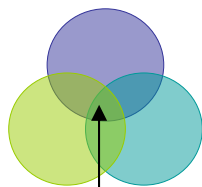
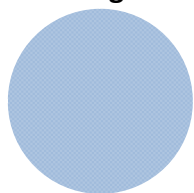


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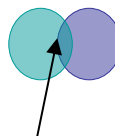
You have a lot of choices in finding good resources. If you have any questions please talk to a Reference Librarian.

Keywords:

Connect keywords/key concepts with: and
(Boolean Logic: and / or / not)



one keyword
three keywords



two keywords

Use synonyms

Use truncation * to include alternative word endings: schools and advertis* (brings back advertising, advertisements, advertisement)

Examples: In *Academic Search Premier*

learning style (2, 262 results)
learning styles (1,714 results)

cognitive style (1, 791 results)
cognitive styles (1,293 results)

multiple intelligences (652 results)
multiple intelligence (753 results)

Books:

- **PASCAL Delivers:** Books from other SC academic libraries. Books are delivered to Edens Library on Mondays, Wednesdays, and Fridays.

Periodical Resources:

Find Articles: → Journals and Magazines: Remote Access

Multidisciplinary Databases:

- **Academic Search Premier** 

—this is the largest multidisciplinary database

—can limit search results to full-text, peer-reviewed or scholarly, date of publication, and by specific journal title.

—easy to tell if full-text is HTML (typed in: will just be listed as full-text) or PDF (scanned in) full-text

—can read abstract by moving cursor over the magnifying glass icon beside the article title.

—can search any database from EBSCO at the same time (I don't recommend searching *ERIC* at the same time.) Click on the "Choose Databases" above the search box.

- **Expanded Academic ASAP** 

—this database adds "helpful" information after the article's title, such as (Report). This information is not part of the article title.

—can limit search results to ones with full-text, peer-reviewed, date of publication, and by specific journal title.

—not as easy to tell if full-text is HTML (typed in: will just be listed as full-text) or PDF (scanned in) full-text

—can search other database from Gale at one time. You can search *Academic OneFile* and *Educator's Reference Complete*. Click on the “Change Databases” in the top green band.

Subject-Specific Databases:

• **ERIC** 

- Covers all aspects of Education from pre-K through college
- can limit results to full-text, publication type, to intended audience of material
- contains indexing for journal articles (EJ*****) and ERIC documents(ED*****). ERIC documents are papers delivered at a conference, syllabi, guides, thesis, books, -you get the idea. ERIC DIGESTS are papers written by ERIC staffers. APA has a special way to cite ERIC documents.
- Can search by ERIC Document Numbers

Other Databases:

- ***Educator's Reference Complete*** (Gale)
- ***Psychology & Behavioral Sciences Collection*** (EBSCO)
- ***Communication & Mass Media Complete*** (EBSCO)
- ***SocINDEX with Full Text*** (EBSCO)

- ***ProjectMUSE***: all articles are scholarly and full-text.
Change search to search for **Article Text**. Then in the tan column on the left-side of the page: Type of Content: check box beside **Articles only** and beside **Only content I have full access to**.

APA Guides:

- Owl at Purdue University: <http://owl.english.purdue.edu>
- Diana Hacker: <http://bcs.bedfordstmartins.com/resdoc5e/>
 - **Articles from a database
 - **DOI (digital object identifiers) for articles

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