

LIBRARY ASSIGNMENT INSTRUCTIONS

Due: Turn in the completed attached page on **Mon. 8/20** at the **beginning** of class.

Objective: Demonstrate proficiency in using the **Social Sciences** database (via PsycINFO) for doing on-line literature searches.

Prerequisite: Prior knowledge of library tutorial

Instructions: Have at hand the tutorial, *Online Search of Social Science Literature* and both pages of this assignment.

1. Select a topic using a combination of any 2 or 3 of the keywords below.

abuse	child	eating	mother	self
adolescent	climate	emotion	motivation	sex
age	cognitive	esteem	olfactory	short-term
alcohol	college	health	organizational	skills
anger	competence	hypnosis	perception	social
antisocial	conditions	infant	persuasion	states
anxiety	depression	intelligence	prenatal	student
artificial	development	interaction	primate	students
attention	differences	leadership	recall	suggestibility
attitudes	distractibility	major	relations	test
behavior	drug	memory	schizophrenia	working

OK to vary term slightly, e.g., children for child, hypnotic for hypnosis, etc. When you do the search, you can use a wild card to get all endings (for example, infan* = infant, infants, infancy, infantile).

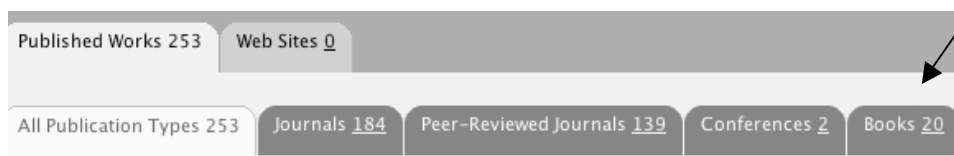
2. Find **2 journal articles** and **1 book** that meet the following criteria:

- a. pertains directly to the subject
- b. published since 1990 and in English
- c. available at UC Davis (must have a local call number) **or** in full text which can be downloaded

3. Fill in the requested information on the attached page.

Trouble-shooting:

Remember to use the entire Social Sciences category, rather than just PsycINFO.



In the records list, you will need to select the correct publication type tab to find books.

For help on formatting the citation/reference in APA style, see <http://www.lib.ucdavis.edu/dept/hss/apa.php>

LIBRARY ASSIGNMENT FORM

NAME: (PRINT - last name first) _____

Due: Mon. 8/13 at the **beginning** of class (if you can't make it on time, have someone else hand it in).

A. **Topic** (keywords from provided list) [1 pt.]: _____

B. **Journal article #1** [3 pts.]

1. Reference (**correctly** formatted in APA style, *no extra info*) – Do **NOT** count on the UC Link style being correct, even if it says APA style. You **must** check the format – see <http://www.lib.ucdavis.edu/dept/hss/apa.php>

2. Full-text electronically for available for download? (check one) (-2 pts. if incorrect)

___ YES

If yes, publisher/vendor name _____

___ NO

If no, UCD Call no. for the journal _____

C. **Journal article #2** [3 pts.]

1. Reference (correctly formatted in APA style, *no extra info*) – *OK to cut and paste with scotch tape.*

2. Full-text electronically for available for download? (check one) (-2 pts. if incorrect)

___ YES

If yes, publisher/vendor name _____

___ NO

If no, UCD Call no. for the journal _____

D. **Book** [3 pts.]

1. Reference (correctly formatted in APA style, *no extra info* – **double-check** it)

2. UCD Call no. _____ (if not at UCD, OK if interlibrary loan, but you must specify location and call number. If not, pick another topic)