

# Ventura College Library

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## OverDrive is Now Live!

# OverDrive®

Check out popular audiobooks and electronic books with [OverDrive](#)! The collection is starting out small, but will continue to grow throughout the year. Once in OverDrive, make sure to click on the “Sign In” button on the top-right of the page. From there, you will be able to browse the collection and begin checking out items!

You can also get OverDrive on your phone or tablet by downloading the OverDrive app. Search for Ventura College in the app, log in with your MyVCCCD information, then add Ventura College to your list of libraries. Now, you’ll be able to listen and read from your device!

Some of the highlights of this new collection include the audiobook versions of *How to Be an Antiracist* by Ibram X. Kendi, *The Queen’s Gambit* by Walter Tevis, and *The Duke and I*, book one of the Bridgerton series, by Julia Quinn.

The screenshot displays the OverDrive website interface for Ventura College. At the top left is the Ventura College logo with the tagline 'SET YOUR COURSE'. Navigation links include 'Subjects', 'Collections', and 'Kindle Books'. On the right, there are links for 'Language', 'Feedback', 'Recent updates', and 'Help'. Below these are search and account icons labeled 'Search', 'My account', and 'My account'. The main content area features a 'Just added' section with a 'SEE ALL' link. Six audiobook covers are displayed in a row, each with an 'AVAILABLE' status and a 'BORROW' button. The covers are: 'The Searcher' by Tana French, 'Breath' by James Nestor, 'Interior Chinatown' by Charles Yu, 'How to Avoid a Climate Disaster' by Bill Gates, 'The Dead are Arising' by Les Payne, and 'The Duke and I' by Julia Quinn. Each cover also includes a 'RecordedBooks' logo and an 'AUDIOBOOK' icon.

# Diversity in Culture Festival

## Poetry Slam



The Ventura College [Diversity in Culture Festival](#) is a free, week-long event occurring April 12-15, 2021. Now in its fifth year, this year's event will be held via Zoom and will feature speakers, performances, educational opportunities and, of course, the annual student Poetry Slam. As in years' past, the Poetry Slam will be composed of student poets performing their own works. The Poetry Slam will be judged and have cash prizes courtesy for the 1st, 2nd and 3rd place winners. For more details about the Poetry Slam, please check out and consider adding into your course shells the following module in [Canvas](#). Please share with your students about this wonderful opportunity to share their creative sides and possibly win cash prizes!



## Book Delivery & Locker Pick-Up



Every week, students are requesting and receiving textbooks and other print books using our Book Delivery & Locker Pick-Up Service! This vital service allows us to continue to serve the campus community by providing options for accessing print books from our Main Collection, Leisure Reading Collection, and Textbook Lending Library!

You can use [OneSearch](#) to request books to either be delivered to your home or be placed in our new lockers for you to pick-up on campus. The lockers are conveniently located near the intersection of Campus Way and Estates Avenue and can be accessed 24/7. Home delivery requests are processed and shipped via USPS weekly.

Step-by-step instructions and videos can be found on our [Faculty Resources](#) page. A flyer with instructions can also be found on our [website](#).

# Women's History Month Virtual Display

March is Women's History Month!

In celebration, the library has created a [virtual book display](#) with podcasts, online media, and electronic books and streaming videos from our collection that highlights women's history, experiences, activism, achievements, contributions, and identity.

The display contains just a small portion of the library's collection that is focused on Black history. To find more resources, you can use [OneSearch](#) to search across all library collections, search within a specific [database](#) or [eBook collection](#), or check out the library's [streaming media services](#).

Women's History Month: Art, Performing Arts, and Music

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Videos from the VC Library

Films on Demand

- Sex, Censorship, and the Silver Screen
- Through Women's Lenses
- Extraordinary Women
- Women Artists: The Other Side of the Picture
- Latin American Women Artists: 1915-1995

Kanopy

- The Girls in the Band
- Eva Hesse
- Half the Picture
- Say My Name

Search for more videos at Films on Demand, Kanopy, and Kanopy: Women & Society

eBooks from the VC Library

from MAE to MADONNA  
JUNE SOCHEN

NEW DIRECTIONS IN AMERICAN HISTORY  
Entering the Picture  
JUDY CHICAGO, THE FRESNO FEMINIST ART PROGRAM, AND THE COLLECTIVE VISIONS OF WOMEN ARTISTS  
Edited by JILL FIELDS

Beyoncé in Formation  
Remixing Black Feminism  
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