



# SEARCHES FOR GENERAL REFERENCE CENTER GOLD

## Subject Guide Search

### 1. Search for Brazil

Notice the lost list of subject headings with “see” and “see also” references

Under the first subject Brazil, select reference books to view.

View Rand McNally Map (Image Only) article.

Click cursor directly on map to show enlarging of map.

(Note: Maps are not interactive; they are static)

Click Citations in left margin.

Click Subjects in left margin to go back to Subjects.

Click on Narrow by subdivision under Periodical References

Note citations are listed in groups of 20 with page indicators. Each citation tells whether there is graphics or PDF file available.

Scroll down and click on Natural Resources (Note: To go to the next page click on the arrow at the bottom of the page.)

Limit to journal Discover and full text articles.

Click on “*Why We’ll Never Run out of Oil*” to see a PDF File (Note PDF files are the exact articles as published in the magazine and that they do not e-mail; however, you can save them to a file and/or print them).

Scroll down article to show nice feature of being able to view other articles linked to the subject and other articles in the same issue.

Click on the Print button in the left margin.

Click the Browser Back button to go back to the article.

Click on E-mail or Retrieval in the left margin. Notice jump to Email box.

### 2. How can a student find information on the lunar eclipse that happened in January 2000?

Type lunar eclipse in the subject search box. Limit search to year 2000. Click Search.

From subject list, view one periodical reference, “The Sky Show: Ring in the New Year with some sparkling star clusters and a total lunar eclipse” from *Astronomy, Jan. 2000*.

### 3. Search for article about the authors: John Steinbeck, Mark Twain, and Jack London.

In Subject Search box type steinbeck and twain and london

Results: Monkeyshines on America, Oct. 1991

### 4. Search for ulysses

Limit text box: James Joyce

Automatically does a Keyword Search



## Relevance Search

1. What is the rate of teen pregnancy?  
Type teen pregnancy in the search box.  
Type rate in text search box.  
Click Search.  
Note percentage rankings from 80% on down from 200 citations.
2. Do a search on smoking and teenagers  
Note relevance ranking from 82% on down of 200 citations.

## Keyword Search

1. Search for title of book by Doris Kearns Goodwin, "Wait till Next Year" and type book reviews in text search box.  
Note all results are book reviews.
2. A student wants to find all the information available on concept cars.  
Type concept cars in search box. Select in entire article content.  
Click Search.

## Advanced Search

1. Find biographical articles on Mark Twain.  
Type su Mark Twain in search box.  
In the text box type biography.  
Click search.
2. A student needs to find a copy of an article in the June 3, 1996 issue of *Forbes*. He/she remembers it had "holy cow" in the title.  
Go to Advanced Search.  
Type: In Forbes and da June 3, 1996. Type holy cow in full text box.  
One article is returned.
1. Find all Reference Books material on the subject Martin Luther King and then find a transcript of his "I have a Dream" speech.  
Type: su martin luther king and so reference books  
View the article.  
Scroll to *The American Reader Edition 1991, p. 331 (4)*  
View text and retrieval choices for actual speech..
2. A coach is interested in the summer Olympics in Sydney, Australia.  
Type summer olympics and ke sydney australia in search box. Click Search.  
He/she also wants information on the winter Olympics in Salt Lake City.  
Search for winter olympics in Salt Lake City, Utah.