

## SU BLACKWELL LIBRARY EDUCATION DATABASES

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The following databases provide Education-specific content:

 **ERIC** (via EbscoHost)

 **ERIC ONLINE** - <http://www.eric.ed.gov/>

Description: Education Resources Information Center (ERIC) provides access to information from journals included in the Current Index of Journals in Education and Resources in Education Index. ERIC provides full text of more than 2,200 digests along with references for additional information and citations and abstracts from over 1000 educational and education-related journals.

Coverage: **Education and education-related** from early childhood through graduate level higher education. Time span: 1966 to present.

 **JSTOR**

Description: JSTOR ([www.jstor.org](http://www.jstor.org)) is a not-for-profit organization with a dual mission to create and maintain a trusted archive of important scholarly journals, and to provide access to these journals as widely as possible. Content in JSTOR spans many disciplines, primarily in the humanities and social sciences. Browse by discipline: **Education**. Historical in scope (pre-1980's).

 **TeachingBooks.net**

Description: TeachingBooks.net is an easy-to-use website that adds a multimedia dimension to the reading experiences of children's and young adult books. The online database is developed and maintained to include thousands of resources about fiction and nonfiction books used in the K-12 environment, with every resource selected to encourage the integration of multimedia author and book materials into reading and library activities.

 **Primary Search**

Description: Primary Search, designed specifically for elementary school libraries and public library children's rooms, contains full text for more than 60 popular, **elementary school** magazines. All full text articles are assigned a reading level indicator (Lexiles). This database also offers indexing and abstracts for nearly 100 magazines. Full text is also available for over 100 student pamphlets. This database also provides the American Heritage Children's Dictionary, 3rd Edition from Houghton Mifflin, and an Image Collection of 107,135 photos, maps and flags. Many full text titles are available in native (searchable) PDF, or scanned-in-color. Full text backfiles to 1989, indexing/abstract backfiles to 1984.

 **Mental Measurements Yearbook (MMY)**

Description: MMY provides a comprehensive guide to over 2700 contemporary testing instruments and information needed for an evaluation of test products for psychology, education, and business. Entries contain descriptive information (purpose, publisher, pricing) and edited reviews written by content area experts.

Coverage: This electronic version of Mental Measurements Yearbook provides information on tests that are described in volumes 9 - 15 (1985-current).

 **Professional Development Collection**

Description: Professional Development Collection, designed for professional educators, provides a highly specialized collection of more than 550 high quality **education** journals, including more than 350 peer-reviewed titles and contains more than 200 educational reports. The most comprehensive/valuable collection of full text education journals in the world. Indexing/abstracts provided for more than 700 journals. The majority of full text titles included in the database are available in native (searchable) PDF, or scanned-in-color. Full text information in the *Professional Development Collection* dates as far back as 1965.

 **COMAR Online**

Description: Code of Maryland Regulation (COMAR). Access to the full text of Maryland State agency regulations. COMAR contains 33 Titles, with each Title corresponding to a department/agency. Searchable by word, phrase, codification # or title, browsable by table of contents. Search: Regulations about **Education**.

Coverage: Provides access to the full text of Maryland State agency regulations. Time span: Updated biweekly corresponding with the effective dates in the most current Maryland Register issue.

## **EDUCATION DATABASES CONTINUED...**

### **Tests in Print (TIP)**

Description: Tests in Print (TIP) provides vital information to users including test purpose, test publisher, in-print status, price, test acronym, intended test population, administration times, publication date(s), and test author(s). TIP serves as a comprehensive bibliography to all known commercially available tests that are currently in print in the English language.

### **Teacher Reference Center**

Description: Provides indexing and abstracts for over 280 of the most popular teacher and administrator trade journals to assist professional **educators**.

### **Physical Education Index**

Description: Over 300 sources are currently indexed, though not all are comprehensive. Over 250,000 records can be searched, with approximately 1,000 added every month. An online thesaurus is available.

Coverage: Covers academic and recreational information concerning **physical education**, physical therapy, sports, medicine, coaching, legal issues and related topics. Time span: 1970 to present.

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### **MULTI-DISCIPLINARY DATABASES**

The following databases contain significant Education-related content:

#### **Academic Search Complete**

Description: Indexes more than 8,500 full-text periodicals, including more than 7,300 peer-reviewed journals. In addition offers indexing and abstracts for more than 12,500 journals and a total of more than 13,200 publications including monographs, reports, conference proceedings, etc.

Coverage: All multidisciplinary subjects, especially **education**.  
Time span: 1887 to present.

#### **Academic Search Premier**

Description: Provides abstracts and indexing for over 7,000 journals. Full text of articles for over 4,000 scholarly publications, including more than 3,100 peer-reviewed publications.

