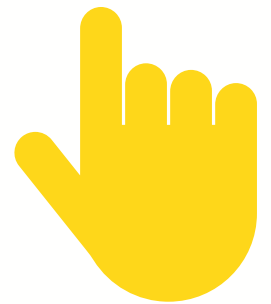




**STEP-BY-STEP**

# **Environmental Studies in Context and your Student OneCard**



# YOU WILL NEED:

- Your Student OneCard
- A Chromebook, Laptop, or Smartphone



# WHAT IS A STUDENT ONECARD



Student OneCard is a digital library account that allows you to access library books and online tools

Students are able to use their Student ID Numbers as Sonoma County Library account numbers

# SIGNING-IN



To sign-in with your **Student OneCard**, you will need to know your:

- School District prefix
- Your Student ID
- Your 4-Digit Pin

**Account Number Examples:**

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RVUSD123456

**Pin Example:**

(Year of Birth) 2006 OR 2012

OR

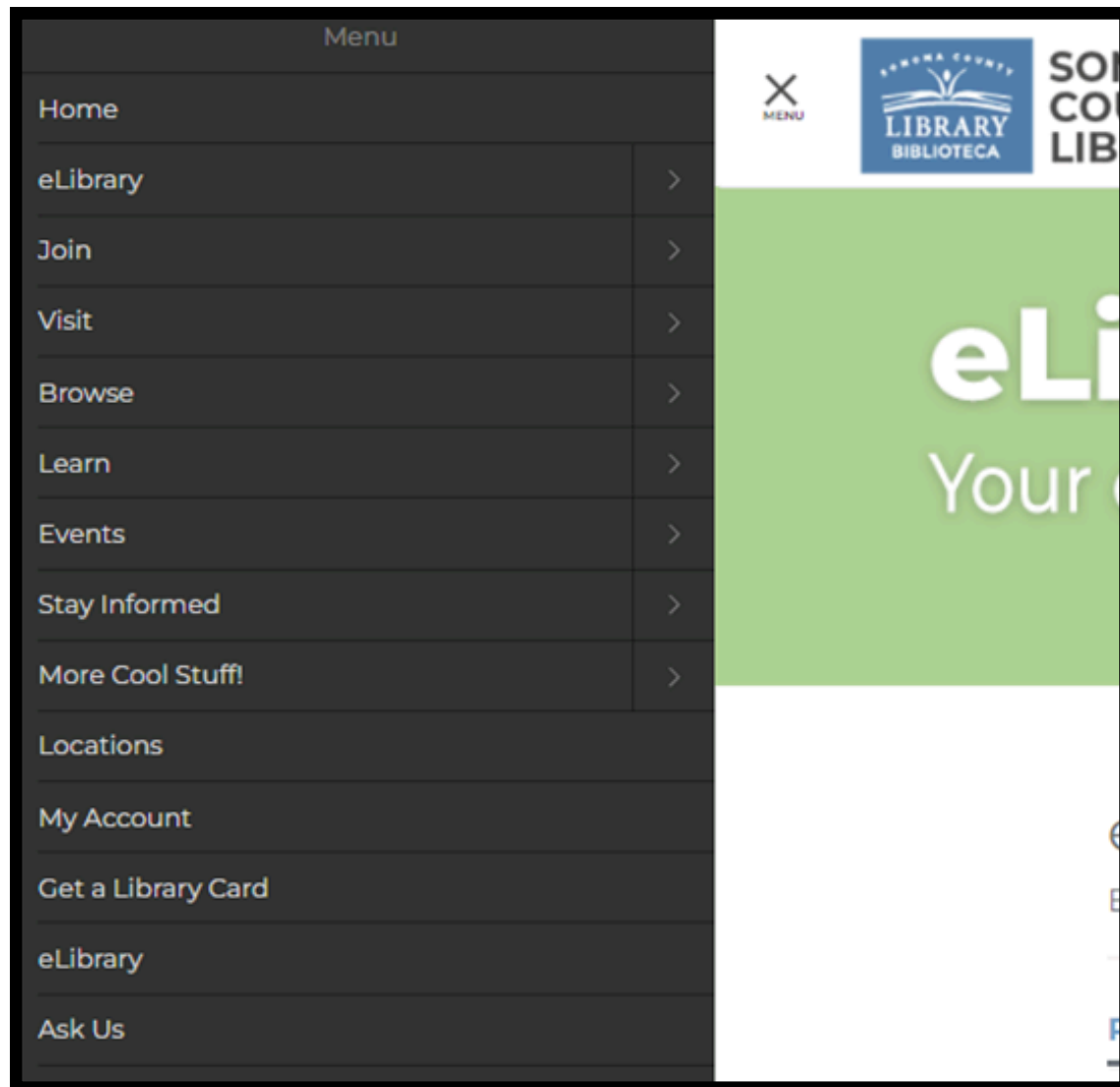
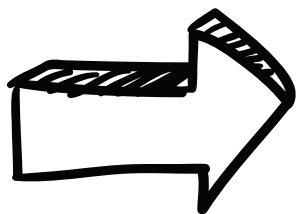
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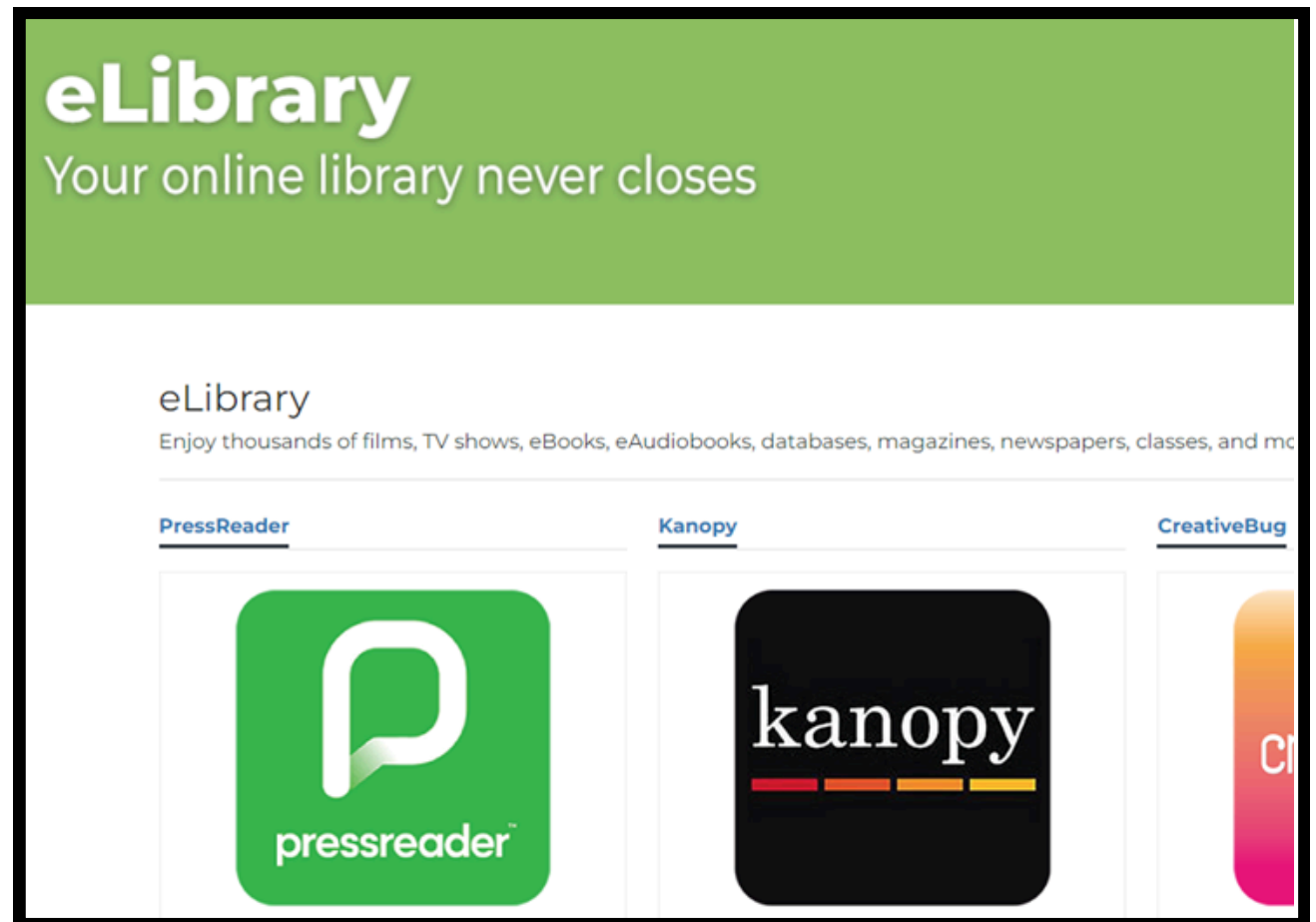
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# WHAT'S THAT?

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and more...



