

Wahoo Public Schools

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Dear elementary parents,

Over the years, Wahoo Public Schools has built a solid library collection, which you and your child(ren) are able to search at any time (link: http://wahoo.follettdestiny.com). As always, parents are invited to assist their children in selecting the best titles for them to check out during library time.

In addition to our print book collection, I am writing this letter to make sure you are all aware of our robust eBook collection, which we initiated about five years ago, along with a consortium of 35 other schools in Northeast Nebraska. To date, this collection now contains over 16,000 titles (many with multiple copies), with over 1,000 titles added each year, and can be accessed by you and your child(ren) 24/7!

The district's eBook collection can be accessed in one of two ways:

1) On any Internet browser (Explorer, Chrome, Firefox, Safari):

- Go to www.wahooschools.org.
- Click on "Quick Links" (right side of the website) and then click on the "Elementary eBooks" button.
- Click "Login" on the upper right side of the page.
- Type your child's user name (i.e. Library Card ID) and password (i.e. PIN), and click "Login."
- Search, check out, and read your eBooks.

2) On a smart phone or tablet (any iOS [iPhone, iPad], Windows, or Android device)



- Download the free Axis 360 app onto your device.
- Click in the "Search for My Library" field at the top of the screen.
- Type "Wahoo" and click "Search."
- Click on "Wahoo Elementary"
- Type your child's user name (i.e. Library Card ID) and password (i.e. PIN), and click "Login."
- Search, check out, and read your eBooks.

STUDENT USER NAMES & PASSWORDS

All students in the district are assigned a user name and password, which they will use until they graduate high school, to access all of the district's digital resources. All user names and passwords follow the same pattern (user name = student's first initial, last name, year of graduation; Password = year of graduation, student's first and last initial, student's PowerSchool number.

EXAMPLE (Rufus Hipplehinker is a 5th grader, graduates in 2026, and has a PowerSchool number of 12345)

USER NAME: rhipplehinker26 PASSWORD: 26rh12345

All students grades 3-5 should have their user names and passwords memorized. Our younger students will not yet know this information, so you can either figure it out on your own (you can log into PowerSchool to find your student's number), or **BETTER YET: SIMPLY EMAIL ME** (<u>dprivett@wahoowarriors.org</u>), and I'll reply with your child's user name and password for you.

Our eBook system is a valuable resource, and I encourage you to explore it actively with your child(ren). Please contact me if you have any questions or concerns (call my office at 402-443-4332, ext. 3232, or email me at doprivett@wahoowarriors.org).

Happy reading!

David Privett District Media Director