

Bellevue College

Library Media Center

LIBRARY OF CONGRESS CLASSIFICATION SYSTEM

Books in the Bellevue College LMC are arranged on the shelves by subject. The Library of Congress Classification System uses letters of the alphabet to designate broad subject areas. Here is an outline of the Library of Congress Classification System for some subjects.

A GENERAL WORKS

AE Encyclopedias (General).

B PHILOSOPHY, PSYCHOLOGY, RELIGION

B Philosophy (General).
 BC Logic.
 BF Psychology.
 BH Aesthetics.
 BJ Ethics. Etiquette.
 BL-BX Religions.

C-F HISTORY

CB History of Civilization.
 CT General Biography.
 D General World History.
 DA Great Britain.
 DC France.
 DD Germany.
 DE Classical Antiquity.
 DF Greece.
 DG Italy.
 DK Russia and former Soviet Republics.
 DS Middle East, Asia.
 DT Africa.
 E America (General). United States (General).
 F United States (Local). Canada. Latin America.

G-H SOCIAL SCIENCES

G General Geography. Atlases. Maps.
 GB Physical Geography.
 GF Human Geography.
 GN Anthropology.
 GR Folklore.
 GV Sports, Recreation, Dance.
 HA Statistics.
 HB Economic Theory.
 HC-HD Economic History.
 HE Transportation and Communications.
 HF Commerce.
 HG Finance.
 HJ Public Finance.
 HM- HX Sociology.
 HQ Family. Marriage. Women.
 HV Social Service. Welfare. Criminology.

J POLITICAL SCIENCE

JC Theory of the State. Nationalism.
 JF-JQ Political Institutions and Public Administration.
 JK United States.
 JN Europe.
 JS Local Government.
 JX International Relations and Law.

K LAW

L EDUCATION

LA History of Education.
 LB Theory and Practice of Education.
 LC Special Aspects of Education
 LD-LG Individual Institutions.

M MUSIC

M Instrumental and Vocal Music.
 ML Literature of Music, Composers' Biographies.
 MT Musical Instruction and Study.

N FINE ARTS

N Specific Exhibitions.
 NA Architecture.
 NB Sculpture.
 NC Graphic Arts.
 ND Painting.
 NK Decorative and Applied Arts.

P LANGUAGE AND LITERATURE

PA Classical Languages and Literature.
 PC Romance Languages.
 PE English Language.
 PF German Language.
 PG Slavic Languages and Literature.
 PK Indo-Iranian Languages and Literature.
 PL Asian Languages and Literature.
 PN Drama, Film Studies, Journalism.
 PQ French & Spanish Literature.
 PR English Literature.
 PS American Literature.
 PT Germanic Literature.
 PZ Children's Literature.

Q SCIENCE

QA Mathematics. Computer Science.
 QB Astronomy.
 QC Physics.
 QD Chemistry.
 QE Geology.
 QH Natural History. Biology.
 QK Botany.
 QL Zoology.
 QM Human Anatomy.
 QP Physiology.
 QR Microbiology.

R MEDICINE

R Medicine (General).
 RA Public Health.
 RB Pathology.
 RC Internal Medicine.
 RJ Pediatrics.
 RM Therapeutics. Pharmacology.
 RT Nursing.

S AGRICULTURE

S Agriculture (General).
 SB Plant Culture.
 SD Forestry.
 SF Animal Culture.
 SH Aquaculture. Fisheries.

T TECHNOLOGY

TA General Engineering. Civil Engineering.
 TC Hydraulic Engineering.
 TD Environmental Technology. Sanitary Engineering, Water Supply.
 TH Building Construction.
 TJ Mechanical Engineering.
 TK Electrical Engineering.
 TN Mining. Metallurgy.
 TP Chemical Technology.
 TR Photography.
 TS Manufactures.
 TX Home Economics.

