**Pathfinder (Research Tools): Science Fair**

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1. Gale Research in Context Grades 6-8 (reference, magazine, and news information)

* “Science” (this may help give you some ideas) –or--
* Search Bar (e.g., “alternative energy”)
* Use the “See Also” links to give you additional information on closely related topics

Scroll to the bottom of the article or click on “citation tools” to correctly site your information. Compile this information into one document that you will add to as you research.

1. Digital Science Online (cool images, animations, and videos)

* Search for your topic (or browse topic ideas) under “subjects”
* Search Bar (e.g., “bones”)

1. eThemes (research for any topic, but also lists science experiments)

* click on “listed alphabetically” (at bottom of home page)
* Go to “S”
* Browse the “science experiment” topics
* Research by using the search bar to find additional info on your chosen experiment

***To login to Online Library at Home:***

Username: online  
Password: research

**Citing Your Sources (Bibliography)**

* In the “Gale” research section of Utah’s Online Library, copy the citation information found at the bottom of each article.

Another option:

* **bibme.org**
  + Use “APA” style for science class
  + Click on “Website” (if that is where your source is coming from)
  + Paste in the website you’re citing
  + Click “select”
  + Click “final step”
  + Copy and paste your correctly cited entry into a blank document. Once you have compiled all your sources, put them in alphabetical order.