

Educational Studies & Elementary Education Library Resource Guide

Databases & Indexes

NOTE: When full-text is not available from one of the Library's databases, please use our Interlibrary Loan (ILL) service to obtain materials from other institutions. ILL forms are available from the Library Reference Desk. Please allow up to two weeks for delivery of ILL items.

Subject Specific

- **Education Index**

Ref Z5813 .E23

June 1950 – April 2005

Cumulative index of education publications including periodicals, yearbooks, and monographs covering administration and supervision, pre-school through higher and adult education, teacher education, vocational education, counseling, teaching methods and curriculum, religious education, special education, educational research, and related fields such as psychology and mental health, science and mathematics, and the social sciences as they relate to education.

- **ERIC (Education Resources Information Center)** (via NC LIVE; available from the Library's Databases page)

Database of journal articles and other education-related materials including books, research syntheses, conference reports, technical reports, and policy papers from scholarly organizations, professional associations, research centers, policy organizations, university presses, the U.S. Department of Education and other federal agencies, and state and local agencies.

Also available on the Web at <http://www.eric.ed.gov/>

- **JSTOR** (available from the Library's Databases page)

Interdisciplinary, searchable, full-text archive of almost 1,000 academic journals covering the humanities, social sciences, and life sciences. Journals are always included from volume 1, issue 1 and include previous and related titles. The most recently published issues (past 3-5 years) are not available. However, users can search this material and link to the publisher's site or other online source for access. New content is added on a regular basis as it is made available by the publisher. Advanced search options include author name, title, abstract, and caption for photographs and other images.

- **ProQuest (Education, Religion)** (available from the Library's Databases page)

Access to over 760 educational publications, including more than 600 of the titles in full text. Selected articles also include all the charts, tables, diagrams, and other graphical elements. Coverage includes not only the literature on primary, secondary, and higher education but also special education, home schooling, adult education, and hundreds of related topics.

- **Teacher Reference Center** (available from the Library's Databases page)

Provides indexing and abstracts for more than 270 of the most popular teacher and administrator journals and magazines to assist professional educators.

Related Areas

- **Academic Search Premier** (via NC LIVE; available from the Library's Databases page)

A multi-disciplinary full text database containing full text for more than 4,500 journals, including more than 3,700 peer-reviewed titles.

- Health and Psychosocial Instruments (HaPI)**
Produced by Behavioral Measurement Database Services, HaPI is a comprehensive bibliographic database providing information about behavioral measurement instruments. Information in the database is abstracted from hundreds of leading journals covering health sciences and psychosocial sciences. Additionally, instruments from Industrial/Organizational Behavior and Education are included. Records contained in HaPI provide information on questionnaires, interview schedules, vignettes/scenarios, coding schemes, rating and other scales, checklists, indexes, tests, projective techniques, and more.
- InfoTrac OneFile** (available from the Library's Databases page)
A one-stop source for news and periodical articles on a wide range of topics: business, computers, current events, economics, education, environmental issues, health care, hobbies, humanities, law, literature and art, politics, science, social science, sports, technology, and many general interest topics. Selected full-text and images.
- MAS Ultra – School Edition** (via NC LIVE; available from the Library's Databases page)
Designed specifically for high school libraries, this database contains full text for more than 500 popular, high school magazines as well as more than 360 full text reference books, biographies, and an Image Collection of photos, maps and flags. Color PDFs and expanded full text backfiles (back to 1975) for key magazines
- Middle Search Plus** (via NC LIVE; available from the Library's Databases page)
Full text for more than 140 popular, middle school magazines. All full text articles included in the database are assigned a reading level indicator (Lexiles). Full text is also available for thousands of biographies and historical essays. An Image Collection of photos, maps and flags is also available.
- Primary Search** (via NC LIVE; available from the Library's Databases page)
Full text for more than 70 popular, magazines for elementary school research. All full text articles included in the database are assigned a reading level indicator (Lexiles), and full text information dates as far back as 1990.
- PsycINFO** (via NC LIVE; available from the Library's Databases Page)
From the American Psychological Association (APA), PsycINFO is the largest resource devoted to peer-reviewed literature in behavioral science and mental health. It contains abstracts of scholarly journal articles, book chapters, books, and dissertations. Journal coverage, which spans from 1887 to present, includes international material selected from more than 2,200 periodicals in more than 27 languages.
- Psychological Abstracts**
Ref. Z 7203.P974 1986 - 1999
Index of non-evaluative summaries of the periodical and book literature in psychology and related disciplines including tests and testing, human development, and educational psychology.
- Cambridge Scientific Abstracts - Sociological Abstracts**
(available from the Library's Databases page)
CSA Sociological Abstracts abstracts and indexes the international literature in sociology and related disciplines in the social and behavioral sciences. The database provides abstracts of journal articles and citations to book reviews drawn from over 1,800+ serials publications, and also provides abstracts of books, book chapters, dissertations, and conference papers.
NOTE: Password Required. Please contact a member of the Reference Staff for assistance.

