CENTENNIAL LIBRARY

Providing an Effective Gateway to the World of Information



Graduate edition



Welcome

Welcome to the Centennial Library! This information rich environment provides access to thousands of resources to assist you in your research needs and course assignments.

Researching

rom the library's website, www.cedarville.edu/library you have access to hundreds of thousands of resources. You will want to become familiar with the Library Catalog, the Research Databases and the User Guides available for your use. These resources will provide you with reliable information to support your research, class assignments and projects.

Centennial Library Catalog

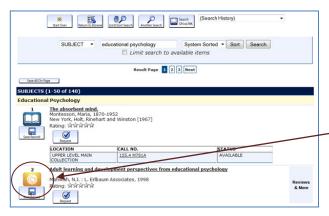
The library's catalog lists the **books** and **journals** on the shelves of the library and links

you to electronic journals, books, videos and audio files.

To search the library's collection of resources, type your keyword, title, author, subject, call number or ISBN/ ISSN in the search box. Then choose a field to search using the drop down box. Click on **SEARCH**.

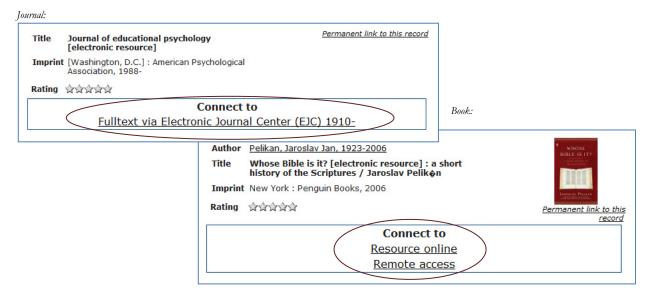


Depending on the results of your search, a list of resources or an individual record will appear on the results screen.



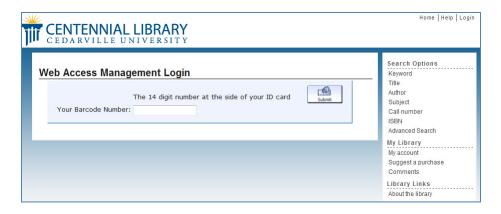
Sometimes the catalog will link you to electronic books or journals. These are indicated on the results page. These yellow globe icons indicate an electronic resource.

Electronic book and journal records also include a <u>link</u> to the item in the record.



Remote Access

When accessing Cedarville's databases you will have to verify that you are a Cedarville University Student. After clicking on a database, you'll be taken to this screen.



Enter the 14 digit barcode from your ID card to access the database.

On occasion you may also have to authenticate using the OhioLINK authentication

system. In this have to identify you submit, you will be taken to a second authentication page, to enter your name and 14-digit barcode.



The URL for this form is: https://authdb.ohiolink.edu

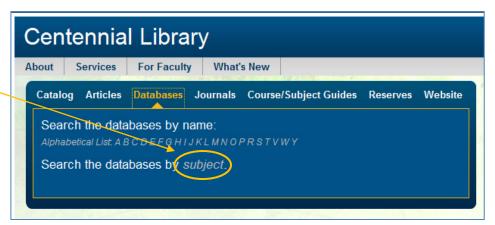
Database searching

As a graduate student of Cedarville University, you have access to nearly 200 online research databases — your source for articles and other important information that will be valuable to your graduate research. The list of databases available to you can be found on the library's website, under **Databases**.



The Research databases are listed alphabetically by title.

You can also view a list of databases by **subject**.



Accessing Full Text articles

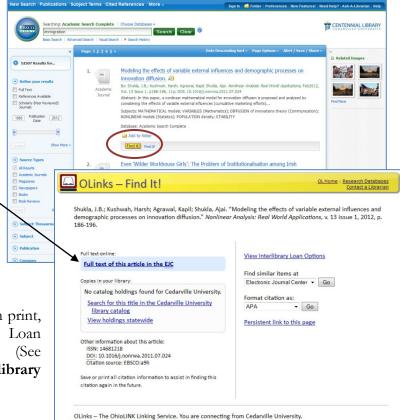
When using research databases, be sure to use the **Find It** button to locate the full text of the articles you are seeking.

