

*Opposing Viewpoints in Context* draws on the acclaimed social issues series published by Greenhaven Press to provide a user-friendly portal for information on social issues. It provides access to viewpoint articles, topic overviews, statistics, primary source documents, links to websites and full-text magazines and newspaper articles. It is a useful resource for students in research for studying projects and debates.

此資料庫從多方面提供當今具爭議性及熱門的社會話題的信息。資料包括主題性評論、統計資料、報刊全文、網站連結等。十分適合學生尋找相關資料作專題研究及辯論之用。

## Searching

*Opposing Viewpoints in Context* provides Basic Search, Advanced Search, Browse Issues Search, Maps Search and Resources Search.

## Basic Search

1. Enter search terms in the search box. Choose the search options from the top right side. It provides search for viewpoints, images, reference, news, magazines, academic journals, primary sources, statistics, audio, videos and websites.
2. Enter the Keyword.
3. Click on **Search** button.

## Advanced Search

1. Enter term(s) and index type(s) in the search box.
2. You may limit to “Full-text documents” or “Peer-reviewed journals”.
3. You may limit results by:
  - Publication date
  - Document type
  - Content type and level
  - Lexile range
4. Click on **Search** button.

## Result

Search results will be categorized into videos, images, audio, expert picks, viewpoints, reference, news, magazines, academic journals, statistics, primary sources and websites.

The screenshot displays a search results page with several categories:

- Videos:** A video titled "NIGHTLY NEWS" with a "video podcast" overlay. Below it, a link: "In The System: Texas Sect Members Travel Across Texas To..."
- Expert Picks:**
  - "Tax-Funded Programs Reduce Child Abuse and Neglect" (Child Abuse, 2009). Description: "Book: 'Bad' State Children at Much Greater Risk than You'd think 'Bad' State 24, 2007. Reproduced by permission. 'There are more unharmed children..."
  - "Striking a Balance Between Family Rights and State..." (Child Abuse, 2009). Description: "Robert H. Viscser, 'All in the Family,' *Commonweal*, vol. 134, March 23, 21 Publishing Co., Inc. Reproduced by permission of Commonweal Foundation"
  - "Spanking Should Be Illegal" (Child Abuse, 2009). Description: "Kerby Alvy, 'Spanning Corporal Punishment: What the Arguments Tell Us at Children,' Center for the Improvement of Child Caring, February 22, 2007. |"
- Images:** A small image showing a child and a dog.
- Audio:** "Sons of Perdition, Exiles From Justice: Chapters" (Talk of the Nation, June 24, 2010).
- Viewpoints:**
  - "Children Are in Foster Care Because of Parents' Mistakes..." (Foster Care, 2010). Description: "Joseph P. Ryan, Jeanne C. Marsh, Mark F. Testa, PhD..."
  - "Children Are in Foster Care Because They Are Poor" (Foster Care, 2010). Description: "DeVlyn Burroughs, 'Too Poor to Parent,' *Ms. Ma...*
  - "Staying in a Troubled Home Can Be Better than Foster Care..." (Foster Care, 2010). Description: "Joseph J. Davis Jr., 'Child Protection and Child C...
- Reference:**
  - "Causes and Effects of Child Abuse" (Child Abuse and Neglect, 2009). Description: "Domestic Violence, 2009. Causes of Child Abuse: Child abuse is primarily a..."
  - "Detection, Minimization, and Prevention of Child Abuse" (Abuse and Domestic Violence, 2009). Description: "Evidence and Prevalence of Child Maltreatment 5."
  - "New York vs. Forster" (Great American Court Cases, 1999). Description: "Pittsburgh State of New York Respondent Paul B..."
- News:**
  - "Detective Fished for Devoted Cases to Abuse Children" (The Pittsburgh Tribune-Review (Pittsburgh, PA), August 18, 2010). Description: "Byline: Jill King Greenwood Aug. 18-Detect..."
  - "DETROIT'S SEX WORKER LOOKS HER GRAMMIE TO BRING HEALTH CARE..." (The St. Petersburg Times (St. Petersburg, FL), August 18, 2010). Description: "Byline: JOEL ANDERSON, Times Staff Writer"
  - "DRUGS FIGHT BACK at a Safe City for Kids, Mom" (Pittsburgh Tribune-Review (Pittsburgh, PA), August 13, 2010). Description: "Aug. 13-Pittsburgh ranks as the ninth safest..."

## Browse Issues Search

The Browse Issue Search provides quick and easy access to specific broad terms.

