QUILT is an educational, interactive tool designed specifically for students at Queens University of Charlotte. This site will teach you the basics of library research and how to navigate both the online and physical presence of Everett Library. You'll learn tips for searching the library's various tools, how to use a database effectively, and the basics of responsible research and citation.

Chapter One: Library Tour
In Chapter One you'll take a physical tour of Everett Library to discover the different collections, study spaces, and technology housed within. You'll also browse the library's online site, learning how to access everything Everett has to offer 24/7.

Chapter Two: Types of Information
Books, journals, and magazines, oh my! Learn about the different places to find information both online and in print and the pros and cons of each place. What's the difference between a magazine and a journal? What does "peer-reviewed" mean? Where should I look to find books, opinion, editorials, scholarly articles, etc.? We'll tell you here.

Chapter Three: Databases & Searching
What is a database and why is it important? How do I find and search library databases as efficiently and effectively as possible? Can you show me an example of how to search EbscoHOST, Points of View, etc.? Find everything you ever needed to know about database searching and more here.

Chapter Four: The Internet
You know it, you love it, and we do too, but searching the Internet for academic purposes takes time and savvy. Find out what to look for in a website you're thinking of using for your paper and other great tidbits about the information superhighway.

Chapter Five: You've got your sources - now what? Responsible research necessitates that you must cite your sources.
How to find stuff in the library

http://library.queens.edu
One more thing . . . Journals v. Magazines
When searching for information in a database, you are searching the **FIELDS** within each database record.

Other fields include publication date, publisher, DOI number, etc.
General and subject-specific databases

- General databases (multidisciplinary)
  - Examples: Academic Search Premier, CQ Researcher, JSTOR, Points of View

- Subject-specific databases
  - Examples: CINAHL, Business Source Premier, Communication and Mass Media Complete
Interlibrary loan

- **ILLiad** - InterLibrary Loan internet accessible database