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1

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2

NOVELNY **expands and enriches** the collections of both school and public libraries.

3

NOVELNY **includes reliable information** from highly reputable reference books, magazines and newspapers not readily available through search engines.

4

NOVELNY **helps students learn** how to locate, evaluate, and manage the overwhelming volume of information available—a necessary skill for succeeding in their 21st century jobs and careers.

5

NOVELNY **charges no fee** for putting the world at your child's fingertips.

6

NOVELNY **ensures "safe surfing"** for your child.

7

NOVELNY **prevents unsolicited advertising** from interfering with searches.

8

NOVELNY **belongs to you**—a positive example of your tax dollars at work.

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NOVELNY **is available 24/7**—an important feature for working parents who cannot always get their child to a library during regular hours.

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NOVELNY **gives students the academic edge.**



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