Finding Play Scripts & Monologues
Reference Guide

This guide is designed to help you find play scripts & monologues. Use this as a starting point or browsing tool. As always, consult library catalogs for complete holdings information, & when uncertain, ask for help at the desk! Check out related guides on Accents, Auditioning, Finding Songs from Musicals, Musical Theatre, Performing Arts Careers, & Theatre.

Websites (All links below are live @ http://goo.gl/nek9H)

Actorama: http://www.actorama.com/monologues-scenes/
Inter-Play: http://www.lib.pdx.edu/systems/interplay/
Monologue Archive: http://www.monologuearchive.com/
Playdatabase.com: http://www.playdatabase.com/
PlayFinder (Dramatists Play Service): http://www.dramatists.com/cgi-bin/search.asp

Selected Monologue Collections (listed alphabetically)

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Selected Play Collections (listed alphabetically)

Anthology of Living Theater
The Best Plays of ... [selected availability from 1919 through 2008]
Classics of the Modern Theater
The Classic Theatre
Masterplots II : Drama Series
Masters of Modern Drama
The Norton Anthology of Drama
The Wadsworth Anthology of Drama

Electronic Play Index (Access this resource @ http://goo.gl/iOJ8h)

Index of plays searchable by title, author, subject, style, genre, cast type, and more. Provides full publication details to locate the play in a library collection. Click on the Find It! button locate copies to request through OhioLINK.

Print Play Indexes (listed alphabetically)

Guide to Monologues: Men
Guide to Monologues: Women
Ottemiller's Index to Plays in Collections

Note: Reference titles (“Ref.”) are non-circulating and are located in the Performing Arts Library Reading Room.

Call Numbers for Browsing

Below are general call number ranges. More details at: http://goo.gl/2R556.

PA3024-PZ10 theater (comprehensive range)
PN2071.A92 audition and monologue guides
PN2080 monologues (dramatic)
PN4290-4305 dialogues and recitations
PN4305.M6 monologues (oratory/recitations)

PN6111-PZ10 plays (comprehensive range)
PR1245-1272 period plays
PR2770-2771 Shakespeare monologues
Z5781 Play and monologue indexes

Subject Headings for Searching Library Catalogs - To find material on a topic, type one of these terms to get a list of relevant titles. Access KentLINK subject heading search @ http://goo.gl/od606.

Monologue Subject Headings
Acting -- Auditions
Dialogues
Dialogues -- Indexes
Drama -- Bibliography
Dramatic monologues
Men -- Drama
Monodramas
Monologues
Monologues -- American
Monologues -- Bibliography
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Recitations
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Play Script Subject Headings
Acting
American drama
Children's plays
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English drama
One-act plays
One-act plays, American

Ayckbourn, Alan
Ibsen, Henrik
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Simon, Neil
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Wilde, Oscar

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