Find an article at Madison College Libraries [image: screenshots of Michael Perry article and article about Moviefone]

At Madison College Libraries, we still subscribe to more than 200 periodicals in print, including magazines, newspapers, scholarly journals and trade publications. [image: photo of various periodicals]

However, the vast majority of our article content is now available digitally online, wherever and on whatever you use to access the internet. [image: image of ipad with JSTOR mobile interface]

Begin at the Libraries’ home page by clicking on ‘databases’. [image: screenshot of libraries home page with Databases tab highlighted]

Then click ‘Browse databases by A-Z list’ [image: screenshot of libraries' databases page with 'browse databases by a-z list' highlighted]

Here you will find our three column list of databases, from which you can locate articles. [image: screenshot of a-z list of library databases web page]
Slide 7 - Vendors
Each database provides a searchable, sortable collection of published articles on almost any conceivable topic.
[Image: 4 library database logos]

Slide 8 - Starting Point. Academic Search Complete is an excellent starting point, because not only is it our single largest database – it indexes over thirteen thousand publications – it also has article content that is ‘multidisciplinary’, meaning it has articles on just about everything. [Image: screenshot of a-z database list with Academic Search highlighted]

Slide 9 - EZProxy
To use any of our databases off-campus, you will be asked to login using your Madison College username and password.
[Image: screenshot of ezproxy login page]

Slide 10 – AS UF. Let’s say you want to find articles to address your research question, “What types of job-related injuries are common among contemporary firefighters?” For our search, let’s put the term ‘firefighters’ in one search box and our keyword ‘injury’ in another. When we search, we get over 700 articles related to that topic, and the most relevant appear at the top of our results. [Image: screenshot of Academic Search search options]

Slide 11 - Finding Full Text
We have clicked on the title of one of these articles and it gives us both a full record of the article and abstract summary of the article’s contents. To the left it provides a link to the full text of the article.[Image: screenshot of sample article record]

Slide 12 - Full Text Display
And here it is, the full text. [Image: screenshot of sample article full-text]
Slide 13 - Tools and Ref Research Link. In addition, the database provides a number of tools to use with articles that help you email, print, link to, and even cite the article for your bibliography or works cited page. Although, if you do need our help with finding articles or for any other question, click on ‘Reference and Research Help’. [image: screenshot of link to Reference and Research Help]

Slide 14 - Get Help
Here you will find all the ways you can contact a Madison College Librarian for assistance.

[image: screenshot of Get Help contact information]

Slide 15 - Thanks
Thanks for viewing this HOWLER tutorial.

[image: HOWLO logo and Thank You!]