



Modern Languages – a quick guide to modern language resources

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QG MOD001 [www.abdn.ac.uk/library/documents/guides/qgmod001.pdf]

Online resources

Library Guide to Accessing Electronic Information [available online](#).

Primo

abdn.primo.exlibrisgroup.com

For finding and linking out to databases go to Primo and click on **Find Databases**.

(Library Guide to Primo [available online](#))

E-journals (more in Primo)

Dix-Neuf, French Studies, The German Quarterly, Hispanic Review, Studia Celtica

Bibliographic databases (more in Primo)

MLA International Bibliography

<http://bit.ly/MLABibliography>

The MLAIB covers both language and literature. The Criticism and Reference section of LION has access to the MLAIB. Some links to full text are included. When a list of results is generated click on the **Find It** button to link to full text where available.

Web of Science - Arts & Humanities Citation Index

<http://www.webofknowledge.com/?auth=ShibbolethIDPForm&entityID=https://shibserv.abdn.ac.uk/shibboleth&target=https%253A%252F%252Fwww.webofknowledge.com%252F%253F&ShibFederation=ukFederation>

A database within Web of Science, the Arts & Humanities Citation Index lists millions of journal articles. The **Find It** button searches for full text online or checks the catalogue for a print version where available.

JSTOR

www.jstor.org

More than 300 of the top language and literature journals from start to recent issues. Also a section on Latin American Studies. Mostly full text, but if not, click on the title of the article to find the **Find It** button.

Full text databases (more in Primo)

Ebook Central

<https://ebookcentral.proquest.com/auth/lib/abdn>

Contains more than 120,000 authoritative, recent books including more than 600 titles on the history of art and architecture.

Cambridge Core

www.cambridge.org/core/

We have access to more than 400 History ebooks. Please note that there are many titles listed in CBO where we do not have access to the full text. We only have access to the titles to which we subscribe.


Reference management

RefWorks


<https://refworks.proquest.com/> Allows you to create a database of references and compile bibliographies.

Print resources in The Sir Duncan Rice Library


Books: Floors 4 and 5		
Subject	Shelfmark	Floor
German literature	830	4
French literature	840	4
Hispanic literatures	860	4
Gaelic literature	891.6	4
French language	440	5
German language	430	5
Hispanic languages	460	5
Gaelic language	491.63	5

 **NOTE** Floor 6 has books on social and economic aspects of the countries whose language you are studying. Floor 1 has DVDs in the Heavy Demand section.

Journals: Floor 2	
Title	Shelfmark
Weimarer Beitrage	Per 830 Wei
Esprit: revue internationale	Per 840 Esp
Arizona journal of Hispanic Cultural Studies	Per 860 Ari
Scottish Gaelic Studies	Per 891.6 Sco

 **NOTE** Many of your journals are available online via databases such as JSTOR at www.jstor.org. Check in Primo for subscription details and links.

Reference works: Floor 4	
Title	Shelfmark
Encyclopedia of German Literature (2 volumes)	Ref 830.3 Kon
Guide to French Literature (2 volumes)	Ref 840.3 Lev
Oxford companion to Spanish literature	Ref 860.3 War
Encyclopedia of Latin American Literature	Ref 868.992003 Smi
Celtic culture: a historical encyclopedia (5 volumes)	Ref 891.603 Koc

 **NOTE** Reference items on language (e.g. dictionaries) are on Floor 5.

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