



St John's College Library

SUBJECT GUIDE: EDUCATION

Resources for Education

1. Books

Books on education are located in the Chapel wing, First floor. All education book classmarks begin with L.

A broad outline of the arrangement of education:

L	Education
LA	History of education
LB	Theory and practice of education
LC	Special aspects of education
LD-LG	Institutions, schools, universities, etc. by country

2. Newspapers

The Library takes one education newspaper: *Times Higher Education*. This is located in the Current Periodicals area on the Ground floor.

3. Electronic Resources

[The Library Gateway](#) provides a complete guide to electronic resources available across the University:

<http://www.lib.cam.ac.uk/eresources/index.php>

Select 'Education' from the drop-down menu.

Key resources include:

British Education Index

ERIC

Teachers TV : Education in Video

Note: A Raven password is required for online access off-campus

The Faculty of Education Library website links to some useful online resources which are freely available without a password:

<http://www.educ.cam.ac.uk/library/24hr/resources/>

Screenonline is the British Film Institute's website. The Education Zone contains lesson plans, teaching tips and downloadable resources:

<http://www.screenonline.org.uk/education/>

Other useful links:

Higher Education Statistics Agency: <http://www.hesa.ac.uk/>

International Bureau of Education: <http://www.ibe.unesco.org/en.html>

4. *Audiovisual materials*

The Library has a growing collection of Audiovisual (AV) materials. These may be found in the AV Room on the First floor. Facilities are available in this room for viewing videos/DVDs and listening to CDs and cassettes for study purposes. AV materials may be borrowed for one week and renewed once.

All AV items are on the library catalogue. Copies of a separate printed listing of AV items may also be found in the AV room and at the Issue Desk.

Recommendations

The College Library aims to provide all works necessary for Part One courses, and a selection of the most important works required for Part Two. We receive reading lists from the departmental libraries in advance of each academic year, and continually update the Library collections in response to requests from Directors of Studies, supervisors, and students. If texts you require for your course are not available in the College Library, please talk to a member of Library staff. Recommendation cards for new purchases can be found at the Issue Desk, and all reasonable requests will be considered.

Help

If you have any difficulty in tracing the material you need, whether in printed or electronic format, please ask a member of Library staff for assistance.