

Big6 Lesson Format	Subject: Language Arts Lesson Name: Copyright Grades: 5-8	Unit: Researching
<p>Subject/Area Objectives: I will be able to tell what “copyright” and “plagiarism” mean. I will know how to give credit to my sources. I will know how to find citation information.</p>	<p>Big6 Skills: Task Definition: Define copyright and properly cite a source using LiLI citation tools. Information Seeking Strategies: citation guide, teacher, LiLI Location & Access: Book, magazine, encyclopedia, LiLI database, website. Use of Information: Find correct citation information in each of the following types of sources: Book, magazine, encyclopedia, LiLI database, website. Synthesis: Using citation tools create a bibliography with one of each of the above. Evaluation: Judge if citations were accurate.</p>	<p>Activities: Introduction: Play thumbs up/thumbs down game using examples included. Keep track of what the class decides. Note: all of the examples are copyright violations.</p> <p>Discussion: Definition of copyright and plagiarism.</p> <p>Show students’ examples of proper citations according to your school’s chosen method.</p> <p>Demonstration: Demonstrate how to find the citation information in each source: book, magazine, encyclopedia, LiLI databases, and website.</p> <p>Individually: Assign students to choose look at a website and compare it to an article on LiLI about the same topic to decide if they are reliable.</p>

Materials/Resources: books, magazines, encyclopedia, Internet and LiLI access

Evaluation: Did students properly cite sources?

Notes: LiLI databases vary in how to access citation information.

Thumbs Up/Thumbs Down (Copyright Examples)

1. Scott had basketball practice last night and didn't have time to do his homework. Justin let him copy his answers the next morning before school.
2. Manny has to write a paragraph about water for school. He finds one on the Internet and copies it onto his paper.
3. Samantha has to write a report about dogs for school. She finds some information about dogs in a book. She writes her own first sentence and copies the rest from the book.
4. Nate really likes the song his friend Blake has on his IPOD. Nate downloads the song from Blake's IPOD onto his own.
5. Marybeth finds a great picture on the internet to use in her report about butterflies. She copies and pastes the picture onto the front of her report.
6. Alex hears of a website where he can download movies. He downloads one and watches it with his family.
7. Juanita gets a very funny card for her birthday. She scans the picture and emails it to all of her friends.
8. Jessica finds lots of good information in books for her report on dogs. She copies a little bit from each book and puts it all in her report. She then writes her own introduction and conclusion.
9. Robert's friend Jeff tells Robert his password so Robert can go on an online game site for free and play games that cost everyone else \$10 a month to play.
10. Lisa downloads a song from the internet and uses the whole song for music in her school PowerPoint presentation.