

### **Student Learning Outcomes**

An ENGL 1100-1110 Information Literate student

- Distinguishes between free versus fee-based information.
- Applies established criteria to evaluate information retrieved through the Web.
- Defines a specific information need.
- Constructs a search strategy relevant to the defined information need.
- Identifies a single subject database.
- Performs keyword(s) searches using Boolean Operators.
- Retrieves print and full text articles through a research database.
- Distinguish between popular magazine and academic/scholarly journal.
- Demonstrates the ethical use of information.
- Recognizes additional areas of research assistance.

### **Assessment**

Pre and Post survey instruments may be administered after several library instructional sessions.

### **Instructional Materials**

Selected Reference Materials

Subject Pathfinder (*when appropriate*)

Database(s) Handout

Magazine vs. Academic Journal Handout

### **Instructional Content**

Using the University Libraries

- Defining your information need and forming a search strategy
- Find a book through UT Library Catalog
  - Multiple Keyword(s) searches
  - Boolean Operators (AND)
  - Choosing keyword(s) and using synonyms
- OhioLINK

Database and search strategy

- Evaluation of web information
- Free vs. fee-based information

Information Literacy Instruction Module  
ENGL 1110 College Composition I  
ENGL 1100 Composition I with Workshop

- Difference between a Magazine and a Journal
- Identify a single database (Academic Search Complete or America's Newspapers)
- Search Strategy
  - Formulate your search
  - Keyword Search vs. Subject Heading
  - Boolean Operators (AND)
- Other functions of database
  - Saving and emailing
  - Reference citation builder
  - Ethical use of information
- Retrieving articles
  - Full text through database
  - Full text through OhioLINK
  - Accessing in the library collection

Services in the library

- Course Reserves
- Reference Desk
- Library Instructor
- Computer Lab
- Learning Enhancement Center