Read 56 (10/16/17, Prof. Hughes)

Library Basics (15 minutes)

Materials: Powerpoint, Library website, Library Information/Services (Handout)

Activity: Library Catalog Worksheet

- Welcome; Objectives for the LIS
- General overview of Library Resources (layout of library, different depts and areas)
- Hours
- Reference and Help Desk
    - Reference Librarians
    - Students can contact us via Chat and phone during open hours, and email during closed hours
    - Book a Librarian service from home page

Circulating books/reference books (loan periods, fines)

Using the Catalog

Finding books

Finding eBooks

Purpose Plan Assignment (15 minutes)

Materials: Powerpoint, Library website

Activity: Purpose Plan Keyword Mapping Worksheet

Building a Search

Keywords and Synonyms

Boolean Operators (AND, OR, NOT)

Purpose Plan and Using Databases (30 minutes)

Materials: Powerpoint, Library website

Activity: Finding Articles with Library Databases

Choosing a database

- Reference *(GVRL)*
- Current Issues *(Opposing Viewpoints, CQ Researcher)*
- News *(LexisNexis)*
- Academic Journals *(EBSCOhost, JSTOR)*
- *eBooks (EBSCOhost)*

Reference Databases

- Using *GVRL* to find background information on a topic
- Using *Opposing Viewpoints* and *CQ Researcher* to find background information on social justice topics

EBSCOhost

Advanced Search

- Entering your keywords using Boolean Operators (AND, OR, NOT)
- Practicing using synonyms

Search Strategies

- Broadening and Narrowing a Search
- Time Frame Search Limiter
- Searching by # of pages in an article (*Academic Search Premier, MasterFilePremier)*

Parts of an Article

- Title, Abstract, Journal Title, #of Pages

Using Search Tools

- Saving or emailing a search
- Citation options

Other Libraries

Websites and Orgs