email me for more information or free training.

More to come soon!

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** from our partner at Gale, Lynette, who is a T-L and expert on school systems:

In the current environment; there are some challenges ahead as schools are facing the possibility of online learning in the near future.

At Gale we can help with remote access to your Gale databases.

We can also help with Learning Management System (LMS) Integration of your Gale databases if you are using Moodle, Blackboard or Canvas.

Please don’t hesitate to contact us if you have any questions

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