

Library of Congress Call Number Locations

Call number range	Begins at	Subjects
A – AZ	and oversize “q”	See note* Periodicals. Encyclopedias. Museums
B – BJ	and oversize “q”	3-7F Philosophy. Psychology
BL – BX	and oversize “q”	2-8G Religion
C – CT	and oversize “q”	A-8E History: Auxiliary Sciences
D – DA670.N7A	A-9E	History: General and E. Hemisphere
DA670.N7D – DG	A-6A	History: General and E. Hemisphere
DH – DS937	A-2C	History: E. Hemisphere
D – DS	oversize “q” only	A-2F History: E. Hemisphere
DT – DX	and oversize “q”	B-13E History: E. Hemisphere
E	and oversize “q”	B-12D History: N. America and U.S. (general)
F –F3799	and oversize “q”	B-9E History: W. Hemisph. (regional and local)
G – GV	and oversize “q”	B-12C Geography. Anthropology
H – HC276.4.G		B-12B Economics
HC276.4.H – HD1486		B-9A Economics
HD1491 – HG4905	B-6A	Economics
HG4905 – HV6045	B-1B	Economics. Sociology
HV6046 – HX	B-5C	Sociology
H – HX	oversize “q” only	B-3C Economics. Sociology
J – JZ	and oversize “q”	B-IIJ Political Science
K – KZ	and oversize “q”	B-I M Law
L – LT	and oversize “q”	B-11G Education
N – NX	and oversize “q”	B-12F Fine Arts
P – PF		A-4F Language and Literature
PG		B-5H Language and Literature
PH – PM		B-3H Language and Literature
PN – PN6790		B-1E Language and Literature
PQ – PQ2625.A8		B-5E Language and Literature
PQ2625.A9 – PQ3999		B-5F Language and Literature
PQ4000 – PQ5999		B-4G Language and Literature
PQ6000 – PQ9999		B-3G Language and Literature
PR – PR744		B-2H Language and Literature
PR750 – PR9680		C-4L Language and Literature
PS – PS3626		C-II M Language and Literature
PT – PT2702.E		C-1N Language and Literature
PT2702.I – PT5145		C-4P Language and Literature
PT5160 – PZ		C-6P Language and Literature
P – PZ	oversize “q” only	C-1P Language and Literature
Q – QR	and oversize “q”	See note* Science
R – RZ	and oversize “q”	See note* Medicine
S – SK	and oversize “q”	See note* Agriculture
T – TX	and oversize “q”	See note* Technology

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U – UH	and oversize “q”	See note* Military Science
V – VM	and oversize “q”	See note* Naval Science
Z – ZA	and oversize “q”	See note* Publishing. Library Science. Bibliography

Shelving Information

Books in Library of Congress classifications are shelved in whole number order before the first decimal point, then in decimal order after the first decimal point. For example: HC79.E5G66; HC79.E5G7; HC103.S52; HC103.S6. A lowercase “x” after the decimal point has no significance.

Oversize volumes are designated by a “q” placed after the call number: AP20.R2425q. These books are usually shelved after all the non-oversize books on the same general subject. Pink stack markers indicate shelving for oversize books. Extra-large books, designated as “f” and “e”, are shelved in the designated location (XL), at C-11N, but must be requested (see note*).

Partial List of Designated Locations in Firestone

Only those collections described in SMALL CAPITALS may circulate.

Symbol	Begins at	Description
(Clas)	3-11G	CLASSICS COLLECTION
(Dixon)	1-7J	BOOKS OF CURRENT INTEREST
(DOCS)	2-10E	GOVERNMENT DOCUMENTS COLLECTION
(DR)	1-6E	Trustee Reading Room Reference Collection
(DSS)	1-6E	Data and Statistical Services
(DOCSC)	2-10E	Data and Statistical Services: Decennial Census
(Ex), (ExB)	1-16E	Rare Book Collections
(Film)	A-10H	Microforms Service
(FilmB)	A-4H	Microforms Service
(Holden)	B-4J	Miriam Y. Holden Collection on the History of Women
(NEC)	B-5M	NEAR EAST COLLECTIONS: BM–BS, DS, KB–KF, Z–ZA
(NEC)	See note*	NEAR EAST COLLECTIONS: A–BL, BT–DR, DT–KA, KG–VM
(NR)	3-6G	Newspaper Collection: Current Issues
(PR)	3-6H	Periodicals Reading Room: General Periodicals
(PRNE)	A-6G	Periodicals Reading Room: Near East Periodicals
(SE)	C-7L	Scribner Room
(SEREF)	C-7L	Scribner Room: Reference Collection
(SH)	A-7B	History Reference Collection
(UN)	2-11E	UNITED NATIONS COLLECTION
(XL)	See note*	EXTRA-LARGE BOOKS (40 cm. and over)
(Zeiss)	1-7J	ZEISS WILDLIFE COLLECTION

*Note: Books in these classifications, in (XL), and in some classifications in (NEC) must be requested via the link in the catalog record, or by email to fstpage@princeton.edu. You may also leave a request for any of these books at the Firestone Circulation Desk.

■ Richardson Call Numbers

If the Richardson call number for a book located in Firestone (F) was converted to a Library of Congress call number, the old call number can be searched as a keyword. This feature should be useful if you want to update an annotated bibliography or research guide, for example, or if you want to find a book for which you have only an outdated call number.

■ To request a book from an Annex Library. . .

Submit a request via the “Request from Annex” link in the Main Catalog record for an item, or use the “annex request” button above the Search Request data. Items requested from an Annex will ordinarily be available within two working days.

■ To request a book from ReCAP. . .

Submit a request via the “Request from ReCAP” link in the Main Catalog record for an item, or use the “recap request” button above the Search Request data. Items requested will ordinarily be available within two working days.

■ Call Numbers for Materials in Microformat

Records in the Main Catalog for materials in microformat (microfiche, microfilm, microcard, and microprint) always provide a location designation, e.g. (Film), (GestF), (SVF). For assistance, please consult a librarian or inquire at the Microforms Service, A-11G Firestone Library.

■ Princeton University Ph.D. Dissertations

The archival, non-circulating copy of a dissertation may be consulted in the Mudd Library. In most cases, an additional copy is held in an Annex Library or in the branch library specified in the catalog record.