

Library Instruction—PSSC 101

Lesson Objectives:

1. Be able to get help from the Ag Librarian
2. Be able to locate the book and periodical collections
3. Be able to get to the Library ReSearch Station
4. Be able to get to the Ag Resources page
5. Be able to effectively search CAB Abstracts
6. Be able to determine availability of CAB Abstracts' articles

Outline:

Library Page <http://www.csuchico.edu/library>

- Help!
- Collections
Books, Periodicals, Reference
Call number system (handout)
Peer Reviewed/Scholarly/Academic (handout)
- Agriculture Resources page
Databases / Reference / Websites / Guides
Ag Toolbox
- Full-Text Databases: Academic Search, Science Direct, Wiley, Biological Abstracts, Springer, JSTOR
- CAB Abstracts (handout)
Refine Results: Document Type, Descriptors , Sort operators / qualifiers / phrases / truncation mark / email / print / save
Find It (Availability)
- ILL, Interlibrary Loan (handout)

HELP!!!!

- Richard Soares, Agriculture Librarian, Call 898-6882 / email: rsoares@csuchico.edu / CHAT: Meebo Chat on Ag Toolbox
- Mr. Soares' Office Hours: T 9:30-11:30am & Th 1:30-3:30pm
- Ask A Librarian, www.csuchico.edu/library/ask.htm, 24hr chat service
- Reference Desk, 898-5833, staffed by librarians
- Student Computing, 898-4357
- Online Tutorials: see the Ag Toolbox. Also see [ChicoRio & Chico Oasis](#): use the path: Research Station > Reference & Instruction > Web based tutorials under "Find & Learn"