

# How to use the online catalog to find a book in the library at FCHS

1. Open a web browser and go to the online library catalog: <https://lib.psdschools.org/Library/Home>
2. Make sure the library selected is for FCHS. Select a category from the pulldown menu. Search for a book by its title, author, subject, or keyword.

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**New Titles 1 - 7 of 13**

- F Car In
- 851 Dan In
- F Boy In
- F Pul In
- DVD F Ten Out
- DVD 572... Out
- DVD 551... Out

3. Type into the search bar what it is you are looking for and press Enter.

If we have what you are looking for, note whether it is available. In this example for a Title Search the library owns 3 copies of "The Hunger Games" but only 1 is available.

**Search Results:** Returned 6 Results, Displaying Titles 1 - 6

Sort by: Title

**The hunger games**  
By Collins, Suzanne  
2012, 2014., Adolescent, Scholastic Press  
Call No. F Col. Edition: 1st ed.  
Availability: 1 of 3 At Your Library  
Rating: ★★★★★ (26 Ratings) Includes Additional Info

Summary Note: In a future North America, where the rulers of Panem maintain control through an annual televised survival competition pitting young people from each of the twelve districts against one another, sixteen-year-old Katniss's skills are put to the test when she voluntarily takes her younger sister's place.

The next example shows you how to do an Author Search. Type into the search bar the name of the author. You can do this 2 ways, first and last name or last name, first name. You do not have to capitalize the name. If you want to find the latest books by that author sort by Date Published. Note that this search will also list foreign language versions of a title by that author that we have in our library.

The screenshot shows a library search interface. The search bar is set to 'Author' and contains the text 'stephen king'. The search results are sorted by 'Date Published'. The first result is 'It (Eso)' by Stephen King, published in 2019. The second result is 'The outsider : a novel' by Stephen King, published in 2018. The third result is 'End of watch : a novel' by Stephen King, published in 2017. Each result includes a book cover, author information, call number, edition, and availability status. The interface also shows navigation buttons and a '20 Per Page' setting.

The next example shows you how to do a Subject Search. Use this search strategy if your subject is very general. I typed in the subject "hurricanes" and sorted the list by subject. Note that the search includes both fiction and non-fiction titles.

The screenshot shows a library search interface. The search bar is set to 'Subject' and contains the text 'hurricanes'. The search results are sorted by 'Subject'. The first result is 'Salvage the bones : a novel' by Jesmyn Ward, published in 2011. The second result is 'Rescued : saving animals from disaster : life-changing stories and practical suggestions' by Allen Anderson and Linda C. Anderson, published in 2006. The third result is 'Isaac's storm : a man, a time, and the deadliest hurricane in history' by Erik Larson, published in 1999. The fourth result is 'Zeitoun' by Dave Eggers, published in 2010. Each result includes a book cover, author information, call number, edition, and availability status. The interface also shows navigation buttons and a '20 Per Page' setting.

The last example shows how to do a Keyword Search. This is like a subject search but is best used if your subject is specific or you are looking for a book that references a topic and you do not have a specific author or title in mind. You can also use it if you know only a keyword in the title, but not the whole title, of a book. Type in a keyword and press Enter. In this example I typed in "racism". Note the number of titles that appear on the list. Sort the list by date published to find the most current books that have the keyword "racism" in the title or in the cataloged description of the book.

The screenshot displays a library search interface for Fort Collins HS. The search term "racism" is entered in the search bar. The results are sorted by "Date Published" and show 44 results. The first five results are:

- A bound woman is a dangerous thing : the incarceration of African American women from Harriet Tubman to Sandra Bland**  
By Hill, DaMaris B.  
2019, Bloomsbury Publishing  
Call No: S05.48 H11  
Am:Availability:1 of 1 At Your Library  
Summary Note: For black American women, the experience of being bound has taken many forms: from the bondage of slavery to the Reconstruction-era criminalization of women; from the brutal constraints of Jim Crow to our own era's prison industrial complex, where between 1980 and 2014, the number of incarcerated women increased by 700%.<sup>a</sup> For those women who lived and died resisting the dehumanization of confinement—physical, social,
- Frankly In love**  
By Yoon, David  
2019, Adolescent, G.P. Putnam's Sons  
Call No: F Yoo  
Am:Availability:0 of 1 At Your Library  
Summary Note: "High school senior Frank Li takes a risk to go after a girl his parents would never approve of, but his plans will leave him wondering if he ever really understood love—or himself—at all"--
- Lovely War**  
By Berry, Julie, 1974-  
2019, Adolescent, Viking / Penguin Books  
Call No: F Ber  
Am:Availability:1 of 2 At Your Library  
Summary Note: The Greek goddess Aphrodite recounts two tales of tragic love during WWI to her husband, Hephaestus, and her lover, Ares, in a luxe Manhattan hotel room at the height of World War II. She seeks to answer the age-old question: "Why are Love and War eternally drawn to one another?" but her quest for a conclusion that will satisfy her jealous husband uncovers a multi-threaded tale of prejudice, trauma, and music revealing that War is
- In our mad and furious city**  
By Gunaratne, Guy, 1984-  
2018, Adult, MCD x FSG Originals/Farrar, Straus and Giroux  
Call No: F Gun Edition: First American edition.  
Am:Availability:1 of 1 At Your Library  
Summary Note: "Inspired by the real-life murder of a British army soldier by religious fanatics, [this book] is a snapshot of the diverse, frenzied edges of modern-day London. While Selvon, Ardan, and Yusuf organize their lives around soccer, girls, and grime, Caroline and Nelson struggle to overcome pasts that haunt them"--
- Indian horse : a novel**  
By Wagamese, Richard  
2018, Milkweed Editions  
Call No: F Wag Edition: First US edition.  
Am:Availability:1 of 1 At Your Library  
Summary Note: Saul Indian Horse is a child when his family retreats into the woods. Among the lakes and the cedars, they attempt to reconnect with half-forgotten traditions and hide from the authorities who have been kidnapping Ojibway youth. But when winter approaches, Saul loses everything: his brother, his parents, his beloved grandmother—and then his home itself. Alone in the world and placed in a horrific boarding school, Saul is surrounded