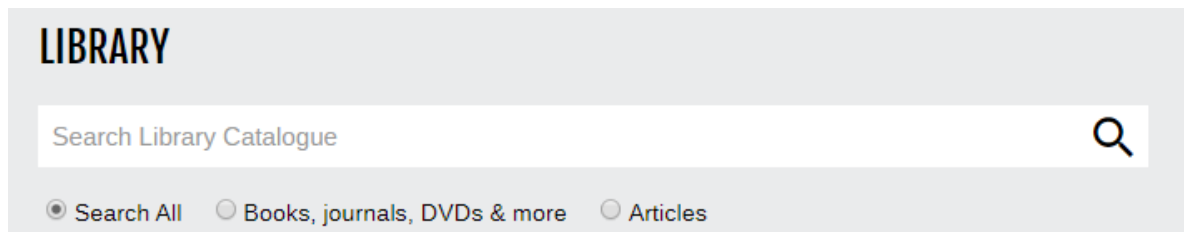


## What Is Primo?

Primo is the name of the library catalogue. You will find Primo on the Library homepage.



Here you will find the call number and location for books, DVDs, theses and other items, as well as links to full-text articles, electronic resources, newspaper reports and more.

TIP: It's a good idea to log in to Primo before you start searching!

To search [Primo \(Library catalogue\)](#), just type in one or more words and press Enter. This usually brings back thousands of results and you may like to do an Advanced search to be more specific.

Here are some searching tips. Please note, these tips can be used while searching most databases.

1. Use *quotation marks* to search for a phrase e.g. "business management"

TIP: If you do not use quotation marks Primo will search for your words separately.

2. Use a combination of these three words: AND, OR and NOT.  
AND = narrows your search to include results that contain all of your search terms that are connected  
OR = expands your search by including results that contain one of your search terms, the other search term, or both of them  
NOT = narrows your search by limiting your results that contain the first part of your search, but not the word/s after NOT

TIP: Enter AND, OR and NOT in capital letters, otherwise Primo will ignore them or use the words as part of your search

3. Use a truncation symbol to refine your search e.g.  
Engag\* = engage, engagement, engaging
4. Use a wildcard symbol to replace a letter within a word e.g.  
Wom?n = woman, women  
Real?e = realise, realize