ENG 102 Library Resources

Speed Library Website: www.library.mc.edu

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Finding Articles:

Databases

- o Academic Search Premier (EBSCO)
- o Literature Resource Center
- o ISTOR
- o Credo Reference
- o Oxford Reference
- Opposing Viewpoints [currently debated topics]
- o LexisNexis [news articles]
- A-to-Z Journal List: Search by <u>periodical</u> title, then look for the year and volume you need.

Interlibrary Loan: Located under the "Services" tab. Use the ILL Service to request a book that Speed Library does not own or an article that's not available in full-text in a database.

English Subject Guide:

mc.libguides.com/eng

How to Search Using Boolean Operators:

Concept	Search Examples	Results
AND	politics AND media children AND poverty "civil war" AND Virginia	Results will include both terms
OR	"law enforcement" OR police labor OR labour 60s OR sixties	Results will include one or both terms
NOT	"civil war" NOT American Caribbean NOT Cuba therapy NOT physical	Excludes results with the term following NOT

Search Tips:

Concept	Search Examples	Results	
Phrase searching	"civil war" "global warming" "evidence based medicine"	Searches by phrase, not by individual words	
Truncation	<pre>child* [finds child, children,</pre>	Searches for root word with different endings	

Example Search Terms & Notes:

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