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**CALL NUMBER GUIDE**

Most academic libraries use the Library of Congress (LC) Classification System to arrange books on the library shelves. This system allows the collection to be arranged by subject.

**A      General Works**

AE Encyclopedias  
AM Museums

**B      Philosophy, Religion, & Psychology**

BC Logic  
BF Psychology  
BH Aesthetics  
BJ Ethics, Social Usages, Etiquette  
BL Religion. Mythology  
BM Judaism  
BP Islam, Bahai Faith, Theosophy, etc.  
BQ Buddhism  
BR Christianity, Church History  
BS Bible  
BT, BV Doctrinal theology, Practical theology  
BX Christian denominations

**C      Auxiliary Sciences of History**

CB History of Civilization  
CT Biography, General

**D      History (General), Europe (modern)**

DE Greco-Roman World  
DF-DG Greece, Italy  
DK Russia, Eastern Europe  
DS History: Asia, Africa  
DT-DX Africa

**E-F      History, American**

F116-130 New York Local History

**G      Geography (Maps), Anthropology, Recreation**

GF Human Ecology, Anthropogeography  
GN Anthropology  
GR Folklore  
GV Recreation, Leisure

**H      Social Sciences**

HA Statistics  
HB-HC Economic Theory, History & Conditions  
HD Industries, Labor & Management  
HE Transportation & Communications  
HF Commerce & Business  
HG Finance  
HM Sociology, General  
HN Social Problems and Reform  
HQ Marriage, Family, Feminist Studies  
HT Communities, Classes, Races  
HV Criminology, Social Pathology & Welfare  
HX Socialism, Communism, Marxism

**J      Political Science**

JA Political Science, History of  
JK Political Institutions, U.S.A.  
JL-JZ Political and International Relations

**K      Law**

K General, Comparative and Uniform law  
KD-KDZ United Kingdom, Ireland, Americas  
KF United States Law  
KJ-KK European Law  
KL-KW Asia, Africa, Pacific Area, Antarctica

**L      Education**

LA History of Education  
LB Theory and Practice of Education

**M      Music**

ML Literature on music  
MT Instruction and study

**N      Fine Arts**

NA Architecture  
NB Sculpture  
NC Drawing, Design. Illustration  
ND Painting  
NX Arts in general

**P      Language & Literature**

PA Greek and Latin Literature  
PB Modern Languages (General)  
PC Romance Languages  
PE English Language  
PE1112+ Grammar  
PE1625+ Spoken and written English  
PE1625+ Dictionaries  
PJ-PK Oriental, Indo-Iranian Literature  
PN Literature, General  
PQ French, Italian, Spanish and Portuguese  
PR English Literature  
PR2750+ Shakespeare  
PS American Literature  
PZ Juvenile Literature

**Q      Science**

QA Mathematics  
QA71-76 Computers  
QC Physics  
QD Chemistry  
QH Biology  
QM Human Anatomy

**R      Medicine, General**

RA Public Aspects of Medicine  
RB Pathology  
RC Internal Medicine  
RJ Pediatrics  
RL Dentistry  
RM Physical Medicine, Occupational Therapy  
RS Pharmacy and *Materia Medica*  
RT Nursing  
RX Homeopathy

**S      Agriculture**

SF Veterinary

**T      Technology**

TA Engineering, General & Civil  
TK Electrical Engineering & Electronics  
TR Photography

**U-V      Military, Naval Science**

**Z      Bibliography, Library Science, & Writing**