Coverage: Multidisciplinary subjects including: social sciences, humanities, **education**, computer sciences, engineering, physics, chemistry, language & linguistics, arts & literature, medicine, ethnic studies.  
Time span: 1965 to present.

#### **Contemporary Women's Issues**

Description: Indexes 1,500 sources including books and journals and provides links to full-text when available. Over 35,000 records are available and are updated on a weekly basis. SEARCH: **Education**

Coverage: CWI covers numerous subject areas pertaining to women's issues, such as lesbian concerns, family life, human rights, violence and exploitation and other related topics. Time span: 1992 to present.

#### **CQ Weekly**

Description: This resource provides full-text documents with comprehensive coverage of the acts of Congress in a non-partisan manner. SEARCH: **Education**

Coverage: Complete coverage of the US Congress, including the status of bills, votes, amendments, committee activity and more. Time span: 1983 to the present.

#### **Humanities International Complete**

Description: Provides full text of hundreds of journals, books and other published sources from around the world.

Coverage: Includes all data from *Humanities International Index* (over 2,000 titles and 2 million records) plus unique full text content, much of which is not found in other databases.

#### **MAS Fulltext Ultra**

Description: Full-text for over 500 popular general interest and current events publications, as well as 253 full text reference books, nearly 100,000 biographies, 76,000 primary source documents, and an image collection of 116,000 photos, maps and flags. Search: **Education**

Coverage: Includes current events, popular culture, and biographical information. Time span: 1975 to present

#### **MasterFILE Premier**

Description: Provides abstracts and indexing for 2,650 general periodicals. Full text of articles for nearly 2,000 periodicals, and 5,000 full text Magill Book Reviews.

Coverage: Multidisciplinary subjects including general reference, business, **education**, health, general science, multi-cultural issues, biography, and travel. Time span: 1975-present

#### **National Newspapers**

Description: Indexes and provides access to online full text for four newspapers: Christian Science Monitor (1988-current), New York Times (1995-current), Wall Street Journal (1982-current), the Washington Post (1987-current) and The Sun, Baltimore (varies).

Coverage: Covers national, international and local news. The NYT provides text of important speeches and documents; WSJ reports on international finance; and WP offers strong political reporting, editorials and columnists. Time span: Varies with newspaper. Search: **Education**

## MULTI-DISCIPLINARY DATABASES CONTINUED...

### **NetLibrary**

Description: A collection of E-texts covering topics specifically chosen by Maryland Academic Libraries.

Coverage: Collection strengths include computer science, business, international relations, **education**, environmental science, psychology, and civil rights law and history. Search: Education (176 titles).

### **PsycArticles**

Description: PsycARTICLES is a source of searchable full text articles in psychology. The database contains full text articles from 52 psychology journals, including 44 APA journals.

Coverage: PsycARTICLES covers general psychology and specialized, basic, applied, clinical and theoretical research in psychology. Search: **Education** as it relates to psychology. Time span: 1985 to present.

### **Psychology and Behavioral Sciences**

Description: Covers nearly 550 full-text journals, including more than 500 peer-reviewed titles.

Coverage: Covers topics such as emotional and behavioral characteristics, psychiatry & psychology, mental processes, anthropology, and observational and experimental methods. Time span: 1930 to present.

### **PsycINFO**

Description: PsycINFO is the most comprehensive index in psychology and related fields, with more than 1.7 million citations and abstracts of journal articles, book chapters and books, technical reports and dissertations. Its holdings include material from 1,700 periodicals in over 30 languages.

Coverage: Covering the entire range of psychology disciplines, and also includes psychological aspects of related fields such as psychiatry, neuroscience, medicine, sociology, **education**, linguistics, anthropology, business and law. Time span: 1887 to present.

### **Web of Science** (linked to some full-text)

Description: Provides multidisciplinary literature coverage – including cited references - in the sciences, social sciences, arts, and **humanities**. Search backward and forward in time with cited reference searching, analyze results, search over 100 years of back files, and link to the full text. Data from 9,300 journals.

Coverage: Time span: 1900 to present.

### **ArticleFirst**

Description: OCLC index of articles from the contents pages of over 12,000 journals. SEARCH: **Education**

### **Ingenta**

Description: Search or browse more than 20,000 publications from the UnCover, ingenta and CatchWord databases. Articles may be purchased for fax or online delivery. Some libraries may subsidize ordering. Navigate: browse publications – subject area: Social Sciences/**Education** (218 publications in **Education**). International in scope, refer patron to ILL with citation in hand.

Coverage: Coverage spans the humanities, sciences, and social sciences. Time span: 1988 to present.