The **Find It** button links you to the full text of the article, be it through an online subscription, or another database that is available through the Centennial Library.

Find It!

If the article is available electronically, there will be a link in the light blue box for you to click on to access the article.

If the article is only available in print, complete the Interlibrary Loan form for Periodicals (See **Document Delivery /Interlibrary Loan**).



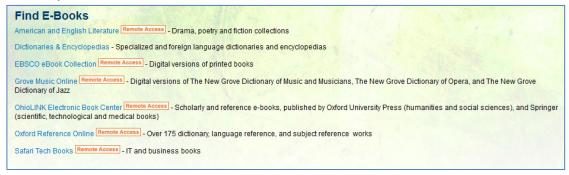
Electronic Resources

The Centennial Library offers thousands of electronic resources, such as books, journals and multimedia resources. In addition to being able to locate these resources in the Library catalog, e-journals may be accessed under the **Journals** tab and e-books, online videos, photos and audio may also be accessed through the **Find Additional Resources** link.



E-Books

More than 62,000 electronic books are available through the **FIND E-BOOKS** page as well as the library catalog link. These E-Books include dictionaries, encyclopedias, handbooks, classic literature and technical books. Be sure to click on **Remote Access**.



E-Journals

The Centennial Library subscribes to 1,000's of print and electronic periodical, most of which are electronic. All electronic periodicals are available through the A-to-Z Electronic Resources database. By clicking on **Remote Access**, you will find a list of electronic journals, and links to the source for the full text. The source name is a hot link to the full text of the journal.



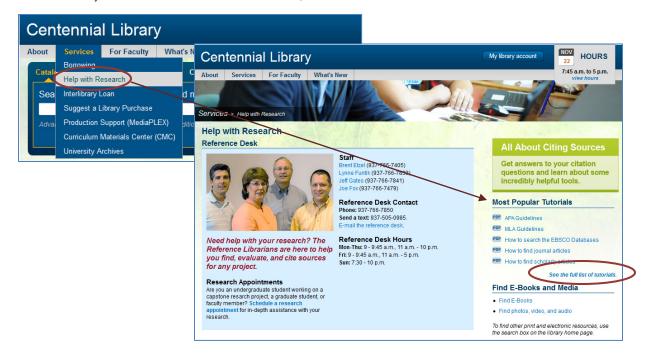
Online Videos, Photos, and Audios

Many different electronic also media resources include available. These photos (i.e., AP Images, History & Archives Collections), educational films (i.e., Digital Video collection), and audio collections (i.e., Foreign language videos, Classical Music Library).



User guides

A number of user guides designed to help you effectively use the Library (i.e. Locating Journal Articles, Using OhioLINK and Interlibrary Loan), to show you how to search the various databases by interface (i.e. EBSCO and OSearch) and to help you properly cite your research (i.e. APA, MLA, Turabian/Chicago) are available. User Guides are available on the library's website under **Services > Help with Research**.



User guides for many databases are also available by clicking on the ext to the title of the database list.



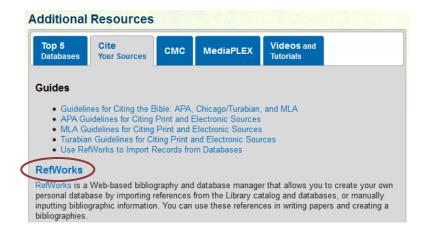
Some of our most popular guides are located under the tab **Cite Your Sources**. Located here are guides for citing print and electronic resources in APA, MLA, and Turabian styles. Additional help is available under the **Videos and Tutorials** tab.





To help you manage your research, the library has also provided *RefWorks*. This resource will allow you to create your own database and to import, organize, cite, and create

bibliographies of your research. This database is very useful for large projects, but it does require some instruction. Tutorials for using *RefWorks* are included in the database. If you would like to register for this program, contact a Reference Librarians to help you set up an account. You may also set up an account whenever you are on campus.





Reference Assistance

The Centennial Library librarians and staff are here to help you locate the appropriate resources for your research and to teach you how to effectively research.

Reference assistance is provided by Cedarville University Librarians. These professional librarians are available at least 55 hours each week.