# STEP 2

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# STEP 3

You will be prompted to enter your **library card number**, **Student OneCard number**, or **eCard number**



Your library card number (with no spaces) -  
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# STEP 4

## Welcome to Environmental Studies in Context

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#### ISSUES OF INTEREST

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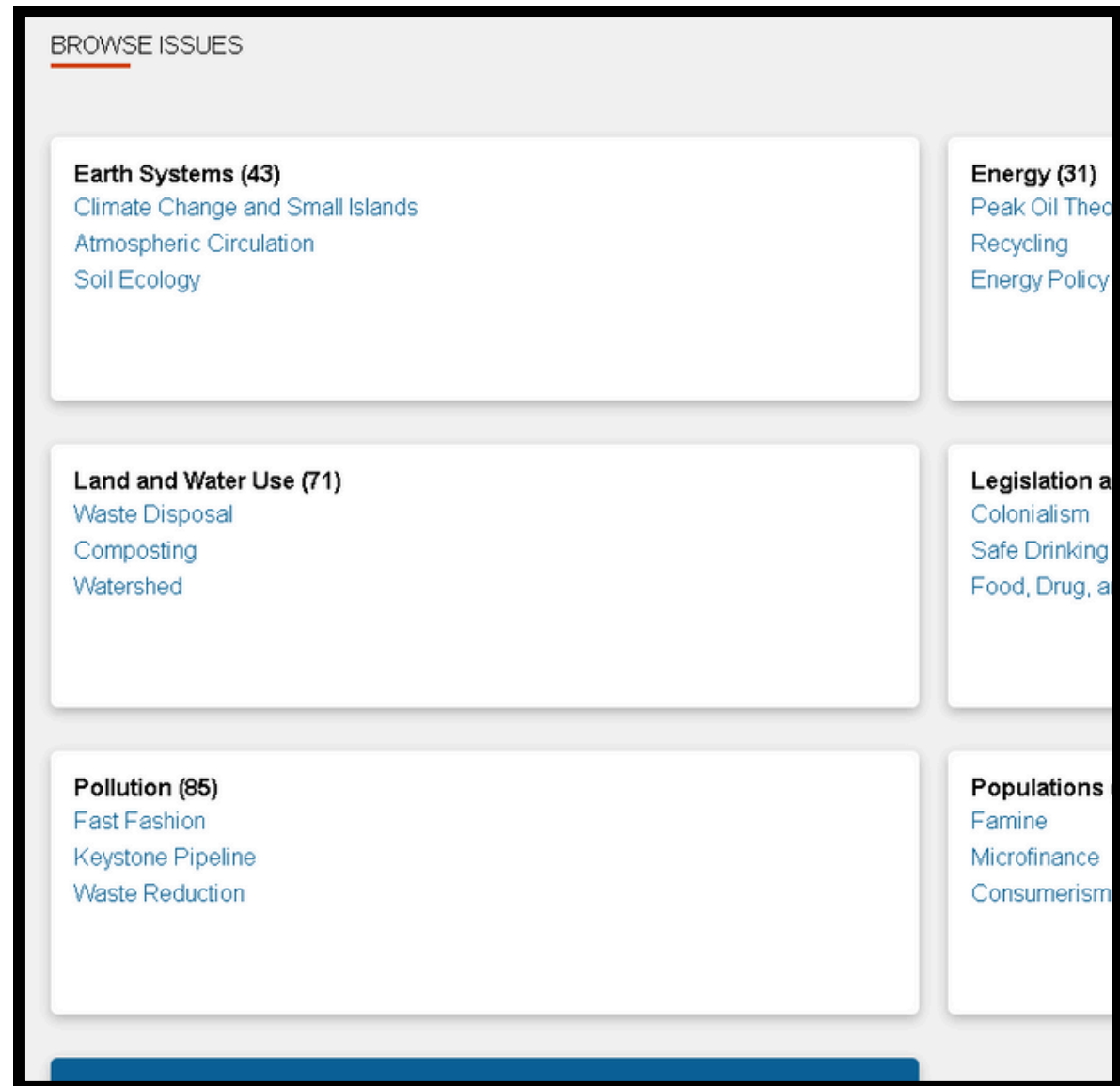
Artificial, lab grown or cultivated meat, as some prefer to call it, is grown in anything from a test tube to a stainless steel bioreactor. The process is borrowed from research into regenerative medicine and might be the future of food.

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# STEP 5

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# STEP 6


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
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## Climate Change and Small Islands

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Date: 2023

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People who live in small island nations have already experienced the effects of [climate change](#). [Islands](#) are vulnerable to [extreme weather](#), which brings with it [storm surges](#) and salt water intrusion. Houses and crops can easily be destroyed. Freshwater supplies are often low to begin with, but they can be further endangered by saltwater incursion. Large surges of water such as [tsunamis](#) can completely inundate a small island with high ground only a few feet (meters) above [sea level](#).

