Old Dominion University Libraries: Website Scavenger Hunt

Directions: Complete these activities using the information and tools provided on our website (odu.edu/library).

Part I: Help!!!

1. Click on the Ask-a-Librarian link, which is located under the Help section on our homepage. What are three ways you can get help with library research or services?

Part II: Monarch OneSearch

Monarch OneSearch is the main search box on the library homepage. Try searching by topic for items related to a topic that you are interested by typing related keywords into the search box. For example, if I were interested in finding a book about careers in business, I would type: Careers and Business into the search box.

1. Find one book related to your topic. Write down the title of the book.

2. Find one peer-reviewed article related to your topic. Write down the name of the article.

3. Find one streaming video related to your topic. Write down the name of the video.

4. What other types of resources are available in Monarch OneSearch?

PRO TIP: Click on the Help link at the top of the page for more details on how to use Monarch OneSearch!
Part III: Subject Guides

Find and click on the Research Guides link, which is located under the Monarch OneSearch box.

1. Select “Help & How To Guides,” then “One Minute Tips.” Find and view the One Minute Video about Research Guides. In the space below, describe what types of information is included in a Research Guide.

2. Go back to the main Research Guides page. Find and click on the Subject Specialist for your major or area of interest. If you aren’t sure, select the one that seems closest. Write the name & email address of that person in the space below.

3. Browse the Research Guides, and find and click on the guide for your major or area of interest. Using the information on the guide, list 3 databases that relate to your subject. Tip: Databases are usually linked on the “Articles” or “Databases” tab of the guide.

Part IV: The Learning Commons @ Perry Library (for use when on-campus)

From the library homepage, look in the section under Learning Commons to answer these questions.

1. What is one type of equipment that you can check out at the Learning Commons?

2. How much does it cost to print at the Learning Commons?

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