Typically, Reference Librarians are available:

9 am - 10 pm Monday through Thursday 9 am - 5 pm Friday 7:30 pm - 10 pm Sunday

Reference Librarians can help you:

- * maximize your time and the Library's resources
- access databases
- evaluate your research
- develop your research strengths
- select the best books, articles and databases
- identify and locate statistical sources
- locate relevant and reliable web information
- * access materials located at other libraries throughout the world

There are four ways to communicate with a reference librarian:

1. In **person** at the Centennial Library Reference Desk

ASK? a librarian

Text: 937.505.0985
By Phone: 937.766.7850

4. Via **email:** reference@cedarville.edu

OR All of these options are on the Centennial Library, **Help with Research** page: http://www.cedarville.edu/Academics/Library/Services/Help.aspx

Reference Librarians

Brent Etzel	Director of Library Public Services	937.766.7405
Joe Fox	Instructional Services Librarian	937.766.7479
Lynne Funtik	Senior Reference Librarian	937.766.7839
Jeff Gates	Informational Services Librarian	937.766.7841

Document Delivery/Interlibrary Loan

In the course of your studies, you may require an article that is not available in full text from one of the databases or a website. If it is available in the Centennial Library, we will make a copy and send it to you at no charge through the Document Delivery Service. If the Centennial Library does **not** own the article, we will request it from another library through the Interlibrary Loan Service. Currently both of these requests use the same Interlibrary Loan form.

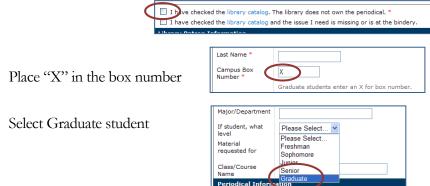


Document Delivery

From the Library's website choose **Services > Interlibrary Loan**, then **Periodical Request form**.

Make sure you:

check the box "I have checked the Library catalog"



- Include your email address
- Put your complete mailing address in the "Comments" box

Interlibrary Loan

Interlibrary Loan is a cooperative borrowing and lending service among OCLC libraries, of which Cedarville University is a member.

Currently the Centennial Library offers this service to off campus students for periodical articles, only.

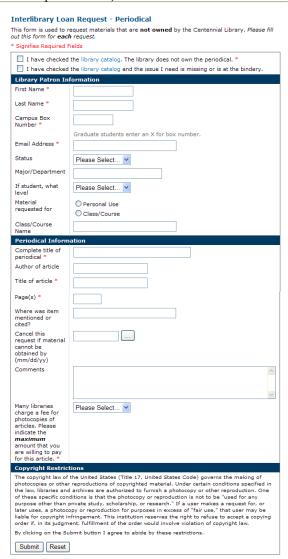
To request a copy of a periodical article, **completely** fill out the Interlibrary Loan **Periodical Request form**, available from the Library's website under **Services > Interlibrary Loan** (http://www.cedarville.edu/cf/library/ill/ill-period.cfm).

Make sure that you enter the **full title** of the publication when requesting periodical articles.

Please enter your complete mailing address in the **Comments** box. If we are unable to send the article electronically, we will send it through the U.S. Mail.

When ordering periodical articles, the library makes every effort to borrow from libraries which do not charge photocopying fees. You will have the option on the form to select a price range for when no free copy is available.

The average fulfillment time for a requested article to be delivered to the Centennial Library is 5 days, though some requests take longer. Service is interrupted for weekends, breaks, and holidays. Please allow a few more days for the materials to be forwarded to you after they arrive at the Centennial Library. Your articles will be sent by email or U.S. Mail.



OhioLINK

The Centennial Library is a member of OhioLINK a consortium of 88 Ohio college and university libraries, the State Library of Ohio, and 2 public library systems. If you reside near one of the OhioLINK libraries (see http://www.ohiolink.edu/members-info/) you are permitted to

check out materials there using your Cedarville University ID card. You can also search the OhioLINK Catalog (olc1.ohiolink.edu/search/) for books and media materials and then request that the item be delivered to a local OhioLINK Library. (Instructions for the **Pick Up Anywhere** service are below.)



Pick Up Anywhere

Once you locate an item you would like to request, click on the **REQUEST** link.



Identify yourself as a Cedarville University Student and then enter your **name** and **barcode**. Then choose the **institution** and **location** where you wish to pick up the item.

