The Yocum Library

Resources for Shakespeare

The Yocum Library has over 400 books on Shakespeare that you can check out of the library. If you want to browse the collection the call numbers range from PR2751 through PR3097.

Examples of titles include:

- Shakespeare’s political realism : the English history plays PR2982 .S63 2001
- Shakespeare’s comedies, notes : summaries and critical commentaries about the comedies of William Shakespeare PR2981 .C37 1999

Books in the Circulating Collection, floor 3

Books in the Research Collection, floor 2

College libraries have a collection of print books that are used just in the library. These books are called the “reference” or “research” collection. The Yocum Library has such books on floor 2. These resources include a concordance, or index, to the words in Shakespeare’s plays PR2892 .B34 1967, plus 27 volumes of Gale’s Shakespearian Criticism PR2965.S44

The Yocum Library catalog is available online: Library catalog

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Films & CDs

The Yocum Library has many DVDs of Shakespeare plays. Plus we have many documentary films on Shakespeare’s life and works. They are located on carousels near the feature film DVDs. Check the Library catalog for specific information:

Library catalog

Limit the results to The Yocum Library by selecting RACC in the “Select Location” tool on the right side of the webpage.

We also have the complete Arkangel collection of Shakespeare plays on CDs. These CDs are on the Shakespeare carousels.

Online Databases

Remote access usernames & passwords are found in CANVAS

Gale’s Literature Resource Center

- Thousands of articles plus primary sources
- You can limit searches, e.g., “literature criticism”

ProQuest’s Literature Online

- Texts of his poetry and plays
- Criticisms of his works
- Arkangel audio collection of his plays (also available on CDs in the Library)

Shakespeare Survey from Cambridge University Press

- Over 60 volumes of essays
- FYI—After you click on an article PDF, scroll down past the first page of identification information to read the article

Project Muse

- Thousands of articles in hundreds of peer-reviewed journals
- Includes Shakespeare Bulletin and Shakespeare Quarterly

Websites

The Complete Works of William Shakespeare

http://shakespeare.mit.edu/

The Internet Public Library’s Shakespeare sources

http://www.ipl.org/div/shakespeare/
http://www.ipl.org/div/litcrit/bin/litcrit.out.pl?au=sha-9

Shakespearean vocabulary

http://wiretap.area.com/Gopher/Library/Document/shake.dic

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