

# English & American Literature - Free!

Sources of FREE literature eBooks and audiobooks- **Save money and check here first** to see if a free copy is available for your use **before you buy that book** for your ENGL 1102, 2110, 2130 or other lit or humanities class.

## Full text literature in CTC databases – English and Literature Resources

### [Bloom's Literature](#)

under **Resources** (right side of web page) – choose Literary Classics (full text) or Poems (full text)

### [Literature Resource Center](#)

under **Works Search** (menu bar) - Use **Name of Work** as your search field; complete the rest of the form; select **Search** at the bottom of the page

### [Gale Literature Resource Center](#)

do a title or author search.

## Open Library

Open Library provides free online access to **over a million books**, both modern and classic. The site has many that can be read any time and many others that must be "checked out" for a limited time. To find specific titles or subjects, use the search box in the upper right of the Open Library home page and enter your search terms. Link:

### [Open Library](#)

## Audiobooks

[LibriVox](#) has over 10,000 **audio books** available for free. Use the search box in the upper right corner of the LibriVox home page and enter your search terms. Link:

### [LibriVox](#)

## Chattahoochee Tech Library Catalog

Students might also find assigned literature in the Chattahoochee Tech library stacks. In some cases, the library will place course materials such as literature on reserve. Generally, this means they are available for use in the library only.

Students can search in the library catalog by title, author, or ISBN to determine if the book is in the library collection.

To find FREE literature in the Chattahoochee Tech collection, use this link:

### [Library Catalog](#)

#### **Instructions:**

Using the link above, enter title or author to start your search.

A results page will display. Use the **Refine my results** option (on the left side of the page) to narrow your results.

[Contact the Library](#) if you need help in searching the catalog.

## Featured Classic Literature Links

If you can't find it in one of the sources above, try one of these: \*

- [Classic Bookshelf](#) - Find books by author (select from list) or Search by title.
- [The Online Books Page](#) - Search by author or title.
- [Page By Page Books](#) - Select an author or title from a list.
- [Bartleby.com](#) - Search by title or author.
- [Fiction.us](#) - Select from author list.
- [Openculture](#) - Scroll down and select from author list.

\* apologies for the ads, popups and dead links. These websites are outside of the CTC Library's control.

## Featured Plays Links

First - Search the **Library Catalog** (link above) for the play you need.

If you can't find what you need, check the **Classic Literature** section (above) links in this document; many of these link to plays.

Finally, here's a link to the full text of the plays of William Shakespeare:\*

### [Open Source Shakespeare](#)

\* apologies for the ads, popups and dead links. These websites are outside of the CTC Library's control.

### Featured Poetry Links

First - Search the **Library Catalog** (link above) for the play you need.

If you can't find what you need, check the **Classic Literature** section (above) links in this document; many of these link to poetry.

Finally, here's a few other links to **free full text poems**: \*

- [The Literature Network](#) - Select your poem's author, then **check the left side of the author biography page** for the poem title.
- [Fiction.us](#) - A short list of popular poems.
- [PoemHunter](#) - Browse by title, poet, theme.
- [Bartleby.com](#) - Search by title or author.

\* apologies for the ads, popups and dead links. These websites are outside of the CTC Library's control.

### Featured Modern Literature Links

First - **Search the CTC Library Catalog** (use the link above) for the modern literature you need.

If you can't find it in the CTC collection, try one of these sources of **free full text modern literature**: \*

[Foxglove](#) - Lists links to other free eBook sites.

\* apologies for the ads, popups and dead links. These websites are outside of the CTC Library's control.