Fall 2021 Library Workshops

To sign up for a workshop click here.

MLA Workshops
Need to use MLA for your research papers? Join a Librarian for a 30-minute workshop covering the basics for MLA in-text citations and Works Cited lists or bring your Works Cited to one of the drop-in sessions. Leave with tips, tricks, and tools that will help you nail your MLA citations!

APA Workshops
APA formatting has a lot of rules, and reference pages are complicated! Your class requires you to use this format but you've never done it (or never done it well). Drop by this 30 minute workshop so we can show you how to make it work, and also give you plenty of resources you can use for future assignments!

Plagiarism: What it is and How to Avoid it
Don't be the student whose paper is rejected because Turnitin says you plagiarised! Learn what plagiarism is and how to avoid it.

Good Source or Fake News?
Not sure if your source is valid? Confused by fake news or disinformation on the internet? Worried that the websites you're using might not be good enough for your professor? Drop in and we'll go over what you've found! We can determine if what you have is good, and teach you how to confirm your sources in the future.

In-Person Library Hours:
Monday to Thursday 10am to 4pm
Face masks required inside the Library
LATINX HERITAGE MONTH

**Audiobooks and eBooks**

- **I Not Your Perfect Mexican Daughter**
  A poignant but often laugh-out-loud funny contemporary YA about losing a sister and finding yourself amid the pressures, expectations, and stereotypes of growing up in a Mexican-American home.

- **Loose Woman**
  A candid, sexy and wonderfully mood-strewn collection of poetry that celebrates the female aspects of love, from the reflective to the overtly erotic.

- **Enrique’s Journey**
  Enrique’s Journey recounts the unforgettable quest of a Honduran boy looking for his mother, eleven years after she is forced to leave her starving family to find work in the United States.

- **Latinx Environmentalisms**
  Building on insights of environmental justice scholarship as well as critical race and ethnic studies, the contributors to Latinx Environmentalisms map the ways Latinx cultural texts integrate environmental concerns with questions of social and political justice.

**Films and Documentaries**

- **Latino Americans**
  Latino Americans is the first major documentary series for television to chronicle the rich and varied history and experiences of Latinos, who have helped shape North America over the last 500-plus years and have become, with more than 50 million people, the largest minority group in the U.S.

- **Zoot Suit**
  When barrio leader Henry Reyna and his friends are unjustly convicted on circumstantial evidence, activist lawyers Alice Bloomfield and George Shearer fight the blatant racially motivated miscarriage of justice to win them their freedom.
Online Library Help

Questions about accessing library databases, getting research help, citations, instruction, and more

- Chat with a Librarian
- Text your questions to 650-535-8398
- Schedule a Zoom research appointment with a Librarian

Online Librarian Help Hours
Monday to Thursday: 8am to 9pm
Friday: 8am to 3pm
Saturday: 10am to 2pm

Questions about checking out technology, textbooks, and more

- Ask Technology Chat (only for college issued technology)
- Email canlibrary@smccd.edu

Banned Books Week
Sept. 26th - Oct. 2nd

Banned Books Week is an annual celebration of the freedom to read granted by the First Amendment of the United States Constitution. This special week highlights the many debates and legal struggles over these rights. Books are still challenged at public and school libraries in the present day.

Learn more about banned books and censorship through our Online Library Guide.
Stream a Scary Movie Through Kanopy

**AUDITION**
This J-Horror movie is a modern classic! Interviewing a series of women, Shigeharu becomes enchanted by Asami, a quiet, 24-year-old, who is immediately responsive to his charms. But soon things take a very dark and twisted turn as we find that Asami isn't what she seems to be...

**HOUSE ON HAUNTED HILL**
A true classic from William Castle and Vincent Price, this spooky, campy tale tells the story of five strangers who are offered $10,000 each by an eccentric millionaire to spend the night in a haunted house.

**MIDSOMMAR**
An American couple, their relationship floundering, travel to a fabled Swedish midsummer festival where they become trapped in a sinister nightmare.

**LITTLE SHOP OF HORRORS**
A clumsy florist grows a giant talking plant with a taste for human flesh. In order to whet his plant's appetite, he is forced to kill, leading to horrific - and comedic - results.
**Spooky Books for Dark Nights**

Find them at the Cañada College Library

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**The Living Mummy and Other Stories**
Everything a horror fan could ask for: re-animated corpses, a ghoul who stores bodies, a vampire who moonlights at a blood bank . . .

**The Fall of the House of Usher and Other Stories**
Five of Edgar Allan Poe's classic tales for all your spooky needs.

**American Gothic Tales**
Anthology of over 40 gothic American stories from authors like Washington Irving, Stephen King, and Anne Rice. Edited by Joyce Carol Oats.

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**Music in the Horror Film: Listening to Fear**
These essays delve into blockbusters like The Exorcist, The Shining, and The Sixth Sense, with lesser known films like Carnival of Souls and The Last House on the Left.

**Nailbiter Vol 1: There Will be Blood**
Where do serial killers come from and why has Buckaroo, Oregon given birth to sixteen of the most vile in the world? NSA Agent Nicholas Finch needs to solve that mystery.

**My Friend Dahmer: A Graphic Novel**
Derf Backderf remembers and tries to make sense of Jeffrey Dahmer, the high school friend and future serial killer with whom he shared his teenage years.

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