



OPPOSING VIEWPOINTS IN CONTEXT

EXPLORE MANY SIDES OF AN ISSUE

+ ESCAPE from GOOGLE & WIKIPEDIA!

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How-to: Escape Rooms / Lockboxes at Library

1. Traditional Escape Room

- Hire professional
- Use kit (e.g. [Lock Paper Scissors](#) printables)
- Or create your own

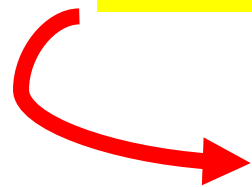
2. Physical Lockbox with various locks

- Use [BreakoutEDU](#) kits
- Or create your own



3. Digital Lockbox

- Use [BreakoutEDU Digital](#) kits
- Or create your own



- FREE
- No extra gear
- Easily shareable
- Can be done by single person at any location



How-to: DIY Digital Lockbox

- Audrey Wilson-Youngblood –
school librarian from Keller High School

Blogpost: "[Lessons from the Lockbox](#)"

Accompanies her 2018 TLA presentation:

"Thinking Outside the Lockbox: New Ways to Use Escape Kits in Any Library."

Her digital lockbox examples:

- Romeo & Juliet:
 - <https://www.smores.com/gnkxa>
- Intellectual Freedom Breakout
(teaches Gale databases):
 - <https://www.smores.com/gxy5c>



How-to: DIY Digital Lockbox

STEPS:

1. Determine training objectives
2. Come up with theme
3. Create clues based on objectives and theme
4. Have person test clues via scavenger hunt
5. Make necessary changes
6. Create Google Form with clues plus any handouts
7. Test whole experience with group
8. Make necessary changes
9. Test experience with another group
10. Make necessary changes



How-to: DIY Digital Lockbox

- BreakoutEDU Digital
 - Youtube tutorials to [Build Your Own](#)
- Main one I used: ["Google Forms as Digital Lockbox"](#)
- TIP for Google Forms:
 - The answer should be a **"Short Answer"**
 - Type is **"Regular Expression"**
 - That **Contains** the word written in this format:

[Tt][Ee][Ss][Tt]

- Also: **Custom Error Text** must be filled in:
"Please try again" or "Not quite"

