



Library Services

Pellissippi State Technical Community College

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This month's Featured Databases:

Curriculum Essentials

ProQuest *Curriculum Essentials* is a resource for those who need high-quality information across a number of diverse and academic subjects. Complementing existing library multi-disciplinary indexes, *Curriculum Essentials* is perfect for students and professionals in our two-year academic environment with an impressive collection of journals offering users a one-stop resource for



their technical and academic research needs. In addition to limiting your search by date, you can also exclude book reviews and newspapers as well as choose scholarly, peer-reviewed journals.

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Try **MagillOnLiterature Plus**, an online database that combines the content of two trusted online Magill databases into a fully integrated and enhanced single database. The database also includes **MasterPlots** and **MasterPlots II**.

The database is composed of approximately 35,000 critical analyses, 6,500 biographical records, more than 1,000 images and a glossary of 1,310 literary terms.



Welcome to Pellissippi State and our 2006 spring semester! If you are new to our college, discover the Library and site campus ERC's!

The library and ERC's are good places to pick up or renew your student ID, check out books and laptops for use in the building, and reserve a group study room. Currently, the Library collection consists of:

- 59,000 books
- 45,000 electronic books
- 1,000 downloadable audio books
- 200+ periodicals
- 40+ electronic databases

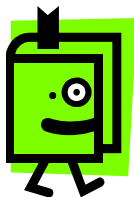
Reminder:

- Renew your Pellissippi student ID and your TBR/UT borrower's card at the beginning of each semester.
- If you find a book at another Pellissippi campus, you can request that it be sent to you by campus mail in 1-2 days! Just print out the title record from the Online Catalog and bring it to the Circulation desk at your campus.
- You can access Pellissippi's library catalog and databases from your home computer by using your student account username and password.



Coming soon! The Pellissippi State Library has acquired a new library system. More details in the March newsletter.

To see the complete list of electronic databases from the Pellissippi State Library, go to:
<http://www.pstcc.edu/library/online.html>



New Books!

The Library posts a list of newly purchased books each month. To view a complete list of new books purchased lately, visit: <http://www.pstcc.edu/library/libserve/newbook.htm> or visit the Reference center area.

If you are at a satellite campus and want to check out that new book, go to the **Online Catalog**, find the book title, print out the title record page, and bring it to the ERC circulation desk. We'll get the book for you in 1-2 days! **Here are just a few titles:**

- BF Coping with anxiety: 10 simple ways to relieve anxiety, fear, & worry. E. Bourne.
- BF No!: how one simple word can transform your life. J. Kemp.
- BF Birth order book: why you are the way you are. K. Leman.
- CR Confederate battle flag: America's most embattled emblem. J. Coski.
- DD Hitler youth. M. Kater.
- DR This was not our war: Bosnian women reclaiming the peace. S. Hunt.
- DS Silenced cry: one woman's diary of a journey to Afghanistan.
- GV Something in the way she moves: dancing women from Salome to Madonna. W. Buonaventura.
- HD Social security and its discontents: perspectives on choice. M. Tanner.
- HD Halliburton agenda: the politics of oil and money. D. Briody
- HQ Life is not fair: and everything else they forgot to teach you in school. B. Bernard.
- HQ Why boys don't talk – and why it matters. S. Shaffer.
- HQ Beyond romance: making love last. R. Simmons.
- HQ Never too old to rock & roll: life after 50. T. Hardin.
- HV Cybercrime: a reference handbook. B. Schell.
- HV FBI and American democracy: a brief critical history. A. Theoharis.
- JK Why the electoral college is bad for America. G. Edwards.
- KF Gay rights and American law. D. Pinello.
- KF "Huddled masses" myth: immigration and civil rights. K. Johnson.
- ML Turn the beat around: the secret history of disco. P. Shapiro.
- ML Why white kids love hip-hop. B. Kitwana.
- N Art marketing 101. C. Smith.
- ND Full bloom: the art and life of Georgia O'Keeffe. H. Drohojowska-Philp.
- PR Poetry of slavery: an Anglo-American anthology. M. Wood.
- PR Who murdered Chaucer?: a medieval mystery.
- PR Looking for sex in Shakespeare. S. Wells.
- QH Genes and DNA: a beginner's guide to genetics and its applications. C. Omoto.
- QH Genomics age: how DNA technology is transforming the way we live and who we are. G. Smith.
- QH Cloning after Dolly: who's still afraid? G. Pence.
- R Why do men have nipples? M. Leyner.
- R Patient's guide to preventing medical errors. K. Berntsen.
- RC Age-proof your mind. Z. Tan.
- RC 10 simple solutions to panic. M. Antony.
- TH Backyard playground: recreational landscapes & play structures.
- TJ Wind power: renewable energy for home, farm, and business. P. Gipe.
- TS Paper or plastic: searching for solutions to an overpackaged world. D. Imhoff.

...and New Multimedia Titles-- just a few

Video-DVD: <ul style="list-style-type: none">• Bush's Brain (DVD 198)• Gore Vidal's Lincoln (DVD 194)• Islam, Empire of Faith (DVD 204)• The Joy Luck Club (DVD 201)• Kingdome of David, The Saga of the Israelites (DVD 203)• The True Story of Alexander the Great (DVD 199)	World Wide Web Resources: <ul style="list-style-type: none">• Hazardous Substances Data Bank: Specialized Information Services, National Library of Medicine http://toxnet.nlm.nih.gov/• In the First Person: An Index to Letters, Diaries, Oral Histories and Personal Narratives http://www.inthefirstperson.com/firp/index.aspx
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