



Pot of Gold Library Research and Information Literacy Tutorial

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THE POT OF GOLD QUIZ

The POT OF GOLD Library Research & Information Literacy Quiz tests your fundamental information literacy, as well as your knowledge of how to navigate among the content and services of an academic library. To complete the 25-question quiz successfully, you must earn at least 80%. Soon after successful completion of the quiz, you will receive by email an electronic confirmation and a certificate of completion.

Completing the quiz successfully is also your first step in obtaining your Library Research and Information Literacy Badge. For more information, visit: http://bit.ly/ND-info-literacy-badge.

* R	equired	
1.	. Email address *	
2.	. Your First Name *	
3.	. Your Last Name *	
4.	. Your Instructor's Email (if applicable)	
Ur	ntitled Section	
5.	. Which resource is published closest in time to	the event(s) it describes? *
	Mark only one oval.	
	Book	
	Journal Article	
	Newspaper	
	Encyclopedia	
6.	. Which of the following resources would most Mark only one oval.	likely be considered a primary source? *
	Diary	
	Journal article	
	Textbook	
	Encyclopedia	

	owing represents the timeframes of the information cycle, from least to of time required until publication? *
	ewspaper> Journal article> Magazine> Book
	agazine> Newspaper> Journal article> Book
	ewspaper> Magazine> Journal article> Book
Newspaper	r> Magazine> Blog> Journal article> Book
8. Which of the follo	owing would make the best research question to guide an analytical research
Mark only one ova	I.
Is fast food	bad for children?
Oo fast foo	d companies aim their advertisements at children?
How do fas	st food companies create effective advertisements aimed at children?
Is advertising	ng aimed at children bad?
9. What is the first s	step in investigating your research topic? *
Reading a	scholarly article about the topic
Searching	a database
Analyzing t	the assignment
Citing your	sources
Part 2/5	
	search asks you to explore multiple aspects of your subject area and present hout attempting to persuade the reader of your position? *
Basic repor	rt
Opinion pie	ece
Analytical p	paper
Argumenta	tive paper
except: *	og (ND Catalog) is the right place to search for all of the following sources,
Mark only one ova	I.
Articles	
Periodical ⁻	Γitles
Books	
Videos and	I DVDs

12. Which of the following resources would give you the best overview of your topic? * Mark only one oval.
Encyclopedia
Government document
Newspaper
Scholarly Journal
13. Which of the following resources is/are an example of a database? * Mark only one oval.
Catalog Plus
Academic Search Premiere
Only Academic Search Premiere and Catalog Plus
All of the resources listed are databases
Amazon.com
14. All of the following are true except for one. Which statement below is untrue? * Mark only one oval.
Search engines such as Google offers more precise, targeted searches because they do not search by subject headings.
When you perform a "Keyword Search," you are searching all words in a record, including among the TITLE, ABSTRACT, and AUTHOR fields.
When you perform a "Subject Search," you search only the subject field of the record, yielding more precise results.
Subject headings (or 'descriptors') describe the main topics of each resource (article, book, etc.).
Part 3/5
15. What type of resource does the following citation refer to? *
Fine, R. (1977). Psychoanalysis as a philosophical system: The basis for integrating the social sciences. <i>The Journal of Pschohistory, 5</i> (1), 1-66.
Mark only one oval.
Book chapter
Journal article
Book
Magazine
Dissertation

