The Library is a crucial part of Creighton’s identity and mission. During their time at Creighton, students will be expected to learn and apply the principles of information literacy by properly using the library’s physical and electronic resources. They will also use the library as a place to study, rest, and recuperate.

This RSP activity will introduce the library to new students through a simple, open-ended “treasure hunt” which should take less than an hour to complete. In the course of the hunt, students will visit critical locations in the library (the circulation desk, the research center, and one of our study areas) and access specific library resources in a variety of formats (books, electronic journal articles, and items on reserve at the circulation desk). The hunt will be structured such that students can discover these resources for themselves with minimal formal explanation.

Upon completing the hunt students will be rewarded with a branded library coffee mug. They will leave with a basic understanding of library terminology, as well as a working knowledge of the library’s layout and resources.

Contact us by September 1st if you would like to enroll your students in the Quest for the Cup!

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CCAS Learning Outcome 2.1.1:

“Students will develop the basic skills of information literacy, including searching for information, critically evaluating information from sources, and appropriately using and citing information.”