

BPL Tech Card: Access for All

Bentonville Public Library

About BPL

Our Mission

 To engage our community, encourage discovery, and promote literacy by offering lifelong learning opportunities

Library Services for BPS

- Free cards for faculty/staff
- Library tours
- Classroom visits
- Curriculum support
- Youth Literature Festival







Program Purpose & Goals

Access for Every Student

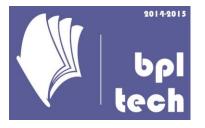
- Digital Literacy
- Information Literacy
- School classroom use
- Support education and homework
- Support curriculum development for teachers



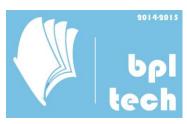
Phased Implementation

2014-2015

- Bright Field Middle
- Fulbright Junior High









2015-2016

- Apple Glen Elementary
- Lincoln Junior High
- Mary Mae Jones Elementary
- Old High Middle
- RE Baker Elementary
- Ruth Hale Barker Middle
- Thomas Jefferson Elementary
- Washington Junior High
- Willowbrook Elementary

2016-2017

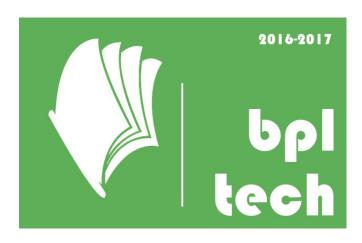
- Ardis Ann Middle
- Bentonville High
- Bentonville West
- Centerton Gable Elementary
- Central Park Elementary
- Cooper Elementary
- Elm Tree Elementary
- Haas Hall Academy
- Sugar Creek Elementary



Packet Contents

Contents

- BPL Tech Card
- Promotional Card
- Teacher's Guide / FAQs
- Student Guide







Promotional Cards





- Distributed to all students with library card attached
- Highlight most valuable resources for educators and parents
- Easy to change the color from year to year
- Parental information letters



Logistics for Distribution & Use

- Each classroom receives:
 - Large promotional cards students take these home for parental review
 - Classroom set of Tech Cards (on a ring) for classroom use
- How to distribute Tech Cards:
 - Teachers distribute cards at beginning of lesson
 - Gather cards at end of lesson and keep on rings for next use
 - Can distribute cards to students at end of school year for summer use (cards expire Aug 1st each year)
- How to use Tech Cards:
 - Find resource to use in Student Portal under "Grades K-4"
 - Type in Tech Card number (back of card)
 - Type in Pin # 1234



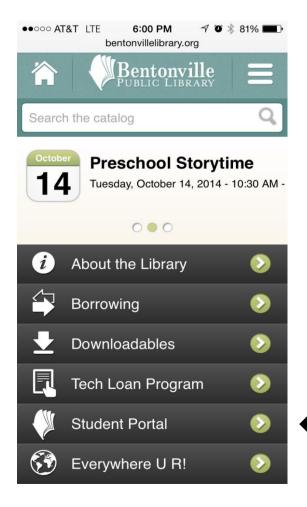


Student Portal Location - Access

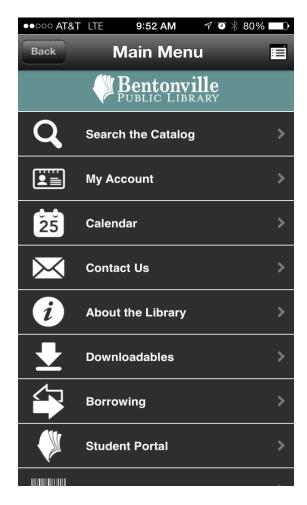




Mobile Site & App - Access



Student
 portal is
 accessible
 from both
 mobile site
 & app

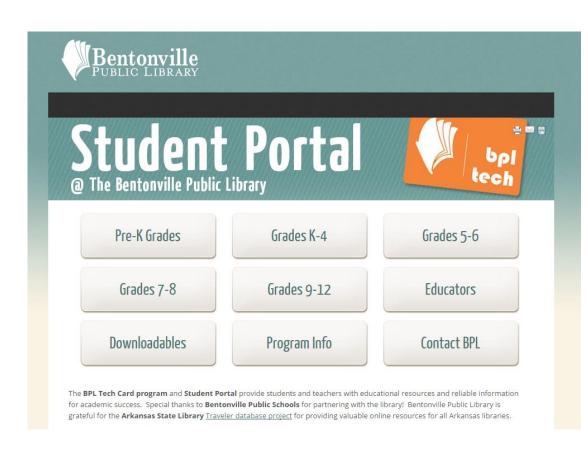




Student Portal

Streamlined Interface

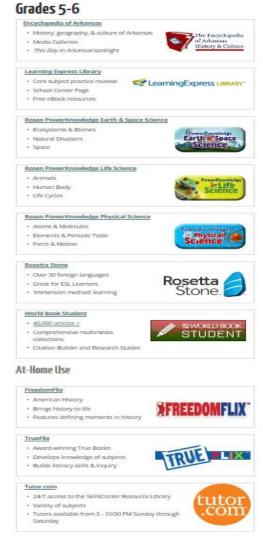
- Categorized by grade levels
- Educator resources
 - Lesson plans
 - Curriculum support
 - Bookmarks to download
 - Scavenger Hunts for students





Databases & Online Learning





- Brief descriptions
- Featured resources
- lcons for visual recognition



Resources for Middle School

















Additional Resources – In Home Use







www.bentonvillelibrary.org/student-portal



Downloadables





- Something for all ages – kids through adult
- eBooks
- Audiobooks
- Music
- Storybooks
- Magazines



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