Social Movements Research Pathfinder

Finding Print Sources

- Go to CHS website: <u>http://www.clayton.k12.mo.us/Page/1085</u>
- Click on CHS Catalog.
- Type in keywords for your topic (Ex: Stonewall) then hit enter.
- Select appropriate titles from the list. Click on a certain title to see the location in the library (example: nf means nonfiction, then the number).
- Write down the call number (example: 306.76 CAR).
- Locate the call number within the nonfiction shelving area of the library (moveable shelves). If you need assistance, ask a librarian.
- Review the book and check it out if appropriate for your research.
- Check your public library for titles.

• Request a Washington University InfoPass.

The CHS Library/librarians can issue you a pass to visit and checkout titles at WashU Olin Library. You take the paper pass to Olin Library and present the pass when you are ready to checkout a book from their collection. You are responsible for returning books on time to Olin.

Use the CHS Online Databases to find primary and secondary sources. Go to CHS Online Databases: <u>http://www.clayton.k12.mo.us/Page/1106</u>

General Online Encyclopedias: Discovering Collection, Britannica, WorldBook will provide you with background information, keywords, key people and information that can help you further research your topic. They also sometimes link to primary sources, videos and secondary sources.

Opposing Viewpoints/CQ Researcher give students extensive amounts of news and magazine sources and reports on a variety of current issues and social movements.

U.S. History in Context/World History in Context will give you access to reference, magazine and news articles and academic journal articles. Use basic search box for searching topic. The number of articles under each type of source will be listed to the right of each. For example, if it reads *Academic Journals (35)*, click on "Academic journals" to display all the articles on your topic.

JSTOR: Type in username and password. Select "advanced search" under main search box. On advanced search page, type in topic, then select Item Title or full-text from drop-down option to the right of the search box. Selecting "item title" means JSTOR will search for articles with topic in the title. "Full-text" selection searches for articles that mention your topic someone in the article. You may add a second search term in the second box. Once again, you can try selecting "item title" or "full-text" search.

Finding Reliable Websites

WebPath Express: Go to CHS Library website. Click on catalog. Click on log-in located in upper right-hand corner. Log-in with same username and password you use to log into CHS computers. Click on catalog again. Select WebPath Express from left-hand menu. Type in topic in search box. WebPath Express offers access to reputable websites with reliable information.

New York Times: Students have automatic access from school to New York Times articles 1980-present. Many of the social movements, especially the most recent ones, will be covered in the New York Times.