ELECTRONIC RESOURCES

http://www.orangecoastcollege.edu/academics/library/Pages/Periodicals-and-Electronic-Resources.aspx

For *off-campus access* to the library's electronic resources: find the *Periodicals and Electronic Resources* web site; click on the database you want to search; and the username is your ID number using a hyphen (1234-5678) and the password is your last name.

For encyclopedias and dictionaries:

- <u>BRITANNICA ONLINE</u> includes the *Britannica Encyclopedia*, as well as the *Merriam-Webster's Collegiate Dictionary*, the *Britannica Book of the Year*, video and audio, and links to selective Web sites.
- OXFORD ENGLISH DICTIONARY (OED) is an authoritative guide to the jEnglish language.

For electronic books:

- <u>E-BOOKS</u> (provided by both Ebsco and Springer) provide electronic full-text copies of books.
- <u>GALE VIRTUAL REFERENCE LIBRARY</u> provides electronic full-text copies of published reference, scholarly, fiction, and nonfiction books.

For films and music:

- <u>FILMS ON DEMAND</u> has over 3000 online educational videos on a variety of topics. All videos are closed-captioned and can be searched by title or segment.
- MUSIC & PERFORMING ARTS ONLINE has streaming music and video of many genres of music.

For magazine, journal, and newspaper articles covering all topics:

- <u>CREDO REFERENCE</u> is a great way to start any search for electronic reference books and periodicals
- <u>EBSCO POWER SEARCH</u> and <u>INFOTRAC POWER SEARCH</u> cover a large collection of databases and a variety of materials in all subjects and disciplines. They can limit a search to only scholarly (academic) journals and they provide help with citation of these electronic resources.
- <u>ACADEMIC ONEFILE</u> and <u>ACADEMIC SEARCH PREMIER</u> contain mostly full-text periodical articles on a wide range of subjects and disciplines.
- <u>LEXIS-NEXIS ACADEMIC</u> is a premier online source of full-text local, national, and international news, business, legal, and government information, mostly from 1985 to the present.
- MASTER FILE PREMIER and POPULAR MAGAZINES provide access to full-text popular magazines.
- <u>STUDENT RESOURCES IN CONTEXT</u> and <u>MAS ULTRA-SCHOOL EDITION</u> provide reference and primary sources, periodical articles, and multimedia on all core subjects.

For newspaper articles:

<u>INFOTRAC NEWSSTAND</u>; <u>LEXIS-NEXIS ACADEMIC</u>; <u>LOS ANGELES TIMES</u> (1980 to present);
and <u>NEWSPAPER SOURCE PLUS</u> (full-text newspapers as well as television and radio news transcripts).

SPECIALIZED ELECTRONIC RESOURCES

For Business:

• BUSINESS & COMPANY PROFILES, BUSINESS SOURCE ELITE, LEXIS-NEXIS, and others

For Controversial, Social Issues and Opposing Viewpoints:

- <u>OPPOSING VIEWPOINTS IN CONTEXT</u> and <u>POINTS OF VIEW REFERENCE CENTER</u> provide essays, full-text magazine and newspaper articles, statistics, primary documents, and links to websites.
- <u>CQ RESEARCHER</u> provides in-depth, non-biased analysis of the most current major and controversial issues nationally and internationally. (See Global below).

For Countries and Cultures:

- <u>CULTUREGRAMS</u> and <u>COUNTRYWATCH</u> provide specific country report information well as social issues, cultural information, maps, statistics, and more for countries and cultures across the world.
- <u>GLOBAL ISSUES IN CONTEXT</u> and <u>CQ GLOBAL RESEARCHER</u> provide analysis of social, political, military, economic, environmental, science related, health related, and cultural issues.
- <u>iINFORME!</u> provides indexing, images, and full-text of popular Spanish-language magazines.

For Health and Medical:

- <u>HEALTH REFERENCE CENTER ACADEMIC</u>, <u>MEDLINE</u>, and <u>CONSUMER HEALTH COMPLETE</u> provide scholarly journal articles and consumer information.
- <u>OVID PRIMAL PICTURES</u> provides access to three-dimensional human anatomy modules such as Functional Anatomy and Radiological Cross-Sectional Anatomy.

For History:

HISTORY REFERENCE CENTER, AMERICA: HISTORY AND LIFE, JSTOR, and others

For Hospitality, Travel and Tourism:

• HOSPITALITY AND TOURISM COMPLETE

For Law:

LEXIS-NEXIS ACADEMIC and LEGALTRAC

For Literature and Literary Criticism:

 <u>LITERATURE RESOURCE CENTER</u> which provides critical analysis, biographies, overviews, bibliographies, and periodical articles, <u>GALE LITERARY DATABASES</u>, and <u>ISTOR</u>

For Military / Government: MILITARY & GOVERNMENT COLLECTION provides current news and articles

For Philosophy and Religion: RELIGION AND PHILOSOPY COLLECTION

For Psychology:

 GALE PSYCHOLOGY COLLECTION, PSYCHOLOGY AND BEHAVIORAL SCIENCES COLLECTION, PSYCINFO, and others

For Science:

• SCIENCE, GREENFILE, NATURE, NATIONAL GEOGRAPHIC, and others

For Social Sciences:

• ISTOR, CULTURE GRAMS, and GLOBAL ISSUES IN CONTEXT