How to Find Information Sources and Applying Basic Search Techniques
(Humanities)
OBJECTIVES

• Demonstrate how to search using the library portal and online catalog.

• Recognize e-resources including online library databases, online journals, and e-books specific for student’s use.

• Effectively apply search strategies or techniques.

• To help students become lifelong learners.
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• DVD  
• NO PETS ALLOWED |
Online Public Access Catalog
(https://library.nu.edu.kz/wps/myportal)
When searching you may apply the Boolean Logic

- **AND**
- **OR**
- **NOT**

Use **NOT** in a search to:
- exclude words from your search
- narrow your search, telling the database to ignore concepts that may be implied by your search terms

**example:** cloning **NOT** sheep

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This is to remind you that the following book(s) are due tomorrow, 17.11.2017:

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We ask that you remember to return or renew all materials in a timely manner.

Kind regards,
NU Library Staff

Құрметті JOSEPH YAP

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Уважаемый/ая JOSEPH YAP

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Reminders when searching:

• Identify keywords: major concepts of your topic
• Do a quick database search
• Identify synonyms
• Sometimes, it may require you to do a background research
Phrases
If you want to search for a multi-word phrase, use the words in exactly that order. For example, search "human rights" instead of human AND rights.

Truncation
To make sure you get all variations of a word, use an asterisk *. For instance, the search term prepar* will find the words prepare, prepared, prepares, preparing, and preparation. Try laugh* and econom*

Subject terms
Searching with a human-chosen subject term can be much better than relying on a mechanical word search. Electronic databases generally include pre-assigned subject terms for each article.

Wild card
A wild card symbol replaces a single letter - useful to retrieve alternative spellings and simple plurals. eg wom?n will find woman or women. Try ne?t
ACTIVITY - https://library.nu.edu.kz/wps/portal
Using the keyword “humanities”

1. How many results were retrieved upon doing the simple keyword search?
2. How many books are available for the entry entitled, “Envisioning landscapes, making worlds: geography and the humanities?”
3. The call number of this book (from Q2) indicates that the subject came from which LCC class?
4. Where can I find this book (from Q2) (hint: floor number)?
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  Meriam Library, California State University, Chico (2010).

https://www.csuchico.edu/lins/handouts/eval_websites.pdf

Evaluation Criteria

Currency: The timeliness of the information.
- When was the information published or posted?
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- Are the links functional?

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- Does the information relate to your topic or answer your question?
- Who is the intended audience?
- Is the information at an appropriate level (i.e. not too elementary or advanced for your needs)?
- Have you looked at a variety of sources before determining this is one you will use?
- Would you be comfortable citing this source in your research paper?

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- Is there contact information, such as a publisher or email address?
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Each group will have three members.
Prepare a pen and paper.
Questions will be flashed and you need to answer as many items as you can.
For Q1 – Q3, a group will get a point/s if their answers are unique and acceptable. Unique means the other group does not have the same answer and we will accept it as a point.

READY?

This game is derived from Seek (Walsh, Andrew and Williamson, Tanya (2012) SEEK! The search skills game. [Teaching Resource] )
NAME AS MANY AS YOU CAN, BROADER TERMS FOR TELEVISION?

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https://library.waubonsee.edu/page/what-broader-term
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