1. Select an issue from the list.
2. Click on the hyperlink items.

## Maps Search

It provides interactive map of a specific issue in the United States.

1. Click “Maps” from the top left side.
2. Click the left/right arrow icon to view the issue.

## Resources Search

It provides social studies and science curriculum standards from the United States, Australia, Canada, England, Ireland, New Zealand, Scotland and Wales.

1. Click “Resource” from the top left side.
2. Click an expand icon **+** to view the next level of text in the hierarchy.
3. Click a collapse icon **-** to hide the level.

## My Activity

My Activity feature saves and search history within a session.

1. You may add/remove the document into/from your saved items by clicking the “save” icon in the tool box.
2. To view the saved items and search history, click the “My Activity”.
3. All saves and search history are automatically cleared when you log out of the session.

### Available at 提供地點

Hong Kong Central Library, City Hall, Kowloon, Sha Tin, Tsuen Wan and Tuen Mun Public Libraries.

香港中央圖書館、大會堂公共圖書館、九龍公共圖書館、沙田公共圖書館、荃灣公共圖書館及屯門公共圖書館。

### Remote Access 經互聯網使用

Library card holders of the Hong Kong Public Libraries may also access the database remotely via the World Wide Web by entering Hong Kong Public Libraries Homepage:

凡持有香港公共圖書證的讀者，可透過香港公共圖書館網頁所設的指引，經互聯網使用：

<http://www.hkpl.gov.hk/eindex.html> or

<http://www.hkpl.gov.hk/cindex.html>

then select

e-Resources via Web 

Or go to the following website directly:

或直接按以下連結進入：

<http://www.hkpl.gov.hk/remote> or

<http://www.hkpl.gov.hk/chi/remote>

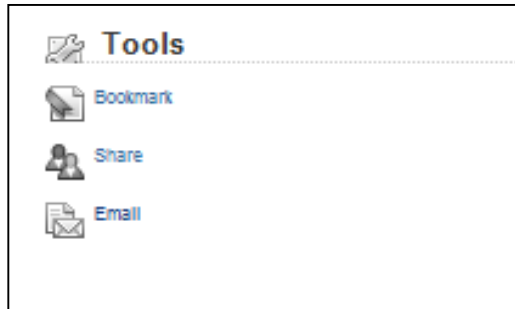
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### Tools

1. bookmark – You can have the bookmark URL for citation.
2. share – You can share information with shortcut to Google, myAOL, Twitter, Facebook and more.
3. email – You can share information through email by using function “email”.

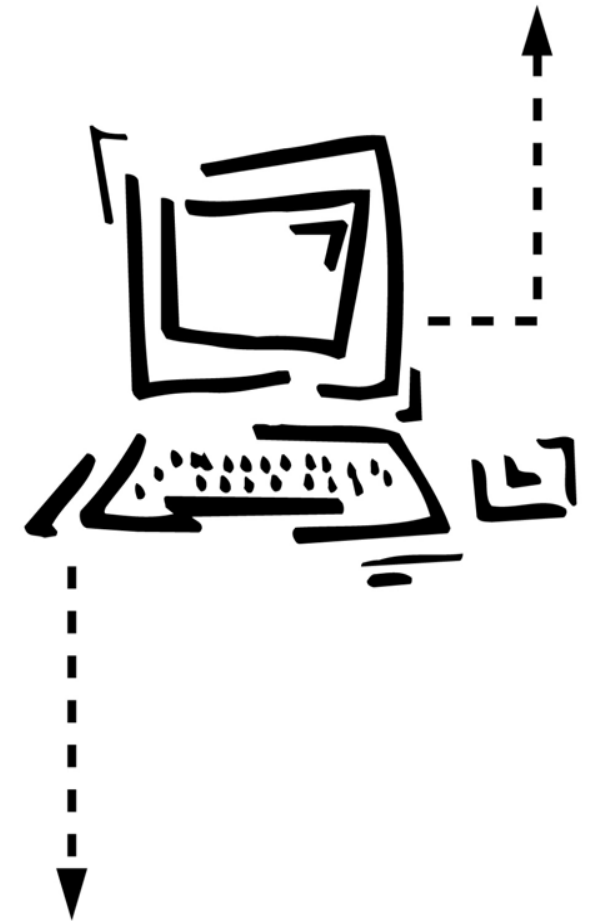


### Printing

Results can be formatted and printed using Oposing Viewpoint in Context command.

1. Click on the **Print** button in the tool box or use the print function of browser to print.
2. Follow the standard procedures to pay for and collect the printouts.

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