Gale Literature Resource Center offers literary criticism, biographies of authors, overviews and explanations of author’s works, periodical articles, full-text works, and book lists.

How do I get to Gale Literature Resource Center?
1. Start at the Library Connect website: multcolib.org/libraryconnect
2. Click on either middle school or high school.
3. Scroll down to the Resources section.
4. Click on Gale Literature Resource Center.
5. Click on the Begin using this resource button.
6. Type in your Library Connect or library card number and password. Occasionally, there may be difficulties loading a database. If you aren't able to get in, go back and try again. If the database still doesn't open, contact the library at multcolib.org/contact.

Searching
Below is the main screen for Gale Literature Resource Center:

- You can do a general search in the large search box. You can also choose to search for people or names of literary works by clicking on one of the small icons in the white bar.
- When you've typed your search terms, hit enter.
The following screen shows search results. The database sorts the articles by putting them into categories on the top. The categories include: literary criticism, biographies, topic & work overviews, reviews & news, primary sources & literary works, and multimedia (look here for audio or video). Click on any of these categories to limit your search.

Click on the blue links to read the articles.

Above the article, you will see icons to print, email or save it to your Google drive. Note that you can listen to the article being read aloud or translate it.

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