



RBC Library

Research Tips for Dual-Enrollment Psychology Students

Library and Computer Lab at RBC: The Library Annex is located on the Second Floor of Statesman Hall (PE/gym building). During the semester, the library is open from 8 am to 5 pm, Monday to Friday and from 2 pm to 5 pm on Sunday. There are only two computers for students in the Library Annex...additional computers are available in the Academic Computer Lab (Ernst Hall, Room 102). Remember that RBC and the local high schools operate on different academic calendars...check the library schedule online at www.rbc.edu/library.

Research From Home: As RBC students, you will receive an email username and password (even though you won't actually have an email account to use). This username and password will allow you to access library databases from home.

When accessing databases from off-campus, you will be prompted to log in.

Log in with your RBC username and password (just like you do in Blackboard and email). If you do not know your username, you may access it via Banner or by asking Library staff for assistance. Do not add "@rbc.edu" to your username when logging into VIVA from home.

The student password begins with the **CAPITAL LETTER P** followed by the last six digits of the Social Security number.

Richard Bland College Library
Off-campus access to LION, netLibrary and VIVA databases — EZproxy Login Page

It seems that you are trying to access Richard Bland College Library's VIVA databases from off-campus. Please read the instructions below and login.

LION
To access LION, the library catalog as a **guest user** without logging in, click [here](#).

To log in to LION, netLibrary and VIVA databases, you will need to know your **RBC_email username and password**. Please enter that information in the fields below and click **Login** to proceed.

Tips . . . If you are using **AOL**, we suggest that you log in as you normally do; next you should minimize AOL and open Internet Explorer. Use Internet Explorer to access the library web page and log into VIVA. Also, make sure that your browser accepts cookies.

Please enter your username:
Please enter your password:

Login

Databases for You to Use: You will find articles on the subject of psychology in **PowerSearch**, **PsycARTICLES** and **PsycINFO**. To access, click on the VIVA link from the library web page (www.rbc.edu/library). **PowerSearch**, **PsycARTICLES** and **PsycINFO** are available from the listing of VIVA databases.

✓ PowerSearch (Thomson Gale) ▲		Search Gale databases (i.e. <i>InfoTrac OneFile & Opposing Viewpoints Resource Center</i>) at the same time!
✓ PsycARTICLES ▲		Full-text articles from journals published by the American Psychological Association.
✓ PsycINFO ▲		Partially full-text database of psychology articles. Articles found here may be ordered for you through Interlibrary Loan .

When searching the databases, sometimes you will find articles available in their entirety in full-text format. Other times, the full-text is not available. You can see whether the RBC Library owns a particular journal by checking LION (the library catalog). *Note that during the Renovation, with the exception of Journal of Marriage & the Family, only current issues of journals will be housed in the Library Annex.* Articles not available full-text and not in the library can be ordered for you from other Virginia academic libraries through ILL (Interlibrary Loan). To utilize this service, complete an ILL Request Form from the library web page (<http://www.rbc.edu/library/Forms/loanform.htm>).

Checking out Books: You may check out up to five books from the RBC Library. To obtain a library card, you will need to show photo ID.

Most importantly, the library staff are here to help! Please stop by, call, or email us with your questions!

Phone: 804-862-6226/6227/6228 | Email: library@rbc.edu