



Finding books in Owen Library

Using Library of Congress Classification System

A GENERAL WORKS

- AC Collections. Series. Collected Works
- AE Encyclopedias (General)
- AG General Reference Works
- AI Indexes (General)

B PHILOSOPHY, PSYCHOLOGY, & RELIGION

- B Philosophy
- BC Logic
- BF Psychology
- BJ Ethics
- BL-BX Religion

C HISTORY – AUXILIARY SCIENCES

- CB History of Civilization (General)
- CC Archaeology
- CR Heraldry
- CS Genealogy

D HISTORY (Except America)

- D General History
- DA Great Britain
- DE Classical Antiquity
- DK Russia
- DL Scandinavia
- DP Spain & Portugal
- DS Asia
- DT Africa

E-F HISTORY: the AMERICAS

G GEOGRAPHY and ANTHROPOLOGY

- G Geography (General)
- GB Physical Geography
- GC Oceanology & Oceanography
- GF Anthropogeography
- GN Anthropology, Somatology, Ethnology
- GR Folklore
- GT Manners & Customs (General)
- GV Sports & Amusements. Games

H SOCIAL SCIENCES

- H Social Sciences (General)
- HA Statistics
- HC-HD Economy & Business
- HE Transportation & Communication
- HF Marketing, Management, Accounting & Advertising
- HG Finance
- HJ Public Finance
- HQ-HX Sociology

- HQ Marriage & Family
- HV Social Pathology, Public Welfare & Criminology

J POLITICAL SCIENCE

- J Documents
- JC Political Theory
- JF Constitutional History (General)
- JK U.S. Constitutional History
- JX International Law

K LAW

L EDUCATION

- LA History of Education
- LB Theory & Practice. Teaching
- LT Textbooks

M MUSIC

- M Music, Instrumental & Vocal
- ML Literature of Music
- MT Musical Instruction & Study

N FINE ARTS

- NA Architecture
- NC Graphic Arts
- ND Painting

P LANGUAGE AND LITERATURE

- P Philology & Linguistics (General)
- PA Classical Languages & Literatures
- PE English Language (including dictionaries)
- PN Literary History & Collections, Theatre, Oratory, Journalism
- PQ Romance Literatures
- PR English Literature
- PS American Literature
- PT Germanic Literatures
- PZ Juvenile Literature. Short Story Anthologies

Q SCIENCES

- QA Mathematics
- QC Physics
- QD Chemistry
- QE Geology
- QH Natural History
- QK Botany
- QL Zoology
- QM Human Anatomy
- QP Physiology
- QR Bacteriology

R MEDICINE

- RA Public Health, Forensic Medicine and Toxicology
- RC Practice of Medicine
- RT Nursing

S AGRICULTURE

T TECHNOLOGY

- TA Civil Engineering
- TC Hydraulic Engineering
- TE Road & Pavements
- TG Bridges
- TH Building Construction
- TJ Mechanical Engineering & Machinery
- TK Electrical Engineering
- TN Mineral Industries. Mining & Metallurgy
- TP Chemical Engineering
- TR Photography
- TT Trades

U MILITARY SCIENCE

V NAVAL SCIENCE

Z BIBLIOGRAPHY AND LIBRARY SCIENCE

- Z4-8 History of Books
- Z40-115 Writing, Shorthand, and Cryptography
- Z116-550 Book Industries & Trade
- Z1001-8999 Bibliography
 - 1041-1107 Anonyms & Pseudonyms
 - 1201-4941 National Bibliography
 - 5051-7999 Subject Bibliography
 - 8001-8999 Personal Bibliography

Notes: Certain letters of the alphabet are left vacant in the Library of Congress classification system. For example, the letter O is not used and should not be confused with Q, which is used extensively.

Many call numbers include prefixes, which identify location and sometimes media. Be sure to note the prefix as part of the call number in order to save yourself steps when retrieving a number of publications. For example, the prefix (or tag) "Ref" stands for the Reference Collection, which is housed on the main floor. Within the Reference collection the Classification scheme follows this table, as all collections do.

