



Literacy Criticism

Locating Information in Books

Possible keywords to use when searching for topics in literary criticism:

Literary Criticism
Literature, Criticism, and Interpretation
Literature, Dictionaries
Literature, History, and Criticism
Literature, Stories, and Plots
Literature, Terminology
Literature, Medieval
Literature, Modern
Style, Literary
Author's Name

More online FirstSearch databases to use when searching for literary criticism:

EssayGenLit
HumantiesAbs
LibraryLit
BookReview

Search [ValCat](#) online catalog, to locate reference and circulating books found in the Delta College Library or area Libraries.

- *The Book of Literary Terms: the Genre of Fiction, Drama, Nonfiction, Literary Criticism and Scholarship* (Ref. PN 44.5 .T87)
- *Contemporary Literary Criticism* (Ref. PN 771 .C59)
- *Contemporary Authors* (Ref. Z 1224 .C6)
- *Can Poetry Matter? Essays on Poetry and Culture* (PN 1031 .G52)
- *Feminist Literary Criticism* (PN 98 .W64 F43 1991)
- *Twentieth-century Literary Movements Dictionary* (Ref. PN 597 .T94)
- *The Offbeat--eschew Obfuscation: a literary collection* (PS 571 .M5 O354)
- *Best words, Best Order: essays on poetry* (PN 1031 .D58)
- *Crossing into America: the new literature of immigration* (PS 508 .I45 C76)
- *Literature of the American West: a cultural approach* (PS 561 .L59)
- *Ethics, Literature, and Theory: an introductory reader* (PS 169 .E83 E844 2005)

Locating Information in Periodicals

Browse the following periodicals (newspapers, scholarly journals, popular magazines) to locate articles (print format) on your topic:

Sewanee Review
Writer's Digest
Michigan Quarterly Review
Journal of Basic Writing

Search the following online databases, available on the *Delta Library Web site (LIBRARY RESOURCES)* with authorization and password (CALL 686 -9560) to locate articles (electronic format) on your topic:

[InfoTrac](#): General Reference Center Gold

[EBSCO](#): OmniFile Full Text

Locating Information on the WWW

Search the following Web sites to locate information on your topic:

- *ipl2* (merger of *Internet Public Library* and *Librarians Internet Index*) Literary Criticism - critical analysis of authors and their works:
<http://www.ipl.org/div/litcrit/>
- *Gale's Literary Index* - including *Contemporary Literary Criticism*, and *Dictionary of Literary Biography*: www.galenet.com/servlet/LitIndex