Research Guide to:

Pro and Con Information

Call numbers: 100's, 300's, 600's, depending on topic
For further assistance: Please consult the staff at the Reference Desk or call 816-604-2268
Library home page: http://lvlibrary.mcckc.edu
For additional resources: visit our online subject guides at http://libguides.mcckc.edu/index.php

Begin Search

- Create search question
- Identify keywords from search question
- Combine keywords or concepts with Boolean operators (and, or, not) for use in the appropriate databases

Consult the Library of Congress Subject Headings (red books located at the Reference Desk.) Look up subject to determine any additional topics needed for search.

Print Series Titles

Contemporary Issues
Current Controversies
At Issue
Information Series on Current Topics
Opposing Viewpoints

Additional Print Sources

See Research Tools/Subject Guides: Where Do I Find Information on My Topic?
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Electronic Sources

Pro/Con Online Databases:
CQ Researcher
Issues and Controversies (Facts.com)
Opposing Viewpoints

Online Newspapers:
Lexis-Nexis Academic Universe
Facts.com- Issues and Controversies
NewsBank
Newspaper Source

Other Online Databases:
Academic Search Elite
MasterFILE Premier
Criminal Justice Periodicals
ProQuest Research Library
Psychology and Behavioral Sciences
Sociological Collection

Online Subject Guide:
On the library website, select the Subject Guide tab and see the Longview – Pro/Con Controversial Issue Research Guide

Internet Resources:
Visit librarian selected Web Links on the Longview Library home page. Click Hot Topics. You can also find other links by clicking the Statistics link and then Magazines, Newspapers and Other Media.

Suggested Web Sites:
Homework Center – Social Issues http://www.multcolib.org/homework/sochc.html
Hot Topics Series: Comprehensive Information on Current Topics http://tinyurl.com/grzgcd
Gallup.com – Polling Information http://www.gallup.com/
Pew Research Center http://pewresearch.org/
Public Agenda Online http://www.publicagenda.org/

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