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Databases for
Magazines, Newspapers
and Other Resources

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DATABASES FOR MAGAZINES/NEWSPAPERS/OTHER RESOURCES

To access our databases:

- Go to our library homepage at <http://www.pbcc.edu/library>
- Click on [Articles & Databases](#)
- A new window will open with all of our databases listed. Scroll down to the database of your choice.
- **If you are using a PBCC computer**, click [On Campus](#) beside the database name.
- **If you are NOT on a PBCC computer**, click [Off Campus](#) beside the database name. A new window will open with a login screen.
 - As the **Borrower ID**, enter your 14-digit library card number from the back of your Panther card (the number starts with 24901)
 - Your **PIN** will be 4 digits long. It will either be the last 4 digits of your social security number, or 2 digits for your birth month and two for your birth year-MMYY. Example: If you were born in March 5, 1986, your pin would be 0386.
 - Click on **Log on**.
 - On the following screen, click **Connect to Database**.

Listed below are a few of our most popular resources.

| Database | Description |
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| Academic Search Complete (EBSCO) | Full-text articles from magazines and journals . Covers most academic areas of study. A good starting point for most research. |
| America's Newspapers(Newsbank) | Provides full-text articles from the electronic editions for more than 600 U.S. newspapers . |
| Biography Resource Center (Gale) | Biographical articles from reference books and magazines . |
| CQ Researcher | This online periodical service offers full-text reports of political and social issues. |
| Gale PowerSearch | Conveniently cross-searches multiple Gale Databases providing access to articles from a wide range of books, magazines and journals alike. |
| Health and Wellness Resource Center | A wealth of information on a wide variety of health and medical topics from reference books, magazines, and journals . Multimedia library also provides short videos . |
| Issues & Controversies (Facts.com) | Full-text articles covering societal issues in the news . Pro/Con discussions of hot issues, stats, and graphics. |
| JSTOR | Full-text scholarly journals from Arts & Sciences I & II, Ecology & Botany, and General Science collections. |
| LEXIS-NEXIS Academic | Full-text access to a wide range of news, business, legal, medical and reference information. |
| Literary Reference Center (EBSCO) | Literary criticism, plot summaries, author biographies and work overviews as well as the full-text of over 25,000 poems, 11,000 short stories, and 7,500 novels . |
| Literature Resource Center (Gale) | Critical analyses of authors from every age and literary discipline. Also includes biographies and bibliographies. |
| Opposing Viewpoints (Gale) | Articles from popular <i>Opposing Viewpoints</i> series . Also includes statistics, primary documents, links to websites, and full-text magazine and newspaper articles. |

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