

A magnifying glass with a wooden handle and a brass frame, set against a light blue background.



QR + NO-TECH

MIDDLE SCHOOL

Use the **secret words** you found to decipher the quotation at the bottom of your scavenger hunt grid.

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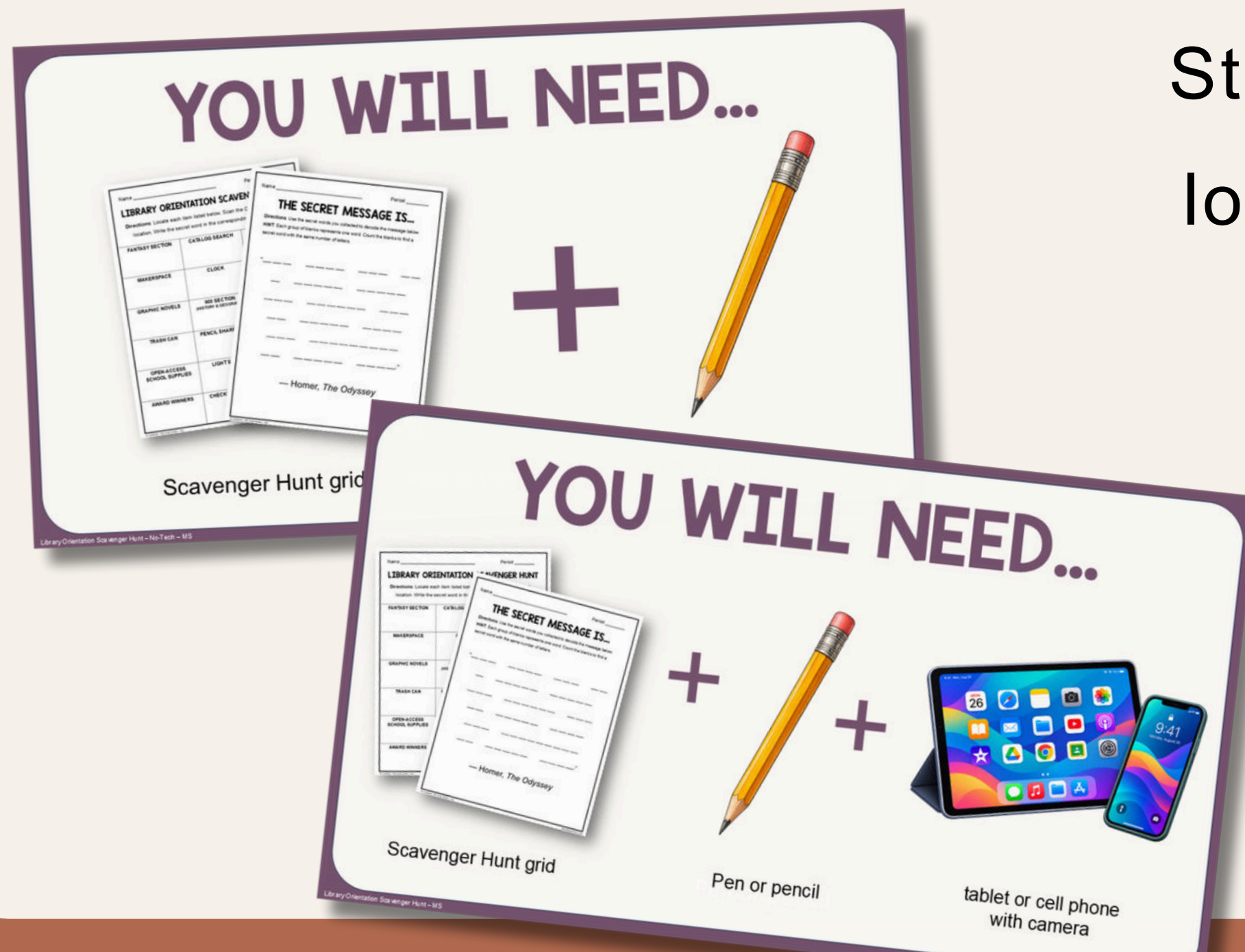
An illustration featuring a magnifying glass with a gold frame and a black handle, positioned over a stack of three books. The top book is open, showing its pages. The books have blue, red, and blue covers with gold spine details. To the right of the books are three large, stylized question marks in blue, red, and yellow colors.