Sociological Abstracts is available in print in the Reference Area - Ref. HM 1.S67 1953-2000.

- **SpringerLink**

Database of *selected* full-text journals in a variety of subject areas including humanities, social sciences and law, and behavioral sciences. (NOTE: Full-text access to reference materials and e-books is NOT available. Full-text access to the most recent 3 – 6 months of journals may also be restricted.)

E-Books

NOTE: E-books are available from the Library's Databases page via NetLibrary (<http://www.netlibrary.com/>). Please sign up for a personal NetLibrary account using one of the computers in the Library. Once you have created your account, you will be able to access content remotely.

Birth to Five: Early Childhood Special Education

Bowe, Frank. 2000.

College Blue Book

32nd Edition, 2005

(Available through Gale Virtual Reference Collection from the Library's Databases page)

Developing an Online Curriculum: Technologies and Techniques

by Porter, Lynnette R. 2004.

Educating the First Digital Generation

Harwood, Paul G.; Asal, Victor. 2007.

Educational Research: A Guide to the Process

by Wallen, Norman E.; Fraenkel, Jack R. 2000.

Encyclopedia of Education

James W. Guthrie, Ed. 2nd ed. New York: Macmillan Reference USA, 2002.

(Available through Gale Virtual Reference Collection from the Library's Databases page)

Engaging Young Children in Mathematics: Standards for Early Childhood Mathematics Education

Clements, Douglas H.; Sarama, Julie. 2004.

How to Work With Standards in the Early Childhood Classroom

Seefeldt, Carol. 2005.

International Companion Encyclopedia of Children's Literature

Hunt, Peter. 2004

The Power of Projects: Meeting Contemporary Challenges in Early Childhood Classrooms-- Strategies and Solutions

Helm, Judy Harris.; Beneke, Sallee. 2003.

Praeger Handbook of Special Education

Bursztyn, Alberto. 2007.

Teaching and Learning in a Diverse World: Multicultural Education for Young Children

Ramsey, Patricia G.

Publication: New York Teachers College Press, 2004.

Technology Enhanced Learning: Best Practices

Lytras, Miltiadis D. 2008.

Understanding Assessment and Evaluation in Early Childhood Education

Gullo, Dominic F. 2005.

Using Technology in Teaching

Clyde, William.; Delohery, Andrew. 2005.

Web-teaching: A Guide for Designing Interactive Teaching for the World Wide Web

Brooks, David W.; Nolan, Diane E.; Gallagher, Susan M. 2001.

For more **E-books**, from the Library's Databases Page, see also

NetLibrary → Reference Center → Education

NOTE: You can also use the search features in NetLibrary to identify other items of interest in your subject area.

Internet Resources

Resource	Web Address
Children's Literature Association	http://www.childlitassn.org/
Children's Literature Web Guide (University of Calgary)	http://www.ucalgary.ca/~dKBrown/
Digital Librarian: Children's Literature	http://www.digital-librarian.com/childlit.html
Education World	http://www.educationworld.com/
FREE – Federal Resources for Educational Excellence	http://www.free.ed.gov/
National Center for Education Statistics	http://nces.ed.gov/
National Education Association	http://www.nea.org/
see also the NEA's "Educator's Top 100 Children's Books" http://www.nea.org/readacross/resources/catalist.html	
North Carolina Department of Public Instruction	http://www.ncpublicschools.org/
North Carolina Education Directory	http://www.dpi.state.nc.us/nceddirectory/
North Carolina Public Schools Statistical Profile	http://www.ncpublicschools.org/fbs/resources/data/
North Carolina Teacher Academy	http://teacheracademy.org/
State of North Carolina Kids' Page	http://www.ncgov.com/1225,1225,Kids_Page,Kids_Page.html
Teaching Positions in North Carolina	http://www.ncpublicschools.org/work4ncschools/employment/
US Department of Education	http://www.ed.gov/
Yahoo Directory: Children's Literature	http://dir.yahoo.com/arts/humanities/literature/genres/children_s/

