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Searching the Library Catalogue Simple Search

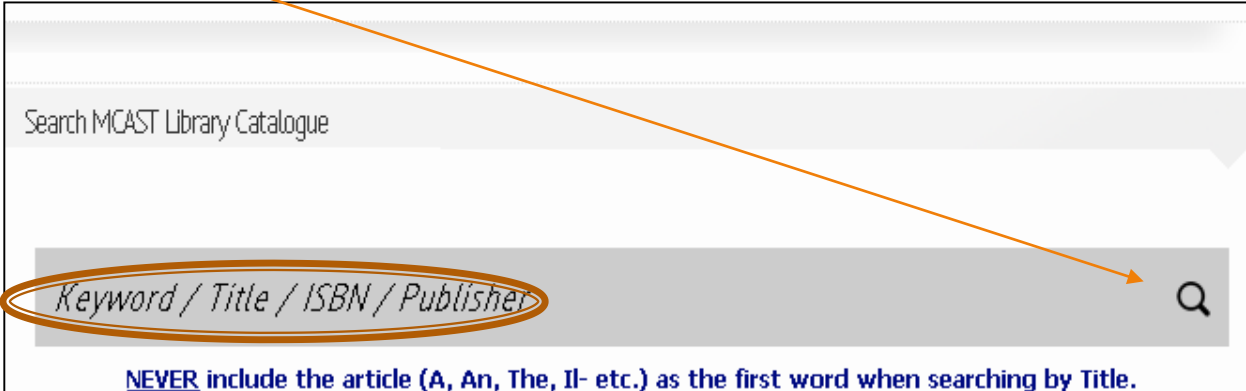# Simple Search

To search the Library Catalogue go to https://www.mcast.edu.mt/mcast-library/

1. Key in any of the following:
   - **Keyword** – any word that describes the content of the item, such as mathematics, agriculture, etc.
   - **Title** – use only one or more words (not necessarily in sequence) **but do not use at all** words/conjunctions like: and, for, as, with, in, of, etc. or articles like: a, an or the.
   - **ISBN** – Omit the dashes between the numbers (example: 0749310677 and not 0-7493-1067-7)
   - **Publisher**
2. Click on the **Search** button.
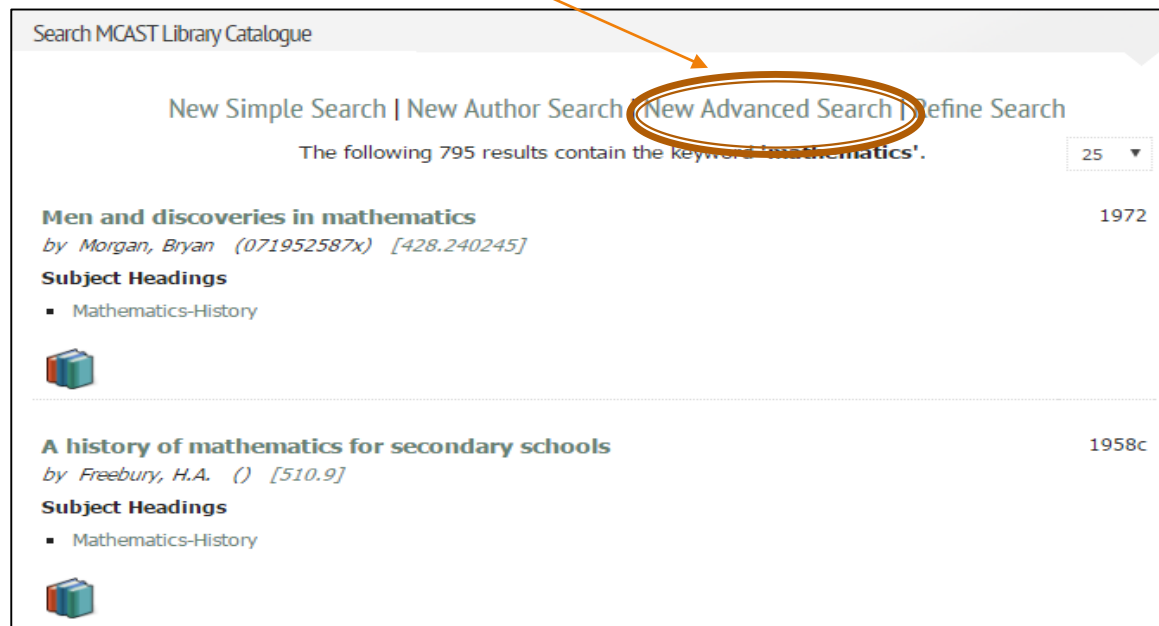

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Keyword / Title / ISBN / Publisher

NEVER include the article (A, An, The, Il- etc.) as the first word when searching by Title.

Refining the Search

In order to further refine your search:

➢ Do not use the **Refine Search** button, as currently it is not functioning.
➢ Instead use the **New Advanced Search** button.

Search MCAST Library Catalogue

New Simple Search | New Author Search | New Advanced Search | Refine Search

The following 795 results contain the keyword 'mathematics'.   25 ▾

Men and discoveries in mathematics   1972
by Morgan, Bryan   (071952587x) [428.240245]
Subject Headings
  ▪ Mathematics-History

A history of mathematics for secondary schools   1958c
by Freebury, H.A. () [510.9]
Subject Headings
  ▪ Mathematics-History

Locating and Retrieving Items

For locating items on the shelf, click on the **title** of the item and take note of the following:

- ➤ **Dewey code** number;
- ➤ First three letters of the **Author's** surname;
- ➤ Item's **Status**, that is whether available in the library or not (should it be on loan, one can reserve it after creating/logging into one's online **My Library Account**);
- ➤ **Shelf** mark, if any and
- ➤ **Library's** location.

Should you have any difficulty locating and retrieving any item, please do not hesitate to either ask any member of staff or email us at llrc@mcast.edu.mt.