The image shows two overlapping activity cards from a literacy center. The top card is titled "LIBRARY ORIENTATION SCAVENGER HUNT". It has fields for "Name" and "Period". Below the title are directions: "Directions: Locate each item listed below. Find the card with the secret word on it. Write the secret word in the corresponding box." There is a grid with four boxes labeled "FANTASY SECTION", "CATALOG SEARCH", "GREEN SCREEN", and "MAKERSPACE". A fifth box labeled "CLOCK" is partially visible. The bottom card is titled "THE SECRET MESSAGE IS...". It also has fields for "Name" and "Period". Directions state: "Directions: Use the secret words you collected to decode the message below." A hint says: "HINT: Each group of blanks represents one word. Count the blanks to find a secret word with the same number of letters." There are five groups of dashed lines for writing. At the bottom, there is a field for "Home" and a circular logo that reads "Mrs. READER PANTS". Both cards have a copyright notice at the bottom: "© Literacy - No Prep Version - 95".

MAKE YOUR LIBRARY ORIENTATION MEMORABLE

Students move around the library locating important places/items.

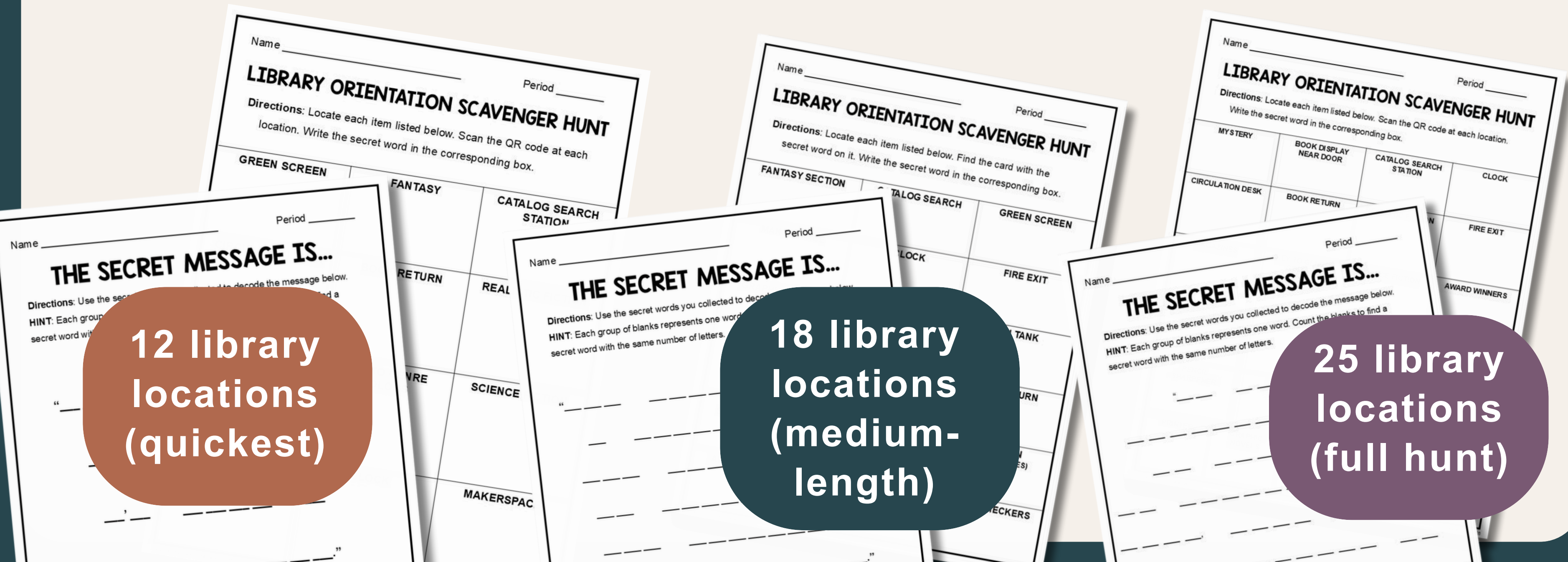
1. Find the location.
2. Record the secret word.
3. Reveal the final message.



CHOOSE FROM THREE HUNTS

Includes hunts with 12, 18, and 25 library locations.

All 3 available in QR + No-Tech versions.



QR CODES VS. NO-TECH

Every hunt includes both QR Code and No-Tech options!

QR CODES



At each library location, students scan a QR code to reveal a secret word.

- Students need a tablet or cell phone with a camera.
- No Wi-Fi needed!

NO-TECH

At each library location, students find a card that has the secret word written on it.



