



ProQuest Newsstand

ProQuest Newsstand is an international newspaper database. It contains searchable full-text of many national and regional newspapers, including the Financial Times, Guardian/Observer, Independent, Times, New York Times and Wall Street Journal .

OpenAthens Login

Before attempting to access any electronic resource you must first login to OpenAthens. Your OpenAthens username and password are the same as your University username and password. Click on the yellow OpenAthens button on the Library Homepage (<http://www.bolton.ac.uk/library/>) and follow the links to complete the login. Click on the **Electronic Resources** option from the blue menu on the right of the page.

Location

ProQuest Newsstand can be found in the **Electronic Resources** section of the Library website. There may also be links to it from your subject page. Click on 'P' from the A-Z list and then click on **ProQuest Newsstand**.

Finding Information

Enter your search terms in the box and click **Search**.



You can click on **Advanced search** for more search options and **Tips** for help.

Think about the keywords that are most relevant to your research. You may need to do several searches using different keywords.

Viewing Results.

To read an article click on the title or **Full text**. Some newspapers in are not available as full text in ProQuest Newsstand, for example, Manchester Evening News. Click on **Find a copy** to see if we have the article in another database or go direct to the newspaper's website and search for the article title. However, there should be plenty of full-text articles available for your research. You can remove abstract only results by ticking the **Full text** box and running the search again.

The screenshot shows a ProQuest search interface. At the top, a search bar contains the query 'riots AND manchester AND 2011' and a search button. Below the search bar, there is a 'Full text' checkbox and links for 'Modify search' and 'Tips'. The results section shows '1549 Results*' and options to 'Create alert', 'Create RSS feed', and 'Save search'. A 'Suggested subjects' section lists various topics like 'Riots', 'Riots AND Police', etc. Below this, there is a 'Selected items' section with a 'Clear' link and options to 'Save to My Research', 'Email', 'Print', 'Cite', 'Export', and 'Save as file'. A list of results is shown, with the first result selected. The first result is 'Front: The riots: Birmingham deaths: Manchester policing footage' by Vasagar, Jeevan, from The Guardian, dated 11 Aug 2011. The result includes a preview snippet and options for 'Citation/Abstract' and 'Full text'. A 'Sort results by:' dropdown menu is set to 'Relevance' with a 'Sort' button. Annotations with arrows point to the search bar, the 'Selected items link', and the first result.

When viewing a list of results you can mark the relevant ones by clicking in the tick box next to it. This enables you to carry out further searches until you have a sufficient set of relevant articles. These results are accessible through the **Selected items** link during your current session, however, they will not be retained when you exit the database. Ensure you, read, save or print the articles you wish to use. You can also export the citations to Refworks if you have set up a Refworks account.

ProQuest Central

ProQuest Newsstand can also be searched as part of ProQuest Central. ProQuest Central is a large multi-disciplinary academic database. This means that you can search for journal articles and newspaper articles simultaneously. Select ProQuest Central from the A-Z list and see the ProQuest Central cribsheet for further information.

Further Information

For more help on searching for academic information please see our other user guides and cribsheets. You can speak to a librarian at the Subject Help Desk or phone us on 01204 903404.

