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Literature Resources and Criticism Selected by Literary Experts

Library Journal **Best Databases for High Schoolers**
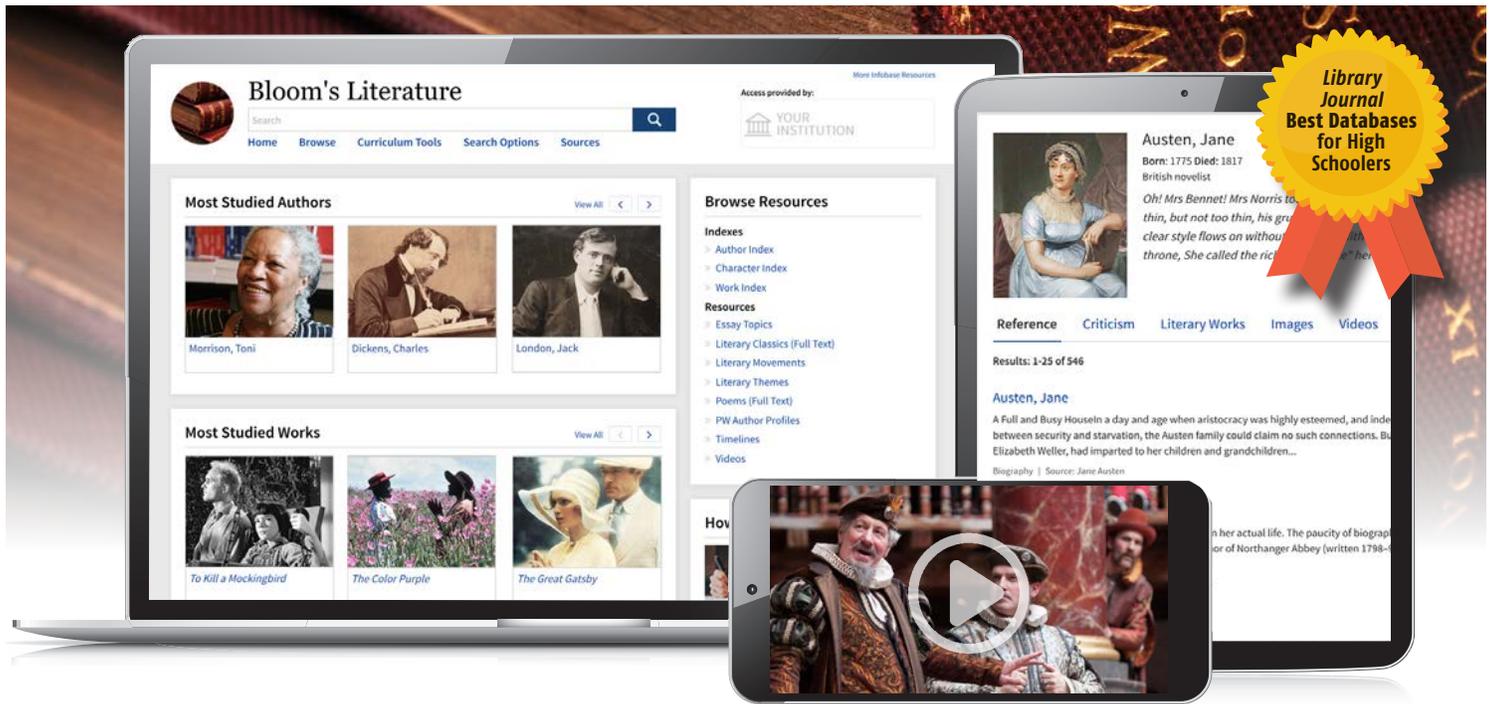
LibraryWorks
Modern Library Awards Platinum Honoree

Library Journal Best Database

The ComputED Gazette *TWO-TIME WINNER!*
Best Educational Software Award (BESSIES)

The ComputED Gazette
Education Software Review Award (EDDIES)

SIIA CODiE Award Finalist

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"…**highly recommended**."—AMERICAN REFERENCE BOOKS ANNUAL

"…incredibly interesting and valuable…**should be in every library, if not every English classroom**."
—THE COMPUTED GAZETTE

"For literary criticism, author information, and writing help…***Bloom's Literature…is key***."
—LIBRARY JOURNAL

"**Recommended**."—SCHOOL LIBRARY CONNECTION

Complete, Yet Curated, Coverage of the Most Studied Authors and Their Works…and More!

Bloom's Literature offers a wealth of relevant content on the authors and works most studied in the high school curriculum, multicultural classics, contemporary literature, and more. Students will find exactly what they need without having to wade through an uncurated search. Educators will appreciate the thoughtful organization and important curriculum tools to help with lesson plans, assignments, and independent study.

Highlights and Features:

- **Support** for 1:1 initiatives, blended instruction, flipped classrooms, and project-based learning
- **Authoritative source list:** thousands of scholarly and critical books, peer-reviewed journals, and other periodicals

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- **Shakespeare Center** housing in one convenient location a treasure trove of content on all things Shakespeare, including in-depth coverage of each of his plays; analysis of his sonnets and longer poems; the full, searchable text of all of his plays; performance videos; scholarly criticism; extensive background essays; "How to Write about" entries; essay topics; and more

- **Full-length videos of classic plays and films:** 750+ videos of great literary works—including *Julius Caesar* (starring John Gielgud)—plus video clips featuring major scholars such as Harold Bloom discussing important literary topics

- **Essay topics:** 10,000+ topics providing research and writing suggestions. Educators can also use them as a starting point for discussions, lessons, activities, or homework assignments

- **Author print and podcast interviews:** 4,750+ *Publishers Weekly* interviews and profiles from 1989 to the present, covering literary prizewinners, YA novelists, best sellers, poets, nonfiction writers, and more

- **Bloom's How to Write about Literature:** exclusive, specific, student-friendly guidance on the most frequently assigned authors and works of literature

- **Literary Classics eBook shelf** containing the full texts of 1,000+ classic works

- **Topic Centers:** specially selected content on major literary eras and movements, providing a starting point for research on frequently studied topics

- **Full-text poems:** 2,600+ searchable, full-text poems, with corresponding analytical entries

- **Works:** overviews, synopses, analyses, and literary criticism of thousands of works

- **Topics and themes:** in-depth entries on literary movements, groups, periodicals, and historical events that help place literature in context

- **Characters:** information on 49,000+ literary characters

- **Authors:** a wealth of content on contemporary and classic writers from around the world

- **Harold Bloom's Canon of Literature**

- **Dynamic citations**

- **Browsable timelines**

- Student and educator curriculum tools, including "Teaching Literature through Film"

- Complete A-to-Z indexes for authors, characters, and works

- Tag "clouds" for all content

- Searchable by standards

- Share to Google Classroom

- Save to Google Drive

- Single sign-on with Google or Microsoft

- A variety of integration options and partners, including Schoology, Canvas, and D2L

- Read Aloud tool; Google Translate; persistent record links; Search Assist

- Users can set default preferences

- Searchable Support Center