

OneSearch @ CSULB

Overview & Tips

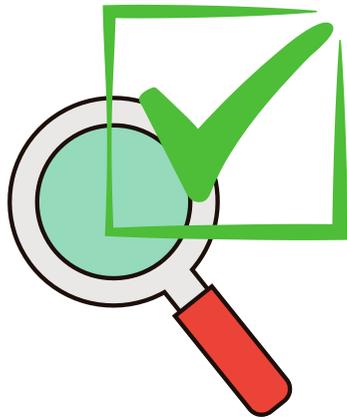
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OVERVIEW

The CSULB OneSearch is a search tool that gives you access to library items, items you can borrow from other CSU campuses, archives, online periodicals, and a variety of media (books, films, government documents, etc.). It's similar to what Google does -- you will search for key terms and add search filters, then receive a list of ranked results.

"When searching OneSearch, you are more likely to retrieve credible, authoritative, and suitable resources for your academic work." (CSULB University Library, 2020)





When should you use OneSearch?

- When working on an assignment or project that requires credible, peer-reviewed sources
- When you need to learn credible information about a topic
- When you want a variety of sources (e.g. books, films, interviews, newspapers, etc.)

When should you NOT use OneSearch?

- When you use field-specific jargon or need database-specific terms
- When you need historical newspapers
- When you need legal journals, case reports, and legislation

(CSULB University Library, 2020)

Choose The Right Filters

Filter results by

Sort by Relevance ▼

Available at CSULB ▲

Full Text Online

Peer-Reviewed Journals

Open Access

Available in the Library

Resource Type ▲

Articles (1,097,912)

Web Resources (229,576)

Newsletter Articles (201,797)

Reports (97,074)

Text Resources (89,881)

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Choose **full text online** if you want to access the sources directly from OneSearch

Choose **peer-reviewed journals** for the most credible sources

Publication Date ▲

From

1500

To

2023

Subject ▼

Author/Creator ▼

Location ▼

Collection ▼

Journal Title ▼

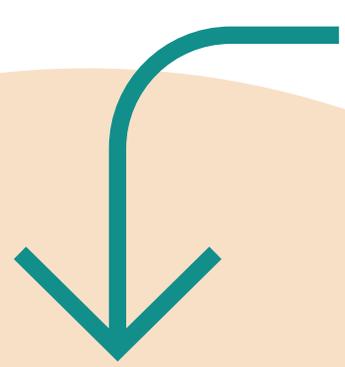
Language ▼

Institution ▼

The **publication date** may be especially important for finding the latest information.

The **subject** may be very helpful if you want results from specific fields

Advanced Search Tips



Search for:

Everything Articles Books & Media (CSULB) Books & Media (all CSU)
 Course Reserves (CSULB)

Search Filters

Any field contains "online classes"

AND Any field contains student performance

OR Any field contains grades

+ ADD A NEW LINE CLEAR

Material Type: All items

Language: English

Start Date: Day Month 2016

End Date: Day Month 2021

Any field contains "online classes" AND Any field contains student performance
OR Any field contains grades

SEARCH

Use Boolean Operators (AND, OR, NOT, *)

AND: will allow for results with the combined key terms

Example: only results with "online class" and "grades" will appear

OR: will allow for either keyword to be used

Example: "student performance" or "grades"

NOT: will remove any results with that key term

Example: "animal NOT dog" results will not include dogs

Use an asterisk (*) after a base word: this will allow for any results with that base word to appear

Example: perform* will yield performance and performed

***Note:** you can add more than one boolean operators per search

Viewing Results - List

Notice that the results are almost 2 million! Try to add enough filters and specific keywords to reduce this number to under a thousand

Including "educational technology". Just search *online classes*

0 selected PAGE 1 **1,947,396 Results** Personalize

1 JOURNAL

Australian journal of educational technology (Online)
Australian Society for Educational Technology.; Murdoch University. Teaching and Learning Centre.; Australasian Society for Computers in Learning in Tertiary Education.; International Society for Performance Improvement. Melbourne Chapter.
 PEER REVIEWED
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2 JOURNAL

Educational technology research (Tokyo, Japan)
Japan Council of Educational Technology Centers.; Educational Technology Journal Association of Japan.
 PEER REVIEWED
[Online access >](#)

Icon Legend

Permalink: this will create a unique link to the source. You can share it or save it for future reference

Email: this will allow you to email the source information

Pin: this will allow you to "save to favorites" (must be logged in). Saving sources will allow you to view them in the future through OneSearch.

Viewing Results - Source Information

The top menu provides a variety of tools: exporting, printing, etc.

Notice that some sources are tagged (e.g. peer-reviewed). These tags will sometimes correspond to filters you've added.

Export To Excel Export BibTeX Export RIS EndNote Print Cite Permalink E-Mail Text

JOURNAL
International journal of educational technology

University of Illinois at Urbana-Champaign. College of Education.; University of Western Australia. Graduate School of Education.

PEER REVIEWED OPEN ACCESS

Search inside
Search for articles within this journal

Article title or keyword

See something that doesn't look right? [REPORT A PROBLEM](#)

Full text availability

American Education Research - Free
Available from 1999 until 2001.

Full-text availability: This section will provide you with link(s) to the full source. Having full access means that you can read, download, and print the source for free.

Viewing Results - Details

The screenshot below includes details of the source we just reviewed. The most relevant set of information includes title, author/contributor, subject, publication date, and notes.

Subjects: correspond to the field of study; some information can be found in a variety of fields.

Notes: may include the abstract/summary information; reading the abstract first can help you determine if the source is useful to you.

Details



Title	International journal of educational technology
Contributors	University of Illinois at Urbana-Champaign. College of Education. > University of Western Australia. Graduate School of Education. >
Subjects	Educational technology > Internet in education > Telecommunication in education > Electronic journals > Periodicals >
Notes	Refereed/Peer-reviewed Sponsored by: Graduate School of Education of the University of Western Australia; and: the College of Education of the University of Illinois at Urbana-Champaign.
Other title	IJET IJET
Publisher	Urbana, Ill. : University of Illinois at Urbana-Champaign ; Perth, W.A. : University of Western Australia Vol. 1, no. 1 (July 1999)-
Publication Date	1999-
Frequency	Twice a year
Language	English
Genre	Periodicals. >
Notes	Refereed/Peer-reviewed Sponsored by: Graduate School of Education of the University of Western Australia; and: the College of Education of the University of Illinois at Urbana-Champaign.
Identifier	LC : 2003238299 OCLC : (OCoLC)42995396 ISSN : 1327-7308

Want to see a video tutorial of OneSearch?

Visit the library's video tutorials at
[https://csulb.libguides.com/aboutonesearch/
tutorials](https://csulb.libguides.com/aboutonesearch/tutorials)

***Note:** "All of the videos included here include background music and closed captioning, none have any voice narration."

Still need help?

Contact a librarian for quick questions or for a research appointment by clicking on the "HELP" section.

Or schedule an appointment at the UWC and have a tutor walk you through OneSearch.

Reference

CSULB University Library. (2020, February 27). *OneSearch @ CSULB*. Retrieved October 27, 2021, from csulb.libguides.com/aboutonesearch/

