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## SF Day Library



Your SF DAY Library is open 24/7. With digital access to Destiny, Sora, and subscription databases, like Britannica, you have the library at your finger tips.

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## Destiny

Destiny is the place to go to access the library's entire collection. It is also where you can manage your library account. With Destiney you can:

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- Find out if a book is available
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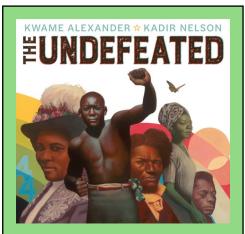
## Databases

The library subscribes to many academic databases to aid in school and personal research projects. They include:

- Britannica
- CultureGrams
- Gale in Context
- Oxford English Dictionary
- Newsela

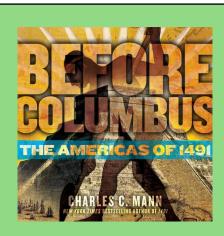
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## New and Recommended Books



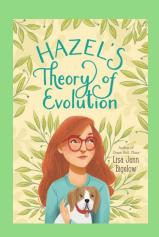
Originally performed for ESPN's The Undefeated, this poem is a love letter to black life in the United States. It highlights the unspeakable trauma of slavery, the faith and fire of the civil rights movement, and the grit, passion, and perseverance of some of the world's greatest heroes.

Grades K-8 Picture Book, 32 pages



Mann's successful adult book 1491 (2006) is reshaped here for a younger audience, to good effect. Certainly, the material is fascinating. Mann's major point is that much of what's considered common knowledge about the Americas is now under reconsideration. Moreover, new discoveries make possible a rethinking of civilization's beginnings altogether.

> Grades 3-6 Nonfiction, 116 pages



Hazel knows a lot about the world. That's because when she's not hanging with her best friend, taking care of her dog, or helping care for the goats on her family's farm, she loves reading through dusty encyclopedias. But even Hazel doesn't have answers for the questions awaiting her as she enters eighth grade.

> Grades 5-8 , 116 pages



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