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,
Toronto, Ontario,
Canada M5S 1K7

Library Hours (excluding Holidays)

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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](https://library.vicu.utoronto.ca).

### Holiday Closures:

- Thanksgiving Day: Monday, October 9, 2023
- Christmas / New Year: Thursday, December 21, 2023 to Monday, January 1, 2024
- Presidential Day: Tuesday, January 2, 2024
- Family Day: Monday, February 19, 2024
- Good Friday: Friday, March 29, 2024
- Victoria Day: Monday, May 20, 2024

### See also:
- [IT Support Desk Hours](https://library.vicu.utoronto.ca)
- [E-Classroom Hours](https://library.vicu.utoronto.ca)

### General Inquiries

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- Group Study Room Bookings
  
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