### SMALL ISLAND DEVELOPING STATES

This personal relationship with [climate change](#) has put small island nations at the forefront of climate change activism. The United Nations has designated 38 countries as Small Island Developing States, or SIDS. Another 20 islands are associate members. These islands are all over the world: in the Atlantic, Pacific, and Indian [Oceans](#), in the South China Sea, and in the Caribbean. Members include the [Maldives](#), the Seychelles, Comoros, 16 Caribbean nation, Fiji, Kiribati, Nauru, Samoa, the Solomon Islands, and many others.

The SIDS are the nations most vulnerable to sea level rise. Most of them also have small economies and are heavily dependent on imported fuel, [food](#), and consumer goods. They struggle to develop sustainably.

The SIDS regularly speak out at United Nations meetings, calling for renewable energy systems and reduced greenhouse gas [emissions](#). Many of them are attempting to restore their own local ecosystems such as mangroves and to develop their economies in a sustainable way.

EXPLORE

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*Denver Journal of International Law and Policy*, Fall 2017.

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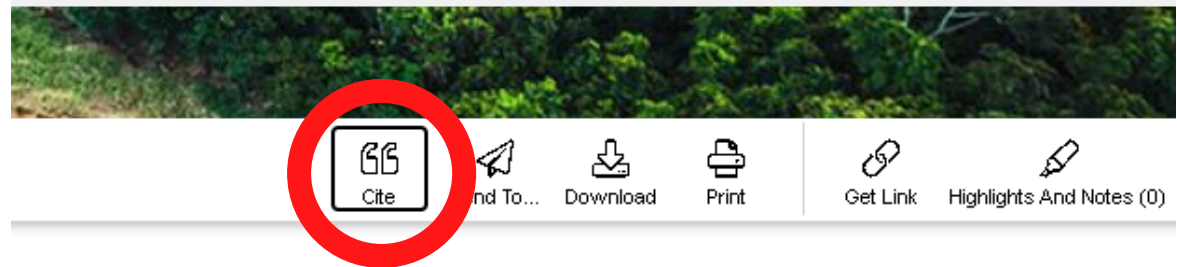
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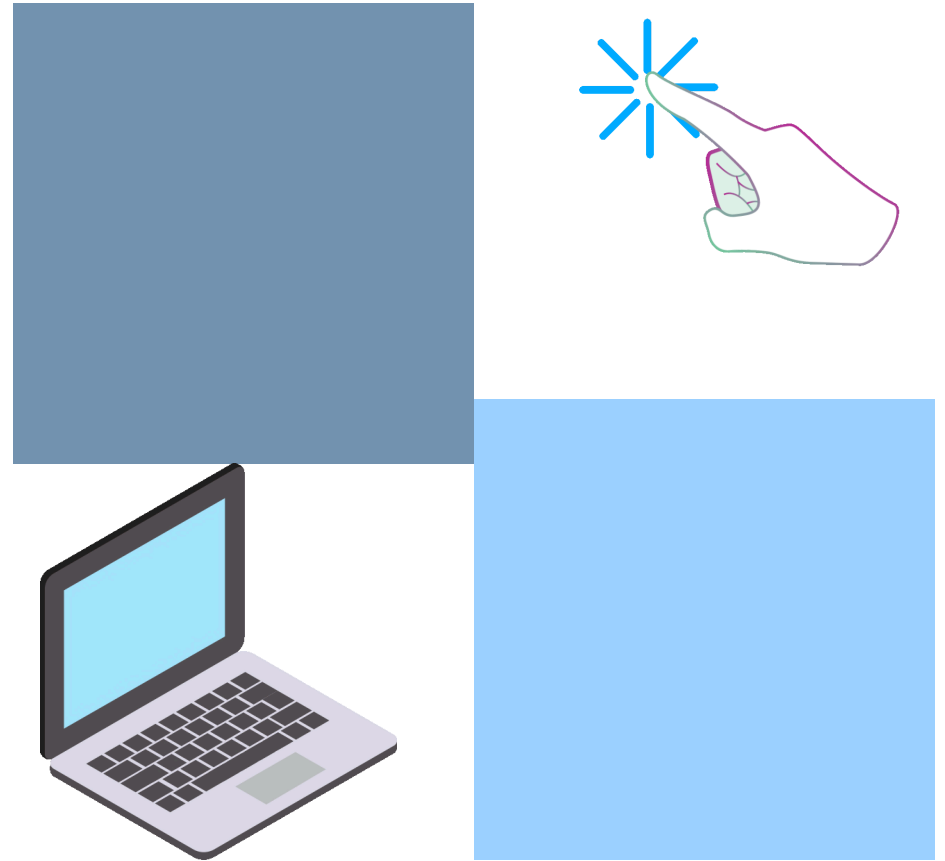
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