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# ESVM LIBRARY

## NEWS

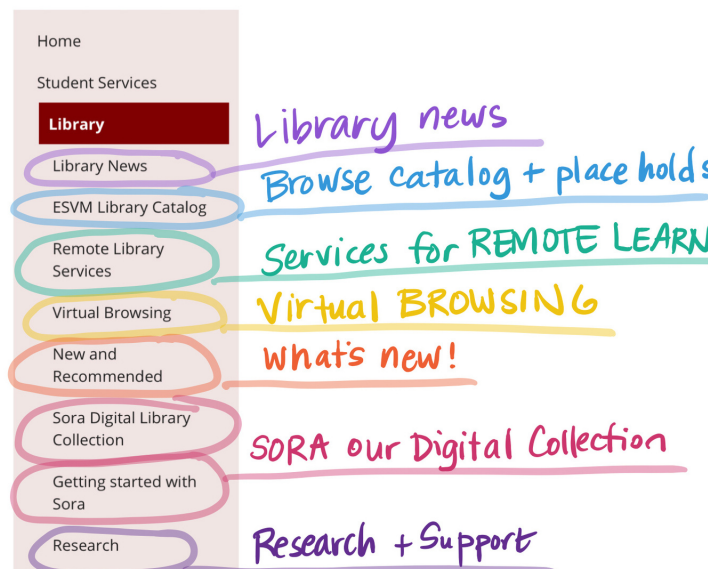


### Welcome!

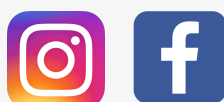
Mrs. Eichenlaub and Mrs. Chamberlin are excited for the school year ahead. For our returning students, there are be some big changes in our physical space and our safety protocols. But what stays the same is our commitment to providing excellent, friendly service and support to our CHRHS community, whether you are learning at-home or in-person.

### New Website Content:

- Parent Technology Resources - virtual technology orientation on Schoology and how to set up your parent Schoology account.
- Remote Library Services - whether you're learning at-home or in-person, we are here to help!
- Library News - an archive of our newsletters, infographics and more.
- Virtual Welcome and Orientation - new website content to orient new students to the library and our safety protocols.



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## Safely Re-Opening the ESVM Library

Planning for the re-opening of the ESVM Library during COVID-19 has taken collaboration, creativity, critical thinking, and lots of communication! Mrs. E and Mrs. C attended a webinar in August hosted by the Maine Association of School Libraries on the topic of safely re-opening Maine school libraries. With panelists from the Department of Education, the Maine CDC, the Maine State Library and the Maine Library Association, we learned so much. Following that, Mrs. E met with our administrators about room set-up and occupancy, protocols and procedures, and communicated with our head custodian and head of maintenance. The final touch was trying to get the message out to our primary users -- our students. We recruited some of our colleagues to help us create an informational (but also fun) [video](#)!

*We are committed to providing equitable access to the resources of the ESVM Library for all learners, including -- the physical and electronic collections, services, and programs that we offer, as well as to their librarians. With that in mind, students will have an orientation to the new protocols and procedures in the library prior to their first visit.*

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If the print is too small to read the infographic at right, no need to grab your reading glasses, just click [here](#)!

