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 educational level and publication types.

**Educational Level**
- Elementary Education

**Publication Types**
- 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).
- 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 are compilations of a variety of resources, like Kathy Schrock's Guide to Everything (http://www.schrockguide.net/). Others feature selected tools that are worth mentioning, such as Discovery Education's WebMath (http://www.webmath.com/) and Puzzlemaker (http://puzzlemaker.discoveryeducation.com/).

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