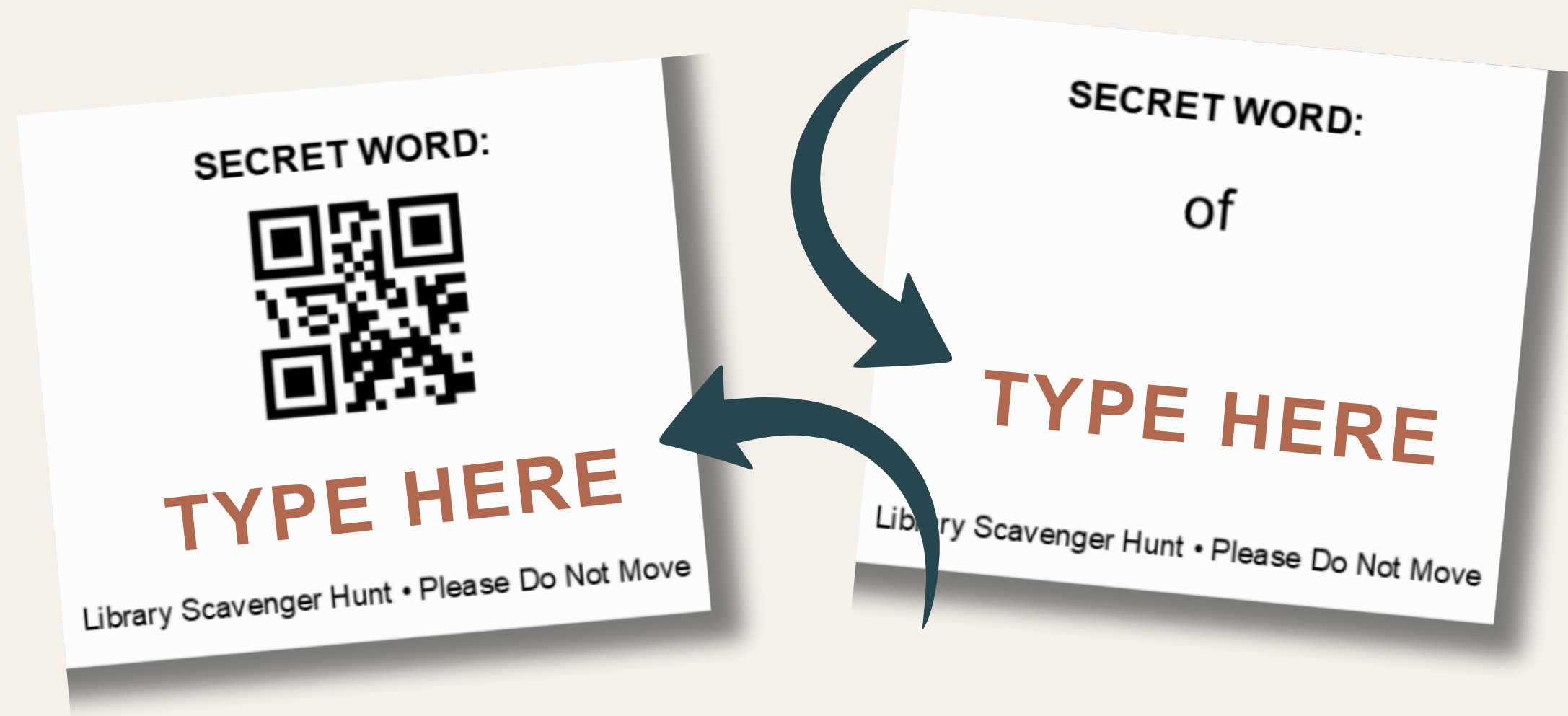
- No devices needed!
- Students need only a pencil and scavenger hunt grid.

CUSTOMIZE FOR YOUR LIBRARY

Choose the library items and locations you want your students to find.

