Locating Curriculum Materials
--Elementary Education --

Finding Curriculum Resources in the Curriculum Materials Collection

From the Library's Web page (library.depaul.edu), select DePaul VuFind Catalog.

In VuFind, select Advanced Search.

On the Advanced Search screen, select Book as the format.

Type in search terms. Try using a subject or keyword search to start.

Advanced Search

In the Location menu, click More, then select Curriculum Materials Collection.
Using the ERIC database to locate curriculum materials

The ERIC database allows you to limit by educational level and publication type. A subject search can be further focused by limiting to the

- **Elementary Education**
- **Guides–Classroom–Teacher**
- **Guides–Classroom–Learner**

[NOTE: The same technique can be used to find research articles in ERIC. Just limit to the publication type *Reports-Research*.]

Using the A-Z Databases list to locate specific databases
by subject discipline, resource type, or name.

Other Online Resources

- Under **Research Guides** on the Libraries’ web site, Click **How To Guides** tab and select **Curriculum Materials** ([http://libguides.depaul.edu/curriculum](http://libguides.depaul.edu/curriculum)).
- Use the **Primary Search** database, which indexes children’s magazines for elementary school students.
- Check other research guides for subject resources in your teaching area (e.g., art, music, languages, etc.).
- Web guides can also be useful. Some great examples were created by Kathy Schrock (educational technologist). See Kathy Schrock’s Guide to Everything [http://www.schrockguide.net/](http://www.schrockguide.net/) and Discovery Education Teacher Resources [http://www.discoveryeducation.com/teachers/].

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