



1. WVLS Gale Courses Launch on Thursday

Gale Courses will go live to library patrons on Thursday, November 1.

Anne will be sending an email later today about getting the course information on your library's website. In the meantime, [here is a social media share for you](#). Jamie also posted a video on the [WVLS Facebook page](#) that can be shared on your library's page.

All resources for your library are available here. <https://wvls.org/gale-courses/>

2. State News

- The Annual Report is a means for reporting library activities and services as they are measured. As an example, if the library cannot afford a "people counter" at the entrance or encounters difficulty with counter operation, **then "survey week" numbers should be collected** during a representative week in the fall (the Public Library Development team recommends one week in April and another week in October)..[Read More](#).

3. National News

- Thinking you might have extra candy at the library this week? The "5 Minute Librarian" talks about ["What to Do With Leftover Halloween Candy."](#)
- The webinar, ["How to Write More Effective Email and Web Content."](#) will be held at 2 p.m. on Wednesday, November 28, provided by InfoPeople.

4. Order Your 2019 WISCAT License (Repeat)

It's time to order a 2019 WISCAT license! A license remains \$200 per calendar year per library code for access to all WISCAT functionality. To learn more about WISCAT, visit our [WISCAT Licensing](#) page. To place an order, please use the [online order form](#). [Read more...](#)

5. Listening Session in Westboro (Repeat)

The final WVLS Listening Session of 2018 will be held from 9:30 a.m.-11:30 a.m. at the Westboro Public Library on Tuesday, Nov. 13. We invite WVLS member library directors or a proxy to have an informal conversation and ask questions of WVLS Staff. Refreshments will be provided.

Please RSVP with Jamie Matczak at jmatczak@wvls.org or 920-455-0668.