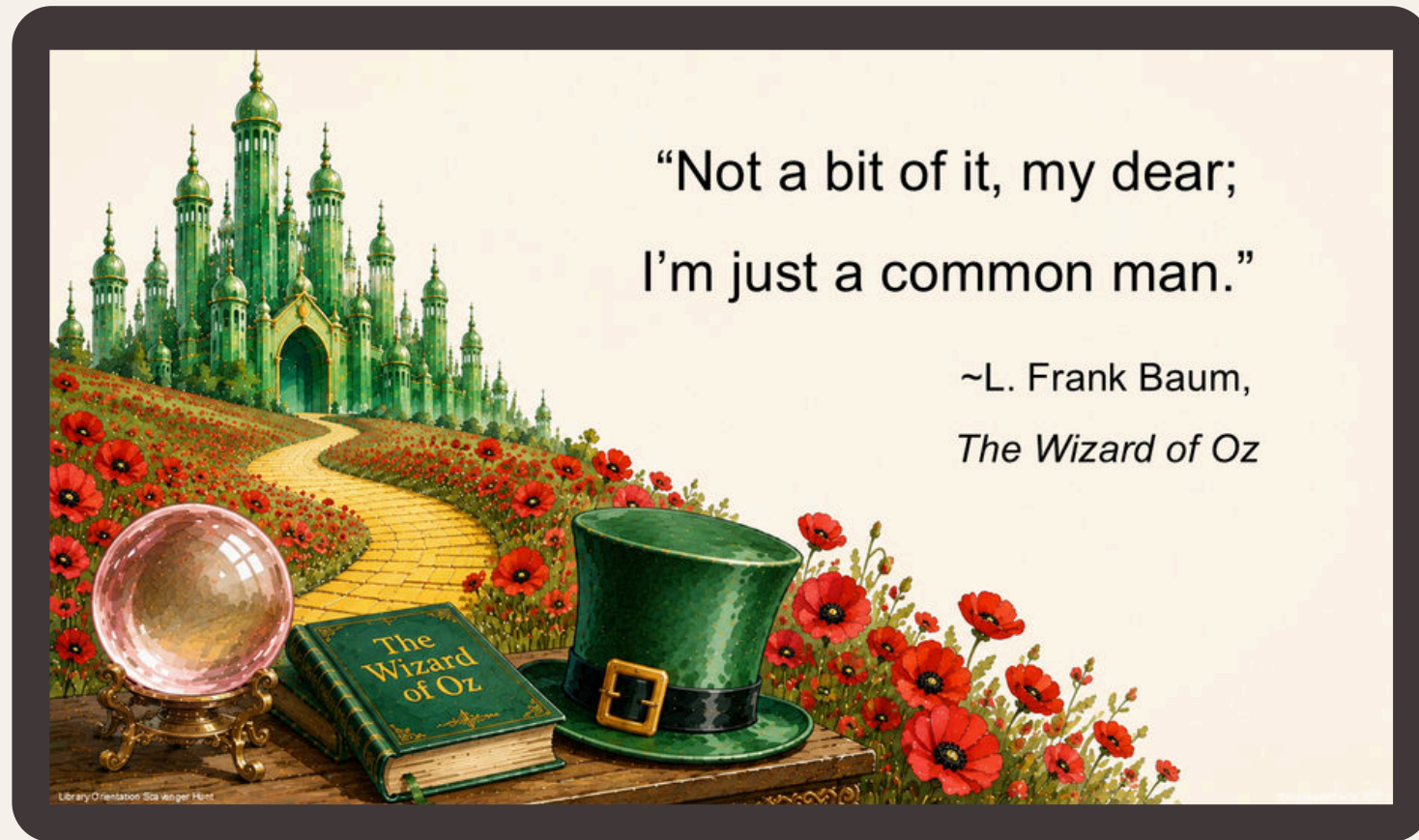
This might include:

- Book Return
- Self-Checkout Station
- Graphic Novels
- Fire Exit
- Any locations you want your students to know!



JUST CLICK, TYPE & CUSTOMIZE!

HERE'S WHAT YOU'LL GET:



2 Presentations (one for QR code version + one for No-Tech version)



3 hunt lengths - 12, 18, and 25 library locations



PowerPoint, Google Slides, and PDF



Editable location cards and scavenger hunt grid

12 LIBRARY
LOCATIONS
(QUICKEST)

Name _____ Period _____

LIBRARY ORIENTATION SCAVENGER HUNT

Directions: Locate each item listed below. Scan the QR code at _____ Write the secret word in the corresponding box.

FANTASY	CATALOG
RETURN	REAL
KEY TO GENRE COLORS	

THE SECRET MESSAGE IS...

Directions: Use the secret words you collected to decode the message below.
HINT: Each group of blanks represents one word. Count the blanks to find a secret word with the same number of letters.

“ _____ ”

FREQUENTLY ASKED QUESTIONS

ARE THE QR CODES ALREADY SET UP?

Yes! The QR codes are ready to use! Students can scan them right away.

TEST IT OUT!

Scan any QR code shown in this preview!

WHAT EXACTLY IS EDITABLE?

EDITABLE:

Library locations and most presentation text

NOT EDITABLE:

Images, secret words, and QR codes

HOW LONG DOES THE SCAVENGER HUNT TAKE?

- 12 locations: Quickest option
- 18 locations: Medium-length option
- 25 locations: About 40–50 minutes

WHAT LIBRARIANS ARE SAYING



“This resource made library orientation more fun this year. Students were up and moving around the library, putting their learning to work immediately.”

— Kimberly A. | Grades 6-8



“This lesson is going to be a VERY hard act to follow. The students were engaged and challenged by the activity. Classroom teachers were inspired by its structure and want to adapt it to fit their curricula.

This one is top notch!”

— Jo P. | Grades 6-7

GIVE STUDENTS A CHALLENGE FOR LIBRARY ORIENTATION!

Get students moving, exploring, and learning where to find the resources they'll use all year.

ADD TO YOUR CART AND
GET YOUR HUNT READY!