U MILITARY SCIENCE

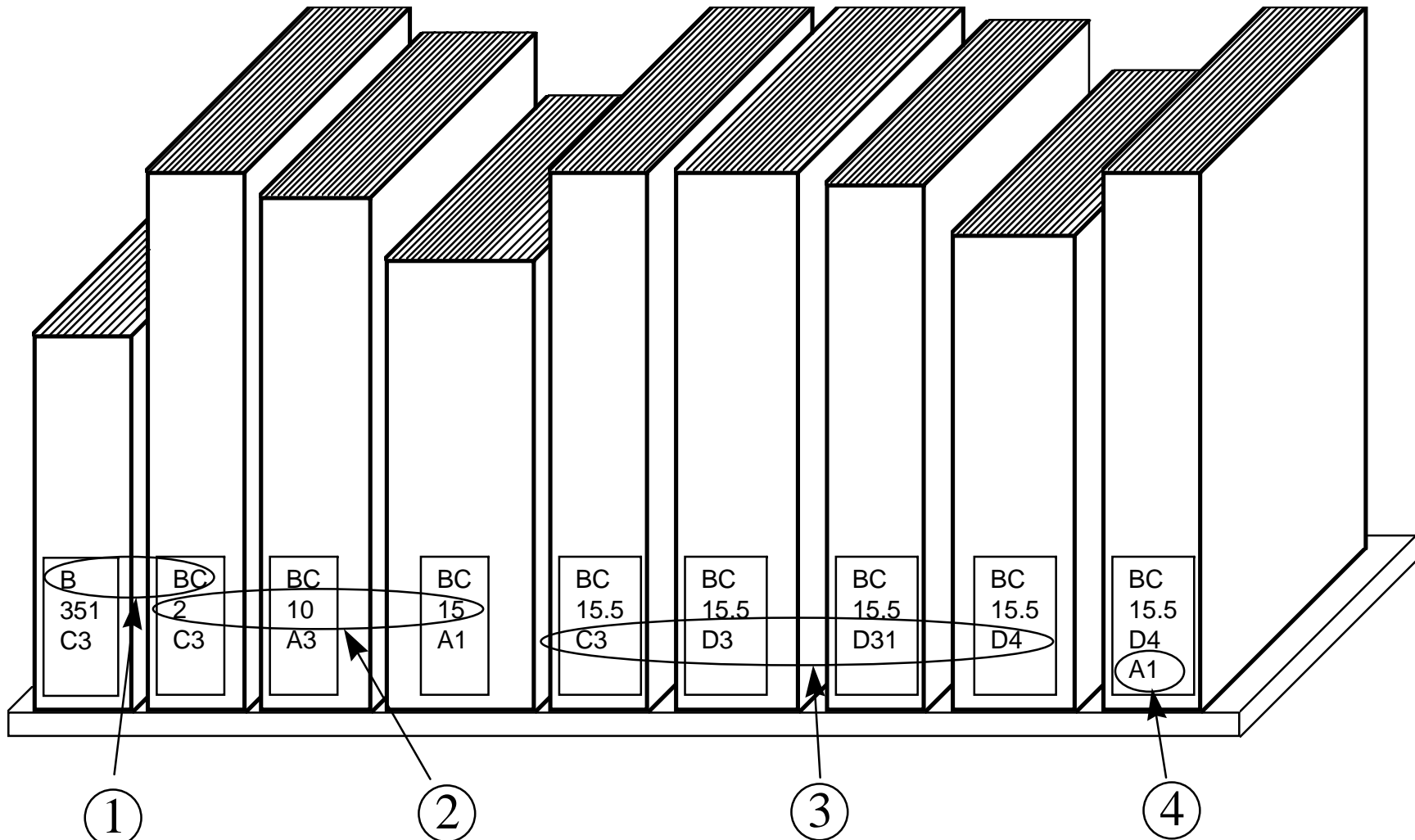
V NAVAL SCIENCE

Z BIBLIOGRAPHIES. LIBRARY SCIENCE

Classification for Common Subjects

Alt. Medicine.....R	ConstitutionJ, K	Graphic ArtsNC	MicrobiologyQR	Religions.....BL-BX
AtlasesG	Drug AbuseHV	Indians of North AmericaE-E99	MoviesPN	Resumes.....HF 5383
AnthropologyGN	Drugs (Physiology) .RME-E99	NursingRT	Scholarships.....LB 2337-38
Art History.....N	Drama.....PN	Industrial Design.....TS	Nutrition...QP, RA, RM, TX	Sociology.....HM- HX
AsiaDS	Ecology.....GF, QH, TD	Interior DesignNK	PhotographyTR	SpeechPN
BiographyCT	Economics.....HB-HJ	Int'l BusinessHG	PhysiologyQP	SportsGV
BotanyQK	EncyclopediasAE	Internet.....QA 76, TK	Poetry.....PN 1010-1525	StatisticsHA
Business.....HF	EngineeringTA	Logic.....BC	PotteryNK, TT	TechnologyT
ChemistryQD	FamilyHQ	Marketing.....HF	Public Speaking.....PN	WomenHQ
Computer Science..QA 76	GeologyQE	MedicineR	Recycling.....TD	Zoology.....QL

HOW CALL NUMBERS WORK



1
Books are shelved alphabetically by the top letter or letters in the call number.

2
All books with the same top letter(s) are shelved numerically by the number in the second line.

3
Books with the same top letter(s) and second number(s) are shelved first alphabetically and then **decimally** by the number after the letter.

4
If there is another letter and number combination, it too is arranged first alphabetically and then decimally.