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Subject selectors will complete this form as requested, assessing library materials and collections as detailed below. Send one copy of the assessment to the faculty member who requested it. Send one copy of the assessment to the Collection Management Officer.

Course: EDC 586 Seminar in Digital Literacy and Learning

Department, College: Education, HSS

Faculty Member: Julie Coiro

Date returned to Faculty: January 22, 2014

Librarian Completing Assessment: Joanna M. Burkhardt

Collection Management Officer: Joanna M. Burkhardt

Assessment of:

- Suitability of existing library resources;
- New library resources required to support the program;
- Information skills education required by the students; and
- Funds needed for library materials and services.

Please include:

1. What library holdings already exist in relevant subject categories, including supporting collections from HELIN. How much money is now allocated in the program area?

   The library owns a large monographic collection in Education. A small part of that collection pertains to digital media and digital literacy. Our collection is supplemented by additional holdings in the HELIN Consortium. The monographic allocation for Education is $8,000 for academic year 13-14. All of these funds have been expended. URI subscribes to many databases, including JStor, ERIC and Academic Search Premier. URI subscribes to many databases containing relevant information. The cost of the databases is spread over all departments.

2. Does URI have the essential journals as noted in the Faculty Questionnaire?

   There were no essential journals noted in the Faculty Questionnaire.

3. What new resources are required to support the course (including media, electronic, or other non-print materials)?

   No new library resources are required to support this course.
4. What information mastery sessions will be required for the students?

   No library information mastery sessions were listed as required for students in this course.

5. What is the approximate cost to acquire the materials necessary? Which of these will be continuing costs?

   No new library resources are required to support this course.