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Examples of keywords: visual arts, American art, art history, painting, sculpture, photography, drawing.

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Art Marketing 101: [a Handbook for the Fine Artist] by Smith N 8353 .S63 2007

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Sister Wendy: the Complete Collection DVD N 5300 .S57 2002

Who Gets to Call it Art? DVD N406.G45 W46 2006

The library also has biographical DVDs on many famous artists including: Cézanne, Gauguin, Munch, Renoir, Rousseau, Toulouse-Lautrec, Van Gogh and more.

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Art Museums of New England by Faison, Jr. REF N510.5.N4 F2 1982

Biographical Encyclopedia of Artists ed. by Gowing REF N40 .B535 2005 4 volumes

Dictionary of Art ed. by Turner REF N31 .D5 1996 v.1-34

Dictionary of Art Terms and Techniques REF N33 .M36 1975

Facts on File Encyclopedia of Art ed. by Gowing REF N31 .F33 2005 5 volumes.

Janson's History of Art: the Western Tradition ed. by Davies...[et al.] REF N5300 .J3 2007

McGraw-Hill Dictionary of Art ed. by Myers REF N33 .M23 5 volumes

Oxford Companion to Western Art ed. by Brigstocke REF N33 .O923 2001

Visual Dictionary of Art ed. by Hill REF N33 .V56 1974

Yale Dictionary of Art and Artists by Langmuir & Lynton REF N33 .L353 2000

On Reserve

The following are some of the Visual Arts resources available on Reserve at the Circulation Desk:

Antonio Gaudi DVD NA 1313 .G3 A58 2002

Drawing: a Contemporary Approach 5th edition by Betti NC 730 .B43 2004

Gardner's Art Through the Ages: a Concise History by Kleiner & Mamiya N 5300 .G25 195

History of Western Art DVD N 6750 .H587 2001 volumes 3 & 4

Post Impressionists: Munch DVD ND 773 .M86 P67 2006

Magazines

Below are some of the Arts related journals we have available for browsing at the Library. These cannot be taken out of the building, but a photocopy machine is available for use.

Afterimage

Art New England

American Photo

Art on Paper

Aperture

Digital Photo Pro

Art in America

Juxtapoz

Art Bulletin

New American Paintings

Art Journal

A list of all the magazines (a.k.a. journals, periodicals, serials) is available via the Library homepage:
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Ebooks

Ebooks are available at <http://www.netlibrary.com>

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The Art of Art History: a Critical Anthology by Preziosi

Careers for Color Connoisseurs & Other Visual Types by Goldberg

The Future of Art: An Aesthetics of the New and the Sublime by Tarozzi Goldsmith

Snap to Grid: A User's Guide to Digital Arts, Media, and Cultures by Lunenfeld

African-American Art by Patton

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St. James Encyclopedia of Popular Culture, 5 vols. 2000

Encyclopedia of Modern Europe 1789-1914, 5 vols. 2006

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EBSCOHost

ArtUS

Art Book

Art Bulletin

Art in America

Art Monthly

Art History

Journal of Aesthetics & Art Criticism

Digital Creativity

JSTOR

American Art

Artibus Asiae

Burlington Magazine

Gesta

Master Drawings

Oxford Art Journal

Metropolitan Museum of Art Bulletin

Women's Art Journal

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Art Museum Image Database

The WilsonWeb Art Museum Image Gallery features high-quality, high resolution images, spanning artistic creation from 3,000 B.C. to the present searchable by title of work, artist name, subject, materials and techniques, artist nationality and birthplace and more. Accessible ON and OFF Campus

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Internet Resources

Art History Resources on the Web <http://witcombe.sbc.edu/ARTHLinks.html>

A comprehensive collection of sites covering world art from prehistoric times to the present; includes links to online image archives.

Art on the Web via Boston College http://www.bc.edu/bc_org/avp/cas/fnart/Artweb.html

Another art mega-site with copious links to art webpages the world over; also has links to curriculum guides and sites concerned with art education.

ArtSource <http://www.ilpi.com/artsource/welcome.html>

A list of online art resources compiled by an art librarian for use by librarians.

Digital Imaging Project <http://www.bluffton.edu/~sullivanm/>

"Art historical images of sculpture and architecture from pre-historic to post-modern."

Learning Express <http://www.nhti.edu/library> Access is through the NHTI library home page. Select Research Databases and then select Learning Express. Online tutorials in all NHTI skill-areas. Includes assessment, skill-building, and test preparation. Learning Express provides professional hand scoring of writing and provides targeted direction for further study. Offers test preparation for GED, AP, SAT, ACT, GRE, GMAT, MCAT, civil service, and a full range of professional licensing exams. Available 24/7 from anywhere. Easy free account setup using your library account number.

National Geographic Photography Guide <http://www.nationalgeographic.com/photography/>

This site provides images from the pages of *National Geographic*, biographies of and interviews with photographers, information about exhibitions, and links to photography-related sites.

NEWSBANK <http://infoweb.newsbank.com/> This site provides access to world, national, regional and local newspapers and includes full-text content and electronic image editions with photos and graphics. Special reports featured on topics of international interest (e.g. environment, indigenous cultures, education, politics, etc.) ON-CAMPUS—No password required. OFF-CAMPUS—Username: ra-50470 / Password: ra-50470.

WebMuseum <http://www.ibiblio.org/wm/>

An online encyclopedia of art: provides biographies of artists, descriptions of artistic movements, and images of works of art.

Museums

The Louvre Museum http://www.louvre.fr/llv/commun/home_flash.jsp?bmLocale=en

The Metropolitan Museum of Art <http://www.metmuseum.org/>

The National Portrait Gallery <http://www.npg.si.edu/>

Smithsonian American Art Museum <http://americanart.si.edu/>

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