HOW TO: Find A Journal Using the Classic (Library) Catalogue: Basic Search

Step 1: Go to http://library.ucalgary.ca/. Scroll down to the bottom of the screen. Under Library Quicklinks you will find the Classic Catalogue. This is the Library Catalogue.

Step 2: Click on the Classic Catalogue. This will take into the Basic Search screen of the Library’s catalogue.

NB. There are 5 ways available for searching the Library Catalogue:

1. Basic Search
2. Advanced Search
3. Browse by Author, Title, Subject
4. Browse by Call Number
5. Reserves: Browse by Course Number
The method that you will use will depend on what you know about what you are looking for. For example, if you know the title of a journal you can use the Basic Search or the Browse by Author, Title, Subject method. The Basic Search looks for words in any other; the Browse search looks for the first word that you typed in the search box.

**Step 3:** Type the words of the journal title into the search box and click on Journal Title.

![Basic Search](image)

**Step 4:** Look at the results screen. There are 13 results. This is because the words *comparative* and *politics* occur in the title.

![Search Results](image)
Step 5: Scroll down the list of results until you find the journal title you need. In this case, result no.9 and 10. One is the online version of the journal, the other is the paper version. Click on the title you want, eg. online.

Step 6: The first screen will provide basic Item Information.

Step 7: Click on University of Calgary users to find the online version of this journal. This screen tells us that the library has this journal online from 1968 to 2011 in an online resource called JSTOR Arts & Sciences II.
Step 8: Click on JSTOR... You will now be taken to the JSTOR online resource and to the journal found in this resource.

Step 9: Browse through the issues to find the information that you need.

NB. Another option available is to search for items in this journal title by using the search box at the top of the screen.