

Government Documents



The Government Documents department on the 2nd floor of Waldo Library contains millions of documents published by federal and state government offices. These materials can often help when you are doing research on a current event or issue.

1. Choose a topic from the list:

Airport Security
Sudan
Terrorism
Foreign Trade
Global Warming

Drug Importation
Methamphetamine
Space Station
Unemployment

2. Go to the libraries' webpage and select "Advanced Search" from the box in the middle of your screen. Search for your topic. You will get a list of items owned by the library.

3. Identify at least three items that are Government Documents from your list. You can tell if an item is a Government Document because it will have a Library Location that says "Government Documents" or "Waldo Library, Documents".

4. Write down the title for each of the three Government Documents that you found on the back of this worksheet. Also write down the Call Number or Web Link (if available).

5. Make a copy of the title page of each of your three documents. If the document is online, you may print out the title page. Attach them to this worksheet.

Title 1: _____

Call # (or Web Link): _____

Title 2: _____

Call # (or Web Link): _____

Title 3: _____

Call # (or Web Link): _____