16. Which of the following BEST describes the function of library call numbers? * Mark only one oval.
Call numbers are 'addresses' that put books on similar topics in the same 'neighborhood' on the shelf, making topical browsing and research easier and more efficient.
Call numbers help librarians to efficiently reshelve books once they are returned by patrons.
Call numbers are used to put books by the same author together alphabetically on the shelf.
Call numbers are used to group books published during the same time period together.
17. Which of the following questions helps you to determine the RELEVANCE to your research of a potential scholarly resource? *
Mark only one oval.
Is the source free of bias?
Is the author an established expert in the field?
Does the source add something new to your knowledge of the topic?
Was the source published in the last 5 years?
18. In which type of research would currency be most important to determining the relevance of a resource? *
Mark only one oval.
Health Sciences and Medicine
Literature
Philosophy
History
19. An author's institutional affiliation and credentials are a clue primarily to his or her: *
Mark only one oval.
Relevance
Authority
Purpose
All of the above
Accuracy
Part 4/5
20. A biography of Apple founder Steve Jobs would be considered: * Mark only one oval.
A primary source
A secondary source
A tertiary source

21.	to just	g lost the name of the author for a quote you want to include in your paper, you decide include a paraphrase of her words as your own ideas. This is: *
	Mark c	only one oval.
		Okay, because you are using only her ideas and not her actual wording.
		Okay, because academic papers are not subject to copyright law.
	paper.	A copyright violation because you didn't receive written permission to use her ideas in your
	her.	Plagiarism, because you are using another's ideas as your own, rather than citing or crediting
22.		of the following is a violation of copyright? * only one oval.
		All of the above.
		Making copies of commercial software or music to give to your friends without permission.
		Dowloading popular music that was put on the Internet illegally.
		Downloading images for use on your own web site without permission of the copyright holder.
	holder	Emailing copies of an article to all of your classmates without permission of the copyright
23.		of the following is NOT plagiarism? * only one oval.
	author	Summarizing an author's main point and citing the source, while giving credit to the original
		Borrowing facts or statistics that are not common knowledge without proper acknowledgment.
		Restating or paraphrasing a passage without citing the original author.
		Borrowing the idea or opinion of someone else wihout giving the person credit.
24.		s the most efficient way to find scholarly articles for your paper? *
		Browse through issues of journals or magazines in your subject area
		Search the Library Catalog
		Search an article database
		Search Google or another search engine

Part 5/5

25. You find a citation for a 1998 article from the Journal of American Folklore. In which single database below should you expect to find the article? * Journal Of American Folklore ISSN 0021-8715 ACCESS ONLINE V **JSTOR Early Journal Content** Available from 1888 volume 1 issue 1 until 1922 volume 126 Project Muse Online Journals Available from 2001 volume 114 issue 451 **EBSCOhost Art Source** Available from 1998 until 2011 ProQuest Literature Online Available from 1999 volume 112 issue 444 Mark only one oval. EBSCOhost Art Source (Available from 1998 until 2011) ProQuest Literature Online (Available from 1999 to present) Project Muse Online Journals (Available from 2001 to present) JSTOR Early Journal Content (Available from 1888 until 1922) 26. Which doctrine allows us to use some limited portion of another's work without permission, for purposes of critique or education, and as long as that use is sufficiently transformative and does not affect the market value of the original work. * Mark only one oval. Copyright Freedom of Information Intellectual Freedom Fair Use 27. If you were investigating the impact of global warming on drought, which would be the most authoritative and credible resource? * Mark only one oval.

An editor for the New York Times newspaper
The Executive Director of Consumer Climate Watch, an organization that publishes web articles on the 'liberal hysteria surrounding global warming'
A staff writer for Newsweek magazine
A white paper by a meteorologist at the National Center for Atmospheric Research, a governmentally-funded research and development center

Language used in popular magazines is easier for non-experts to read. Scholarly journals have more advertising. Scholarly journals have a broader overview of topics than popular magazines. Popular magazines have a more rigorous editorial process. ntify the type of resource referenced, below: *
Popular magazines have a more rigorous editorial process.
ntify the type of resource referenced, below: *
Kammen, C., & Wilson, A.H. (2012). Monuments. In <i>Encyclopedia of local history</i> . (pp. 363-364) Lanham, MD: AltaMira Press.
rk only one oval.
Reference Handbook
Encyclopedia
Magazine
Journal Article
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