Finding DVD’s and Videos in the Library Catalogue

1. To search the catalogue first go to the library page (www.library.uvic.ca)

2. Click on the Books and media tab

3. From the ‘search in’ menu select Keyword anywhere.

4. Set the limits to Videos / DVD’s

SEARCHING by KEYWORD

1. Use quotation marks to indicate words to be searched as a phrase. 
   e.g. "National Film Board"

2. In order to include possible plurals and alternative endings use the truncation symbol ‘?’
   For example, psychol? will find psychology; psychologies; psychological; etc.

SEARCHING by KEYWORD (with boolean)

1. Always use ‘and’ between words unless the two words are part of a phrase.

2. Put terms with alternate spellings in brackets using ‘or’
   ex. (teenagers or adolescence)

SEARCHING by Title begins with

1. Use if you know an exact title of a Video or DVD 
   a. Set limits to Videos/DVDs 
   b. Select Title under Search by 
   c. Type in the exact title omitting articles at the beginning of the title (a, the, la, der, etc.) ex. Lord of the Rings

BROWSING THE COLLECTION

- If you would like to browse our collection by an A – Z list, by Genre or language then use our Video Browse Search Engine (http://webapp.library.uvic.ca/videolist/).

If you have further questions about searching please contact Bill Blair, the Media Librarian