"Gone Girl," written by Gillian Flynn is a thrilling novel that will keep you guessing from cover to cover. Flynn tells the tale of Nick Dunne who is accused of murder when his wife mysteriously disappears on their five year anniversary. The book transitions from Nick’s point of view to his wife Amy’s journey entries every other chapter. The two different points of views cause questions to arise in the reader’s mind. Gillian Flynn skillfully calculates every detail of the mystery giving just enough information to keep the reader guessing. If you enjoy plot twists and suspense, this is most certainly the book for you. This exciting murder mystery could be enjoyed by men or women of any age from teenagers to adults.

"Gone Girl," has now been made into a major motion picture staring Ben Affleck as Nick Dunne and Rosamund Pike as Amy Dunne. Both actors capture their character’s essence perfectly. The movie follows along with the book, only leaving out minor details. I strongly suggest, however, reading the book before watching the movie. Both the movie and the book will shock viewers with the story’s stunning plot twist and keep its audience wanting more.

BE A LITERACY BUDDY
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- One-on-one Assistance
- Help with learning English
- Help with phonics and reading skills
- Math and Language Arts tutoring
- Provide homework help
Teen Interview

Student: Osimhe Enike-Ekhelar
Grade: 11th
School: Kingsway Regional High School

Why do you like volunteering?: I like helping my literacy buddies because I had someone help me like that when I was younger and it made a good impact on my academics and my learning ability.

Future Goals: I would like to go to a good college and run an architecture firm in a major city.

Hobbies: I play guitar and the ukulele and I love reading and watching movies.

QUOTES

“Unless someone like you cares a whole awful lot, nothing is going to get better. It’s not” — Dr. Seuss

“Once you replace negative thoughts with positive ones, you’ll start having positive results.” - Willie Nelson

“Whatever you are, be a good one.” - Abraham Lincoln

“A real friend is one who walks in when the rest of the world walks out.” - Walter Winchell

“Always do your best. What you plant now, you will harvest later.” - Og Mandino

TEEN VOLUNTEERS WANTED

Teen volunteer applications are available at your local GCLS Branch Library.

Students ages 12-17 are encouraged to apply.
Thoughts on *The Catcher in the Rye* by J. D. Salinger

The *Catcher in the Rye* by J. D. Salinger was one of the best books I have read. At first it seemed hard to relate to Holden who seemed spoiled and self-absorbed. But, as I went through the book, I realized that his wealthy background didn’t guarantee him happiness. It was actually his family’s wealth that was a source of his unhappiness and confusion. What he really needed was to have a legitimate connection with someone.

- Osimhe Enike-Ekhelar

NEW ITEMS AT SWEDESBORO

- *The Ghosts of Heaven* by Marcus Sedgwick
- *Hold Tight, Don’t Let Go* by Laura Rose Wagner
- *Bullied Kids Speak Out: We Survived by How You Can Too* by Jodee Blanco
- *Audacity* by Melanie Crowder
- *Fifteen Rabbits* by Felix Salten
- *The Darkest Part of the Forest* by Holly Black
- *Uglies* by Scott Westerfeld
- *Place Hacking: Venturing Off Limits* by Michael J. Rosen
SWEDESBORO:

Teen/Tween Writers' Club—2nd Mondays—April 13 & May 11—7:00 pm
Anime—4th Mondays—Monday April 27—5:00 pm
Teen/Tween Book Club—2nd Thursdays—April 9 & May 14—7:00 pm
Gaming—3rd Thursdays—April 16 & May 21—6:30 pm

MULLICA HILL:

Dungeons & Dragons Club Meeting—Saturday, April 18—10:00 am
Anime Club—Fridays, April 10, 17, & 24 and May 1, 8, 15, & 22—3:00 pm
Arduino Hack Night—Mondays, April 13 & May 11—6:30 pm
B.E.L.I.E.F. Program—Mondays, April 27 & May 18—6:00 pm
3-D Herd Club—Tuesdays, April 7 & 21 and May 5 & 19—4:00 pm
3-D Printer Certification—Wednesday, April 15 and Thursdays April 2 & 30, May 7 & 21—6:30 pm
Art with Erika—Wednesdays, April 15 & May 30—6:30 pm
Learn the Art of Sketch—Wednesday, May 13—7:00 pm

GAN:

Learn how to Code—Thursday, April 16—4:00 pm

GLASSBORO:

Homework Connection—Mondays, April 6, 13, 20, & 27—4:00 pm
Teen Advisory Board—Friday, May 8—4:00 pm
Make & Take Flower Gardening—Wednesday, May 27—7:00 pm

GREENWICH:

Chess Club—Wednesdays, April 8, 15, 22, & 29 and May 6, 13, 20, 27—6:00 pm
Star Wars Characters—Saturday, April 18—11:00 am

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