

Library Research Practice

Name _____

Research Topic _____

Activity One: Use EagleSearch to find books inside the library

1. From the library home page, click the box named "EagleSearch (Articles, Books...)"
2. Type your search term(s) in the box and press "Enter." Click "Sign in" on the yellow bar, choose "TNTECH users," then follow the prompts for logging in.
3. Click the down arrow next to "Everything" in your search box. Choose "Volpe Library," and then click the magnifying glass icon.
4. From the filters on the left side of the screen, click on "Books" under "Content Type," then click "Inside the Library" under "Availability."
5. Select one of the books with the green status that shows "Available at" from the results list (by clicking on the title) and record the following:
 - a. Title: _____
 - b. Author: _____
 - c. Publisher: _____
 - d. Publication Date: _____
 - e. Call Number (Available at): _____

Activity Two: Use EagleSearch to find articles

1. From your search results for Activity One, click the down arrow next to "Volpe Library" in your search box. Choose "Everything," and then click the magnifying glass icon.
2. From the filters on the left side of the screen, click on "Articles" under "Content Type."
3. Select an article from the results list and record the following:
 - a. Article title: _____
 - b. Author: _____
 - c. Journal title/is part of: _____
 - d. Date, volume, issue, pages: _____

Activity Three: Research in databases not included in EagleSearch

1. Go to the library's homepage. Click on the box named "Database Access"
2. Select "Databases Not in EagleSearch (By Subject)."
3. Click on a subject area of interest. Click on any database name in that subject area.
4. Name the database you chose: _____
5. Type a search term in that database's search box and start the search.
6. Select an article from the results list and answer the following:
 - d. Article title: _____
 - e. Author: _____
 - f. Journal title: _____
 - d. Date, volume, issue, pages: _____