Print Resources

American Educator's Encyclopedia

Ref LB15 D37 1991

American Universities and Colleges (16th ed., 2001)

Ref LA226 .A65 2001

Children's Literature: An Illustrated History

Ref PR990 .C495 1996

Condition of Education

Ref L112 .N377a 1983, 1995

2000 – 2008 available online at <http://nces.ed.gov/programs/coe/>

Digest of Education Statistics

Ref L11 .D48 1991 - 2007

Most recent edition available online at <http://nces.ed.gov/programs/digest/>

Edition XII, Worldwide Directory of Postgraduate Studies in:

Business, Economics, Finance and Commerce – Ref L900 .E45 B8x 1997

Computer Science, Mathematics, and Information Technology – Ref L900 .E45 C6x 1997

Engineering and Technology – Ref L900 .E45 E5x 1997

Science – Ref L900 .E45 S3x 1997

Encyclopedia of Early Childhood Education

Ref LB 1139.25 .E53 1992

GRE Exam 2004 (Kaplan)

Ready Ref. LB2367.4 G73x 2003

How to prepare for Praxis : PPST, PLT, elementary school subject assessments, listening skills test, overview of Praxis II subject assessments & specialty area tests

Ready Ref LB1762 .P67 2001

International Encyclopedia of Higher Education

Ref LB15 .I57 1997 (10 vols.)

International Encyclopedia of Teaching & Teacher Education

Ref LB1025.3 .I58 1995

New Research on Early Childhood Education

Ref LB1139.225 .N49 2008

Peterson's Annual Guides to Graduate Study

Ready Ref. L901 .A46 (Annual)

(Selected content available at <http://www.petersons.com/>)

Peterson's Guide to Four-Year Colleges

Ready Ref. L901 .P447x 2000

(Selected content available at <http://www.petersons.com/>)

Praxis (Kaplan)

Ready Ref LB2367.75 .P35 2005

Projections of Education Statistics

Ref LA210 A28 1978, 1990 – present

Most recent edition available online at <http://nces.ed.gov/programs/projections/>

Significant Benefits: the High/Scope Perry Preschool Study through Age 27

LC4092.M42 S37 1993

(Summary results of the Study through age 40 are available from <http://www.highscope.org/>)

Statistical Abstract of Higher Education in North Carolina

NCC LA340.5 .A22 1967/68 – 1979/80

Ref LA340.5 .A22 1980/81 – 1999/2000

Also available online 1994-95 – present at

<http://www.northcarolina.edu/content.php/pres/publications/publications.htm>

Teacher Certification Requirements in All 50 States

Ready Ref LB1771 .T43x 2003-04

(See also from the University of Kentucky College of Education,

<http://www.uky.edu/Education/TEP/usacert.html>)

Valerie and Walter's Best Books for Children: a Lively, Opinionated Guide

Ref Z1037 .L58 2004

For More/Other Resources

Alexandria (<http://libraryaccess.bac.edu/>)

Search using the subjects below, or use an All Words search for areas of specific interest, for example “educational testing,” or “parent teacher relationships” or “special needs.” You can add another subject of interest to you using the Boolean search feature.

Call Numbers

You can also browse the following areas of the collection for additional materials:

L = Education

LB1025 – LB1050.7 = Teaching (Principles and practice)

LB1028 – LB1028.25 = Research

LB1028.3 = Educational Technology

LB1051 – LB1091 = Educational Psychology

LB1060 = Learning

LB1140 – LB 1140.5 = Education, Preschool

LB1501 – LB1547 = Education, Primary (Grades 1 – 3 or 4)

LB1555 – LB1602 = Education, Elementary (Grades 1 – 6 or 8)

LB1570 – LB1571 = Curricula

LB1775 – LB1779 = Teachers (Professional Aspects)

LB2822.75 = Educational Evaluation

LB3051 – LB3060.87 = Educational tests and measurements

LC189 – LC214.53 = Educational Sociology

LC4704 – LC4706 = Learning disabilities

LC4818 – LC4818.53 = Learning disabled