

Zine Resources: A Curated Reference Guide

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Compiled for educational use, this guide offers starting points for making a zine, building a collection, or finding examples to share with your community. Because zines are, by nature, easy to produce and self-publish, they exist on an extraordinarily wide range of topics and vary considerably in content and audience suitability. Please preview materials before sharing or recommending them.

General Resources & Research Guides

Electric Zine Maker

A free, open-source tool for creating digital zines. <https://unicornycopia.com/ezm/>

Lee, Bruna. "How to Format Your Zine Content on Google Slides." *YouTube*, uploaded by Bruna Lee.

<https://www.youtube.com/watch?v=GKznMHrcPNU>

Lee, Bruna. *Copy of Digital Zine Template (Small, 8 Pages)*. Google Slides template accompanying the above tutorial.

<https://docs.google.com/presentation/d/1YHJbWWME1HqHGhqGvFMiR9MeBEdSf4g9cWvNFADKIAQ/edit>

Locating and Using Images for Presentations and Coursework — Purdue University Libraries

Huber, Sarah. "Locating and Using Images for Presentations and Coursework." Purdue University Libraries Research Guides. <https://guides.lib.purdue.edu/c.php?g=1062240&p=7723706>

Loud on Paper Library Guide — Purdue University Libraries

Tinio, Jerilyn. "Loud on Paper." Purdue University Libraries Research Guides. A comprehensive resource guide for zine makers. <https://guides.lib.purdue.edu/loudonpaper/home>

Scholarly Sources about Fanzines — University of Maryland, Baltimore County

Graham, Susan. "Scholarly Sources about Fanzines: A Selected Bibliography." *Sci-Fi & Fantasy Fanzines at UMBC*. Albin O. Kuhn Library & Gallery, University of Maryland, Baltimore County.

<https://lib.guides.umbc.edu/c.php?g=843793&p=6030738>

Wikibooks — Zine Making: Putting Pages Together

Wikibooks contributors. "Putting Pages Together." *Zine Making*. Wikimedia Foundation.

https://en.wikibooks.org/wiki/Zine_Making/Putting_pages_together

Zine Libraries Info

A network and resource hub for zine librarians and enthusiasts. <https://www.zinelibraries.info/>

Zines at the Library of Congress — Library of Congress

Metcalf, Meg, *Women's, Gender, & LGBTQIA+ Studies Librarian*. "Zines at the Library of Congress." Library of Congress Research Guides. <https://guides.loc.gov/zines/>

Zine Archives & Digital Collections

Booklet Library

An archive of booklets and small-format publications. <https://bookletlibrary.org/>

Civilian Conservation Corps Newspapers — Virginia Chronicle

Virginia Chronicle. *Civilian Conservation Corps Newspapers*. The Library of Virginia.

<https://www.virginiachronicle.com/?a=cl&cl=CL1&pcf=Civilian+Conservation+Corps+Newspapers>

nat raum / fifth wheel press

Work by a Baltimore-based creator; founder and editor-in-chief of *fifth wheel press*.

<https://www.natraum.com/>

Quarantine Public Library

An online library of zines created during the COVID-19 pandemic.

<https://www.quarantinepubliclibrary.com/>

Selected titles from the Quarantine Public Library:

- Abdullah, Faisal. *Patent*. <https://www.quarantinepubliclibrary.com/patent-by-faisal-abdullah>
- Dannin, Josh. *Post Offices I Hope to Know*. <https://www.quarantinepubliclibrary.com/post-offices-i-hope-to-know-by-josh-dannin>
- Duncan, Mike. *You'll Laugh, I'll Bet, at Lafayette*. <https://www.quarantinepubliclibrary.com/youll-laugh-ill-bet-at-lafayette-by-mike-duncan>
- Garth, Katie. *What Is Printmaking?* <https://www.quarantinepubliclibrary.com/what-is-printmaking-by-katie-garth>
- Garth, Katie. *What Kind of Print Is That?* <https://www.quarantinepubliclibrary.com/what-kind-of-print-is-that-by-katie-garth>
- Godollei, Ruthann. *The Presses of Printland in Pictures*. <https://www.quarantinepubliclibrary.com/the-presses-of-printland-in-pictures-by-ruthann-godollei>
- Hipp, Andrew. *What Is an Herbarium?* <https://www.quarantinepubliclibrary.com/what-is-an-herbarium-by-andrew-hipp>
- Hungerford, Claire. *The Feedsack Loop*. <https://www.quarantinepubliclibrary.com/the-feedsack-loop-by-claire-hungerford>
- Lopez, Vanessa. *Why Are Second-Hand Bookstores Important?* <https://www.quarantinepubliclibrary.com/why-are-second-hand-bookstores-important-by-vanessa-lopez>

Zines — Internet Archive

Internet Archive. *Zines*. The Internet Archive holds a significant and growing collection of digitized zines; searching the term surfaces a wide range of materials. <https://archive.org/>

Note on Zine Wiki: Zine Wiki, formerly one of the more active online zine communities and encyclopedias, appears to have ceased operation. As of this writing, the most recent reliable capture is from July 2025. The Internet Archive remains the best available access point for its contents.

Last known Wayback Machine capture:

<https://web.archive.org/web/20250708002000/https://zinewiki.com/>

Zine Map

A community-maintained directory for locating zine publishers, distros, and libraries worldwide.

<https://zinemap.com/>

Zine Web Archive — Library of Congress

Library of Congress. *Zine Web Archive*. <https://www.loc.gov/collections/zine-web-archive/>

Zines in Libraries & Teaching

Zine-Making Kits — Vassar College Libraries

Vassar College Libraries. "Zine Kits." Vassar College. Patrons may check out materials kits to create their own zines. <https://library.vassar.edu/zines/kits>

Teaching with Zines — Zine Libraries Info

Zine Libraries Info. *Teaching with Zines* (Rev. ed., 2022). <https://www.zinelibraries.info/wp-content/uploads/2022/02/Teaching-with-zines-Rev22.pdf>

Lesson Plans — Barnard Zine Library

Barnard College Zine Library. "Lesson Plans." <https://zines.barnard.edu/lesson-plans>
