Resources for Criminal Justice

Lightner Library Website: https://www.keuka.edu/library

Reference & Support Services

- **Email**
  - ahiggins@keuka.edu
  - refhelp@keuka.edu
  - Ask a Librarian link on Lightner Library website

- **Chat** Window on bottom-right corner of Lightner Library website

- **Library Phone**
  - (315) 279-5473, Reference Desk
  - (315) 279-5632, Circulation Desk

- **Libguides** (aka Library Guides: made by the librarians for you!)
  - Click on Using the Library
    - **Information Resources for CPS Students** libguide
  - Click on Criminal Justice
    - **Criminal Justice Resources** libguide

- **Writing Center**
  - asapwritinghelp@keuka.edu

- **Tutor.com**
  - Link on Moodle page
  - Or email Lynn Morris at lmorris1@keuka.edu

Databases for Criminal Justice Reference

Reference database are most useful for finding encyclopedia articles and reports. To find these, go to Databases by Subject and select “Reference Databases” under “Database Types”. Then, select “Criminal Justice” under “Subjects” to get the best bets.

**CQ Researcher**
Provides in-depth, balanced reports on a variety of topics, especially those related to the following topics: health, international affairs, education, public policy, environment, technology, U.S. economy, political science, and more.

**Gale Virtual Reference Library (Infotrac)**
Click on “View All” to see all the “Law” encyclopedias.

**Opposing Viewpoints in Context**
Provides more than 20,000 pro/con viewpoints, topic overviews, primary source documents, court case overviews, over 19,000 reference articles, infographics, statistics, images, videos, interactive maps, profiles of federal agencies and special interest groups, and full-text articles from newspapers, magazines, and scholarly journals.

**Nexis Uni (aka LexisNexis)**
Provides legal and business news. Also provides financial filings and reports, legal proceedings, law reviews, legal cases and codes, news transcripts, company profiles, and more.

**Sage Reference**
Sage Reference carries a collection of 5 ebooks purchased by the library to support Keuka College's Criminal Justice program. Those books are: Corrections; Courts, Law, & Justice; Crime & Criminal Behavior; Police & Law Enforcement; and Juvenile Crime & Justice.
### Databases for Criminal Justice Articles & Interlibrary Loan

Go to Databases by Subject and select “Article Databases” under “Database Types.” Then, select “Criminal Justice” under “Subjects” to get the best bets.

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Can’t find the article you need in full-text? First search for the journal title in the “Find a Journal Title” search to see if any of our other databases carry the same journal. Then, try searching for the article title in Google Scholar. If those both fail, request it on Interlibrary Loan.

Click “Interlibrary Loan”, then log in or click “First Time Users.” Click on “Article” under “New Request”, fill out the form and submit. (Our databases also have a link to Interlibrary loan which will automatically fill out the request form for you.) **Allow 2-3 business days** for it to arrive electronically by email.

### Journals for Criminal Justice

Go to Find a Journal Title and search for a specific journal. This is especially useful if you are trying to locate a specific article or read the latest issue of a particular journal.

You can also browse all the Criminal Justice Journals we carry through our databases (and in print) by using the “Browse Journals by Subject” dropdown. Select “Social Sciences”, click “Search”, then select “Criminology, Penology & Juvenile Delinquency.”

Here are just a few of the titles we carry:

- **American Jails**
- **Corrections Today**
- **Crime and Delinquency**
- **Criminology and Public Policy**
- **Journal of Contemporary Criminal Justice**
- **Justice Quarterly**
- **Police Chief**

### Books & Interlibrary Loan

For students and faculty living far away, it is best to check for Ebooks first. If the resource only exists as a physical book in the library, we can mail it directly to your home address.

- **Ebooks:** Click on “Find an Ebook”, then “Ebsco Ebooks”
- **Books:** Click on “Library Catalog” or “Find a Book”

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