Digital Library Pathfinder

After you know what your research questions are, your first step is to hit the card catalog! This will search for both books in our library and websites about your topic.

Try using the search words below to get you started.

**Possible Search Key Words for Russian Revolution Topics**

- The name of the person you are researching (e.g., Karl Marx, Leon Trotsky etc.)
  - NOTE: You may have to reverse the first and last names, so to search for “Josef Stalin” type in “Stalin, Josef”
- Russian Revolution
- Propaganda
- National Socialism

**Databases**

Check out our library’s databases first!! They have tons of reliable information about your topics, including PRINT SOURCES like magazine articles and articles from books, as well as multimedia content (video, images, etc.). Databases are the next best thing to books.

**Gale**
Includes two databases. Choose the Student Resource Center database.

**To logon, go to** [http://infotrac.galegroup.com/default](http://infotrac.galegroup.com/default)
Username and password information is available at the circulation desk in the library.

Then, type in your search term(s) in the search bar on the upper right side of the page.

Don’t forget to explore the hyperlinks embedded in the articles you find, and also the links along the right side of the page!

**BONUS!** MLA Works Cited entry is at the bottom of each article!
Includes several history databases. Choose the **World History: The Modern Era** or **The World at War** database.

**To logon, go to** [http://socialstudies.abc-clio.com](http://socialstudies.abc-clio.com)

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Open Websites

Google Books
Free book sources on the internet!!
1. Go to Google and click on the More tab.
2. Then, select Books.
3. Type in your search terms (e.g., “Russian Revolution”)
4. Then, click Preview Available on the left side of the page to get to the links of books with free content.

Webpath Express
1. Open the library catalog by clicking the desktop shortcut that says “anhs library search.”
   a. You can also access this at home by going to www.library.rjuhsd.us
2. Choose “Webpath Express” along the left side of the page.
3. Type in your search term(s) in the “Find” bar at the top of the page.
4. Filter your results by grade level or domain (e.g., .com, .edu., gov, etc.) at the top.
Russian Revolution in General
History Channel’s Russian Revolution Page: http://www.history.com/topics/russian-revolution
A succinct synopsis of the revolution with links to related content and photos.

BBC’s “War and Revolution in Russia”:
http://www.bbc.co.uk/history/worldwars/wwone/eastern_front_01.shtml
A great overview of the revolution.

BBC’s Historic Figures: http://www.bbc.co.uk/history/historic_figures/
Navigate to the name of the person you wish to research (search by last name!). Each article is a brief synopsis of the person’s life, along with a picture.