About the Library

General Information

Located on the Victoria University campus, the E.J. Pratt Library collection numbers approximately 250,000 items and contains books, periodicals, documents, pamphlets and specialized material, excluding theology, which support undergraduate studies at Victoria University.

Areas of Strength

- General Collections
- Canadian Studies
- Classics
- English
- French
- German literature
- History
- Near Eastern Studies
- Philosophy
- Political Science
- Religious Studies

- Special Collections
- William Blake
- Samuel Taylor Coleridge
- Northrop Frye
- E.J. Pratt
- John Wesley
- Virginia Woolf / Bloomsbury
- and many others

See also:
Subject Guides
Special Collections

Location

E.J. Pratt Library
71 Queen’s Park Crescent,
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Library Hours

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- The library will closed beginning at 3:00 pm on Tuesday, 21 December for the holiday break. We will reopen Monday, 10 January at 9:00 am.

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Any changes to the opening hours will be posted in advance. For further information, please check the updates on our homepage.

Holiday Closures:

- Christmas / New Year : Wednesday, December 22, 2021 to Sunday, January 9, 2022
- Family Day : Monday, February 21, 2022
- Good Friday : Friday, April 15, 2022
- Victoria Day : Monday, May 23, 2022

See also:
IT Support Desk Hours
E-Classroom Hours

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