

Access to Research Quiz (with answers)

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1. You can read the text of the Access to Research articles in the following ways:

Using www.somerset.gov.uk/onlinesubs	Yes / No
Using www.accesstoresearch.org.uk	Yes / No
Through Libraries West http://www.librarieswest.org.uk/exploreour-collections/online-reference	Yes / No
Using the link www.somerset.gov.uk/onlinesubs	Yes / No
Through a shortcut on the desktop of People's Network library PCs	Yes / No

2. Mark each of the following statements as *true* or *false*

You need to be a registered library member to use *Access to Research*
True/**False**

You can walk in to a library and use People's Network PCs to search and view *Access to Research*
True/**False**

You can use *Access to Research* for private study and noncommercial research
True/**False**

You can search *Access to Research* at home **True/False**
Access to Research (with full text articles) is available only on library PCs
True/**False**

You can't print any of the articles
True/**False**

You can print up to one article from a single issue of a journal (you can print more articles if required – but no more than one from an issue of a journal)
True/**False**

Library staff are permitted to save articles onto PCs
True/**False**

No-one, including library staff, is allowed to save articles onto PCs or memory sticks
True/**False**

Members of the public can telephone their local library and ask for an article to be printed from *Access to Research*
True/**False**

Members of the public who want a print-out of an article and who are unable to use a library PC will need to make an inter library loan request in the usual way.
True/**False**

3. A student visits a library to ask if we have any academic journal articles on *graphene* – he wants to browse research published in the last 6 months. What would you advise?

Ans Use *Access to Research* – search for *graphene*, limit results by publication date. (*Refine your search* –Publication Date)

4. An early years teacher telephones your library - she has heard about *Access to Research* and wants to look at the latest academic research on child development and literacy. What would you advise? e-reference resources – www.somerset.gov.uk/onlinesubs

Ans Will need to visit a library and use a library terminal to have full text access, but could search for articles at home or work. Use keywords “*child development*” and “*literacy*” to search for articles.

Could also search for relevant journal titles by subject. Select *Browse all journals*, then *Browse e-journals by subject*. Select “*Social Sciences*” and then “*Child & youth development*” for a list of relevant journals.

5. A journalism student asks if the library has the current issue of the Journal “*Journalism and Mass Communication Quarterly*”. What would you advise?

Ans Select *Browse all journals* from the home page; either search by title, or select *Journalism and Mass Communications* from the subject options.

Current issue available, and holdings from 1999 – to present

6. List three Library & Information Science journals that are currently available through *Access to Research*. Tip - Using *Browse all journals by subject*, select “*Social Sciences*”.

Ans Select *Browse all journals* from the home page, then *Browse e-journals by subject* – “*Social Sciences*” and then “*Library & Information Science*”.

77 titles, including ASLIB Proceedings, Government Information Quarterly, Journal of Librarianship, Library Management.

7. A local historian is trying to trace an article titled “*Exmoor village revisited: Mass-observation’s anthropology of ourselves*” by Jacqueline Sarsby in *Rural History*, 1988. Can you trace this article on *Access to Research*? What is the full title?

Ans Type “*Exmoor village revisited*” into the home page search box.

Exmoor Village Revisited: Mass-Observation’s ‘Anthropology of Ourselves’, the ‘Feel Good Factor’ in Wartime Colour Photography and the Photograph as Art or Social Document

Jacqueline Sarsby

Rural History / Volume 9 / Issue 01 / April 1998, pp 99 - 115

8. From what year is the journal *Anglo-Saxon England* available on *Access to Research*?

Ans Select *Browse all journals* from the homepage. Select *Title begins with* and enter “*Anglo-Saxon*” in the search box.

A – available from 1972 on *Access to Research*.