

I am very disturbed to hear that the Guardian may disappear from our technology. I am a teacher who is determined to bring back our Classics in Literature which are quickly disappearing from our culture. The kids do not have time to read ALL of them in one year and I am the only teacher I know that is concerned about them. So I have been showing the films for about 8 years now. The parents love my project!! They are so happy that their kids will know the stories behind the titles of the books. However, quite frequently, I have to turn on the Guardian to “bleep” out any language that I will not allow for my students whether they be middle or high school. They won’t hear it in my room. The ONLY way to block every offensive word is the Guardian. I could not show many of the films I am showing now if it were not for the Guardian. Parents appreciate that I have it in my VCR and in my DVD. They feel safe with allowing me to show films that NO OTHER TEACHER can show because they cannot filter out the “words”. Please, please do not cost me all the work I’ve done to make this happen for my kids. The Guardians that are built into the units work much better than the ones that sit on top of the t.v. If all tvs and VCRs and DVDs had them built in, every teacher would have access to more great films for the kids.