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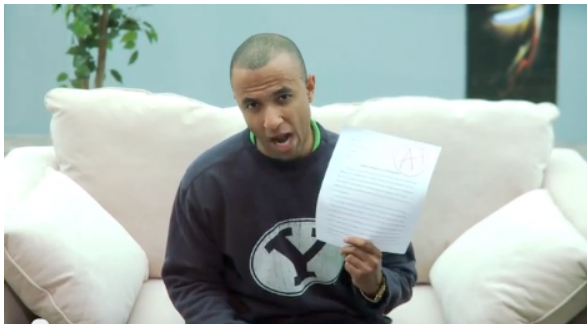
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## Mira Costa High School Orientation Scavenger Hunt @your Mira Costa Library

You can work with one partner and complete a sheet together. One free QR reader you can download is **i-nigma**. Have fun!

1. Politely introduce yourself to the library's Teacher Librarian. She is the only library staff member, but the library also has volunteers here to help you. Please be polite to them, too! What the Teacher Librarian's name? \_\_\_\_\_ (Spelling counts!) Check here after you introduce yourself. \_\_\_\_\_
2. Open the Chrome web browser, and go to the website for your email account. Login with your username and password. Send a simple email to your partner. Initial here to confirm that you were both able to access your email and send a message. Then, be sure to log out. Partner 1 confirmation: \_\_\_\_\_ Partner 2 confirmation: \_\_\_\_\_
3. If you have a Google account, login at docs.google.com. Create a new document and click **Untitled document** and give it a name. If you don't have an account, go to the Tech page on the library website and check the links for how to create a Google account and how to create and share a Google Document. Initial to confirm that you created a document or that you read the tutorial information so you can create an account: Partner 1 confirmation: \_\_\_\_\_ Partner 2 confirmation: \_\_\_\_\_
4. Find the QR clue posted by the dictionaries and atlases, then visit the library catalog to find a book on that topic by entering the topic as a **keyword search**. Write down the title \_\_\_\_\_, Call Number \_\_\_\_\_ (including letters), and publication year \_\_\_\_\_ of the **most recently-published non-fiction** book in our library on that topic. Hint: Enter your term, click on **Keywords**, then sort by **Date**, and look for the most recent non-fiction title.
5. Visit the Fiction (FIC) section and find the name of an author whose last name starts with the same letter as yours or your partner. Write down the author \_\_\_\_\_ and the title of one of his/her books \_\_\_\_\_ . Feel free to check out the book to read!
6. Go to the Mira Costa Destiny Library Catalog online and login to your own account. Select **My info**, and note what books you have checked out (*both library books and textbooks*). To login, use your permanent ID number as your username and **destiny** as your password. How many books do you have checked out? Student 1 \_\_\_\_\_ Student 2 \_\_\_\_\_

7. Go to Easybib.com and open an account. Put in the coupon code **mchs201314** to create a premium account. Be sure to use Easybib to help you with citations, notes, and sources when you do research. Check here after you set up a premium account. Student 1 \_\_\_\_\_  
Student 2 \_\_\_\_\_
8. Look near the book display in the Reference Section to find a QR code clue for a book by John Green. Using the library catalog, find out how many copies our library has of this book. Hint: There is more than one edition. \_\_\_\_\_
9. On the library website, select Research -> Databases and ebooks, then select **EBSCO eBook High School Collection**, our newest subscription database and ebook collection. Enter the username **miracostahs** and the password **library**. Browse or search the collection, and write the name of a book that looks interesting to you: You are welcome to read the book online or even download it to a mobile device.  
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Student 2: \_\_\_\_\_ subscribed to the blog by email, \_\_\_\_\_ follow the library on Twitter \_\_\_\_\_ and/or "liked" the Facebook page.



Remember the Old Spice Guy's Message:

Students who use the library more are better students!



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