

Library Staff Instructions

Searching the Catalog

DueNorth		Home	Staff Login
Search Select category: All	Go • or Advanced Search - Need help?		

Figure 5: Simple search

Simple Search

The Search box at the top of the DueNorth home page is also called Simple Search. It allows for keyword searching. You can combine terms from a title and author. A common title such as Tale of Two Cities or the terms "Dickens tale" will return a large number of hits. Following is an example of a simple search that returned a small number of hits. This search was for the title The grizzly bear family book by Michio Hoshino. The words 'grizzly' and 'michio' were entered.



Figure 6: Simple search results

Advanced Search

The advanced search lets you:

- Combine terms, author and title as well as subjects and ISBNs.
- Change the sorting of the results list.
- Change the number of results per page.
- The system defaults to "All of these words."

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Regional Catalog and Resource Sharing System		Advanced Searc	h					
This page allows you to enter more detailed search terms. The more fields you fill in, the smaller your set of results will be.								
Keyword(s)			All of these words	Any of these words				
Title			All of these words	Any of these words				
Author			All of these words	Any of these words				
Subject(s)			All of these words	Any of these words				
Sort by Results per page	relevance \$,				
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Your query:	Use the form	above and your adv	anced search will appe	ar here				
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Figure 7: Advanced search

fill in, the smaller your set of results will be.
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Search!

Figure 8: Advanced search using Title and Author

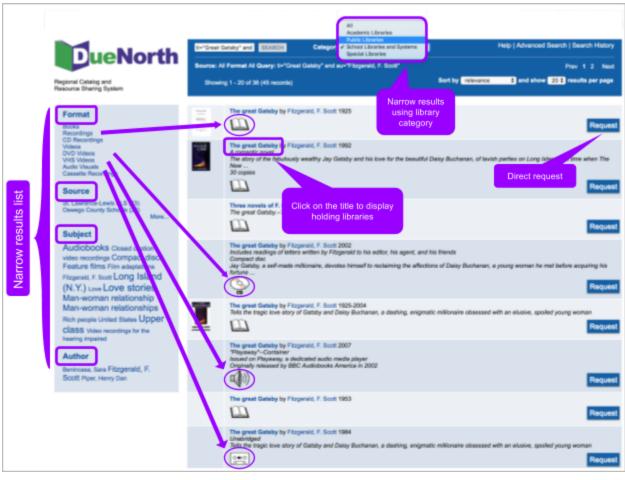


Figure 9: Results display

The format Books was selected to narrow the search below. In the Search box, the word All is now highlighted in an amber color. Click on All to undo the narrowing selection and return to the previous screen.

ti="Great Gatsby" and SEARCH Category: All Help | Advanced Search | Search History ÷ Source: All Form it All / Books Quary: ti="Great Gatsby" and au="Fitzgerald, F. Scott" Next 2 3 Showing 1 - 20 of 50 (~82 records) Sort by relevance and show 20 tresults per page The great Gatsby by Fitzgerald, F. Scott 1925 Request The great Gatsby by Fitzgerald, F. Scott 1953 Pagination may save Copyright 1925 ; renewed 1953 Jay Gatsby had once loved beautiful, spoiled Daisy Buchanan, then lost her to a rich boy. Now, mysteriously wealthy, he is ready to risk everything to \Box Request

Click on the title to display the holding libraries.

Figure 10: Limited results display

The title screen displays holding libraries. Many catalogs will display the local availability. If it does not, click on the name of the library to go to that library's catalog and identify the circulation status of the material. For some libraries, a '-' or dash indicates that the item is available; a date listed indicates the items is checked out.

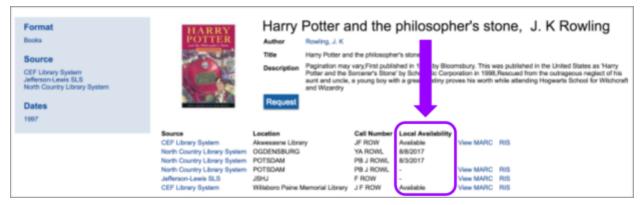


Figure 11: Title screen showing availability

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