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Read, Listen, Tell: Indigenous Stories from	Available Online
Turtle Island	
McCall, Sophie, et al., editors	PR9185.6 .I53 R43 2017 Stacks
A range of Indigenous stories from across Turtle Island (North America): short fiction, narratives, illustrated stories, and personal essays. This collection explores core concepts in Indigenous literary expression, such as the relations between land, language, and community.	
Ten Canadian Writers in Context	Available Online
Carrière, Marie, et. al, editors	
	PR9184.6 .T46 2016
A survey of some of the most diverse and powerful	Stacks
voices in contemporary Canadian literature from Newfoundland to British Columbia. Each piece is accompanied by a concise critical essay addressing the author's writerly preoccupations and practices.	
Canadian Literature in English: Texts and	PR9184.3 .S93 2009
Contexts Sugars, Cynthia, and Laura Moss, editors	Stacks
The anthology includes important fiction and nonfiction by both canonical and non-canonical Canadian authors, published since the sixteenth century to 1920: Jan van der Straet, Joseph Brant (Thayendanegea), Oliver Goldsmith, Emily Murphy, and others.	
The Search for English-Canadian Literature	PR9184.6 .S4
Ballstadt, Carl	Stacks
An anthology of literary and poetic interpretations and criticisms from the nineteenth and early twentieth centuries reflecting the major issues in the search for a distinctive literature in Canada during this time period.	
The volumes includes articles by prominent poets, authors, and critics: Duncan Campbell Scott, Sara Jeannette Duncan, J.D. Logan, Pelham Edgar, Thomas D'Arcy McGee, G. Mercer Adam, J.D. Robins, Raymond Knister, Goldwin Smith, and	

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Women's Writing in Canada Demers, Patricia, editor	Available Online
A comprehensive anthology containing excerpts from fiction, filmmaking, poetry, song-writing, drama, and non-fiction, memoirs, autobiographies, comic books, and cookbooks.	PR9188 .D46 2019 Stacks
The works in the anthology were selected to illustrate disruptive feminist practices that transformed cultural life in Canada and the tensions of colonial society. Black Writers Matter	Available Online
French, Whitney, editor	
An anthology of African-Canadian writing, it offers a cross-section of established writers and newcomers to the literary world who tackle contemporary and pressing issues with prose.	PR9194.5 .B55 B53 2019 Stacks
All contributions are written from the first-person perspectve and include writings by Simone Makeba Dalton, Cason Sharpe, Rowan McCandless, Phillip Dwight Morgan, Fatuma Adar, Whitney French, Christina Brobby, and others.	
Literary Titans Revisited: the Earle Toppings Interviews with CanLit Poets and Writers of the Sixties	PR9189.6 .T66 2017 Stacks
Urbancic, Anne, editor	
In 1969 and 1970, Toppings recorded sixteen prominent Canadian writers and poets, including Margaret Laurence, Sinclair Ross, Hugh Garner, and Al Purdy, captured in in the interviews and accompanying readings, giving insight into their prose and poetry.	
This book porvides transcripts of the spoken interviews, complemented by brief biographies and bibliographies.	
Encyclopedias, Dictionaries & Handbooks	
Encyclopedia of Literature in Canada New, W.H., editor	Available Online
Discusses literature in English and French, and also in such other languages as Yiddish, Spanish, Haida and Cree; authors and their work; related literary and social issues; professional institutions that play a role in the lives of Canadian writers; and the major historical and cultural events that have shaped Canada. Although the volume was	PR9180.2 .E53 2002 Reference

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The Oxford Handbook of Canadian Literature Sugars, Cynthia, editor A comprehensive, authoritative guide to many different genres, topics, and aspects of Canadian literary history, including the influence of literature on the Canadian national identity, authorship, postcolonialism, short story, drama, poetry, Indigenous literatures, women's writing, children's literature, gay and lesbian literature, creative work from the Confederation period, regional fiction, and minority writers.	Available Online PR9180.2 .095 2016 Stacks
The Cambridge Companion to Canadian	Available Online
Literature Kröller, Eva-Marie A comprehensive introduction to major writers, genres and topics in Canadian literature: fiction, drama, and poetry, Aboriginal writing, autobiography, literary criticism, writing by women, urban writing, nature-writing, exploration and travel-writing, and short fiction.	PR9184.3 .C34 2017 Stacks
The Concise Oxford Companion to Canadian Literature Toye, William, editor	PR9180.2 .C66 2011 Reference
An abridged, streamlined version of the 1998 work, Oxford Companion to Canadian Literature, containing entries for individual writers, genres, and themes of Canadian literature. Includes a list of Governor General Literary Award winners.	
The Cambridge History of Canadian Literature Howells, Coral Ann and Eva-Marie Kröller, editors A complete English-language history of Canadian writing in English and French from its beginnings, with an emphasis on literary, poetic, and dramatic works published since the 1960s. Analyzes the emergence of multicultural and Indigenous writing, popular literature, nature-writing, life-writing, and the interaction of anglophone and francophone cultures throughout Canadian history.	Available Online PR9184.6 .C26 2009 Stacks
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The Oxford Illustrated Literary Guide to Canada	PR9187 .M67 Reference
Moritz, A.F., and Theresa Moritz	Reference
Includes places associated with specific writers and depicted in Canadian poems and novels. A regional arrangement with individual chapters for each province and the territories.	

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