

## Culinary

### LIBRARY CATALOGS

Bowling Green Technical College Library: <http://opac.kctcs.edu> (Limit search to **Bowling Green TC**)

Bowling Green Public Library: <http://catalog.bgpl.org/>

Western Kentucky University Libraries TOPCAT: <http://topcat2000.wku.edu/>

**Materials can be borrowed from WKU Libraries and delivered to the BGTC Library. Submit the [BGTC/WKU Library Book Service Form](#) on the library's website to staff at the Help Desk.**

### LIBRARY OF CONGRESS (LC) CALL NUMBERS

Culinary books are shelved under call numbers beginning with **TX**.

Library of Congress Classification System is available at: <http://www.loc.gov/catdir/cpsolcco/>

### SUBJECT HEADINGS

Search library catalogs under the following subject headings for information on various culinary topics:

- Baking
- Caterers and catering
- Cookery
- Cooks
- Food handling
- Food habits
- Food presentation
- Food preservation
- Food safety
- Food service management
- Food services-sanitation
- Food services
- Gastronomy
- Hospitality
- Menus
- Nutrition
- Quantity Cookery
- Reducing diets

### REFERENCE AND CIRCULATING RESOURCES

It is important to get an overview of a topic so you have a general understanding of the issue. Background information may include: the history of a subject, facts, statistics, key terms, and the names of significant people in the field. Sources for background information include: encyclopedias, dictionaries, almanacs and other materials shelved in the Reference Collection or available online.

- The Art and Soul of Baking TX 765 M87 (2008)
- The Cambridge World History of Food TX 353 C255 (2000) REF
- Catering Management TX 921 S34 (2000) REF
- The Encyclopedia of Restaurant Training TX 911.3 T73A73(2005) REF
- The Food Encyclopedia TX 349 R564 (2006) REF
- The Gateway to Indian Cooking TX 724.5 I4I937 (2008)
- The Modern Baker TX 763 M35 (2008)
- Oxford Encyclopedia of Food & Drink in America TX 349 E45 (2004) REF
- Prentice Hall Dictionary of Culinary Arts TX 349 L33 (2006) REF
- The Produce Bible TX 811 K5475 (2007)

### PERIODICALS

- Art Culinaire
- Bon Appetit
- Chef Magazine
- Cooks Illustrated
- Gourmet
- Nation's Restaurant News

### DATABASES (use these to find indexed, full-text journals and magazine articles)

**CREDO** *reference*

<http://www.credoreference.com>

Features content from hundreds of popular reference books on a broad range of subjects. The following food reference guides are available: Benders' Dictionary of Nutrition and Food Technology, Cambridge World History of Food, International Dictionary of Food and Cooking, Oddbins Dictionary of Wine, The New Food Lover's Companion, The New Wine Lover's Companion.

Provides **APA** and **MLA** citation style formats.

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#### **Gale**

<http://find.galegroup.com/menu/commonmenu.do?userGroupName=kctcsbgtc>

(Off Campus use <https://216.69.39.58/login> )

Databases: **Academic OneFile**, **Health Reference Center Academic**, **Expanded Academic ASAP**, **Opposing Viewpoints Resource Center**, **Health and Wellness Resource Center**.

Provides extensive coverage of peer-reviewed, full-text articles from journals, magazines, newspapers, reference materials and multimedia sources. Includes magazines and trade journals such as *Bakery Production & Marketing*, *Beverage Industry*, *Catering Update*, *Confectioner*, *Food & Drink*, *Food Management*, *Hospitality* and *Restaurant Business*. Provides citation information in **APA** and **MLA** styles.

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#### **Kentucky Virtual Library (KYVL)**

<http://www.kyvl.org>

(Available Off Campus—**Contact library for current Username & Password**)

Resources: **EBSCOhost**, **Grolier Encyclopedias** (Encyclopedia Americana), **ProQuest**, **Kentuckiana Digital Library** and **Kentucky Statistics**.

Click on the link, [Find Books, Articles, and More](#), in order to connect directly to a database.

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#### **NetLibrary (Electronic Books)**

<http://www.netlibrary.com>

(Available Off Campus—**Must create a free account on campus first.**)

Provides full-text access to hundreds of nonfiction ebooks of interest to culinary students. These ebooks are listed in the BGTC Library Catalog and are indicated by the words, [electronic resource], following the book's title in the catalog listing.

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### **WEBSITE RESOURCES**

- **Culinary Arts and Food Science Career Guide:** <http://www.khake.com/page30.html>
- **Culinary Institute of America:** <http://www.ciachef.edu/>
- **Epicurious:** <http://www.epicurious.com/>  
Online home of Bon Appetit and Gourmet magazines including videos on cooking techniques.
- **Food Network:** <http://www.foodnetwork.com/>  
The Recipes & Cooking tab has links to an encyclopedia, Cook Weight & Measures, Culinary Q&A and a Recipe Power Search. Site includes many videos.
- **Linda's Culinary Dictionary:** <http://whatscookingamerica.net/Glossary/GlossaryIndex2.htm>
- **Star Chefs:** <http://www.starchefs.com/>  
Online magazine for the food service industry and professional chefs.
- **Spice Encyclopedia:** <http://www.spiceadvice.com/encyclopedia/index.html>

### **EVALUATION & CITATION**

The Kentucky Virtual Library (KYVL) has tutorials on how to do research at

<http://www.kyvl.org/html/tutorial/research/>.

Provides assistance with Evaluating Information, Searching the Web and Citing Sources.