

# MUSIC



## Looking for BOOKS

The following list consists of suggested subject headings to check in the Library Catalog. Others can be found using the Library of Congress Subject Headings books located behind the Reference Desk. (Note: Omit punctuation when typing headings.)

<i>music</i>	<i>bands music</i>	<i>chamber music</i>
<i>celtic music</i>	<i>choral music</i>	<i>toccatas</i>
<i>composition music</i>	<i>musical form</i>	<i>music instruction and study</i>
<i>music theory</i>	<i>counterpoint</i>	<i>music history and criticism</i>

You can also do a keyword/everything search to retrieve materials on any given subjects:

<i>music and death</i>	<i>bach and recording</i>
<i>beethoven and symphonies no. 3 and sound</i>	<i>bach and scores</i>
<i>mozart and nozze and score</i>	

You will need to search for the composer rather than the name of the piece of music or a recording. It is best to do a keyword search for the composer using their last name only and then keywords from the title.

For more information on *The Library of Congress Classification Outline for Music*

[www.loc.gov/catdir/cpsolcco/lcco.html](http://www.loc.gov/catdir/cpsolcco/lcco.html)

click on M – Music and Books on Music for more specific details.

[www.lib.virginia.edu/MusicLib/guides/lcclassmus.html](http://www.lib.virginia.edu/MusicLib/guides/lcclassmus.html)

provides a brief outline of the music call number system.

[www.lib.utk.edu/~music/lc.html](http://www.lib.utk.edu/~music/lc.html)

another view of the LC Music call number system.

## Looking for Reference Materials

### Dictionaries

<u>Dictionary of Terms in Music</u>	REF ML108 .W73 1992 (for English and German)
<u>Musical Terms, Symbols, and Theory</u>	REF ML108 .T46 1989
<u>The Harvard Dictionary of Music</u>	REF ML100 .A64 2003
<u>The Oxford Dictionary of Music</u>	REF ML100 .K35 1994
<u>The pianist's dictionary</u>	REF ML102.P5 H46 2004 (on order)

### Encyclopedias

**The New Grove Dictionary of Music & Musicians REF ML100 . N48 2000**

always the first place to look for any information on music!

<u>The Garland Encyclopedia of World Music</u>	REF ML100 .G16 1998
<u>The New Grove Dictionary of American Music</u>	REF ML101.U6 N48 1986
<u>The New Grove Dictionary of Music &amp; Musicians</u>	REF ML100 .N48 1980

The New Grove Dictionary of Musical Instruments REF ML102.I5 N48 1984

The New Grove Dictionary of Opera REF ML102.O6 N5 1998

### **Biographical Dictionaries and Encyclopedias**

Baker's Biographical Dictionary of Musicians REF ML105 .B16 2001

When looking for general or beginning information on any topic in music, do a keyword/everything search for your topic and add the terms dictionaries or encyclopedias. For example:

*popular music and encyclopedia*

*musical theatre and encyclopedia,*

### **Looking for ARTICLES**

#### **Electronic Indexes**

Use the following indexes to locate magazine articles on topics related to music. The electronic indexes are accessible through the Library Web Page. Under the Find Articles and More heading, click on **Electronic Resources** for the list.

**Academic Search Premier** – provides full text.

**Arts and Humanities Search** – another index, does not provide full text.

**Business Source Premier** – looks at the music business, provides full text.

**Current Research @ Lamar University** – provides some full text of LU theses.

**Dissertation Abstracts** – indexes dissertations on any topic. No full text.

**Humanities International Index (Ebscohost)** – more articles, provides full text.

**International Index to the Performing Arts** – indexes articles, some full text.

**JSTOR** – provides full text articles for older journals.

**Research Library (ProQuest)** – provides some full text.

**Student Resource Center Gold** – provides full text.

**WorldCat** – look for books and music our library does not own.

#### **Print Index**

The Music Index

REF ML118 .M84

### **Looking for WEB materials**

#### *Guides to Music Research*

Brandeis University Libraries

<http://library.brandeis.edu/resources/guides/musicguide.html>

Internet Public Library: [www.ipl.org/div/subject/browse/hum20.60.00/](http://www.ipl.org/div/subject/browse/hum20.60.00/)

Music Research Guide: Internet Resources for Music

<http://osulibrary.oregonstate.edu/research/srq/mus2.html>

Music Library Association [www.musiclibraryassoc.org](http://www.musiclibraryassoc.org)

Tufts University [www.library.tufts.edu/tisch/subject/music.htm](http://www.library.tufts.edu/tisch/subject/music.htm)

University of Tennessee [www.lib.utk.edu/music/net/net.html](http://www.lib.utk.edu/music/net/net.html)

Worldwide Internet Music Resources (Indiana University)

[http://library.music.indiana.edu/music\\_resources/outline.html](http://library.music.indiana.edu/music_resources/outline.html)

WWW Sites of Interest to Musicologists

[www.ams-net.org/musicology](http://www.ams-net.org/musicology) [www.html](http://www.html) (be sure to check out the Funny Music Stuff!)

*Music Libraries Online*

Arizona State University's Music Library [www.asu.edu/lib/music/](http://www.asu.edu/lib/music/)

UCLA Music Library [www.library.ucla.edu/libraries/music/](http://www.library.ucla.edu/libraries/music/)

UCSB Music Library [www.library.ucsb.edu/subjects/music/music.html](http://www.library.ucsb.edu/subjects/music/music.html)

UW Libraries – Music Library [www.lib.washington.edu/music/index.html](http://www.lib.washington.edu/music/index.html)

see their Music subject guide for a great list of web sources:

[www.lib.washington.edu/subject/Music/](http://www.lib.washington.edu/subject/Music/)

#### *Music Paper on the Web*

[www.lib.virginia.edu/MusicLib/resources/musicpaper.html](http://www.lib.virginia.edu/MusicLib/resources/musicpaper.html)

#### *Online Song Indexes*

[www.lib.washington.edu/music/arias.html](http://www.lib.washington.edu/music/arias.html)

#### *Style Information – How to cite sources*

Citation Style for Research Papers [www.liu.edu/cwis/cwp/library/workshop/citation.htm](http://www.liu.edu/cwis/cwp/library/workshop/citation.htm)

Citing Music Sources in Your Essay and Bibliography

[www.lib.uwo.ca/music/citemus.html](http://www.lib.uwo.ca/music/citemus.html)

Citing Sources and Avoiding Plagiarism (Duke Univ)

[www.lib.duke.edu/libguide/cite/works\\_cited.htm](http://www.lib.duke.edu/libguide/cite/works_cited.htm)

Notes Style Sheet

[www.areditions.com/mla/notes/stylesheet.html](http://www.areditions.com/mla/notes/stylesheet.html)