

Gale Primary Sources

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WOMEN'S STUDIES ARCHIVE:

Women's Issues and Identities

This collection, the first in the *Women's Studies Archive*, traces the path of women's issues from past to present—pulling primary sources from manuscripts, newspapers, periodicals, and more. It captures the foundation of women's movements, struggles and triumphs, and provides researchers with valuable insights.

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As a comprehensive, academic-level archival resource, *Women's Studies Archive: Women's Issues and Identities*, focuses on the social, political, and professional achievements of women throughout the nineteenth and twentieth century.

Along with providing a closer look at some of the pioneers of women's movements, this collection offers scholars great insight into the issues that have affected women and the many contributions they have made to society.

APPROXIMATELY ONE MILLION DIGITISED PAGES

Content will include approximately one million never-before-digitised pages of primary source material, all aligned with women's studies.

COVERING IMPORTANT TOPICS

Including: the history of feminist theory and activism; domestic culture; lay and ordained church women; women in industry; women's sexuality and gender expression; women's education; women's movements; women's health and mental health; women and law; women and the control of their bodies; and women's roles and interactions within society.

DISCOVER NEW CONNECTIONS

Integrate content from complementary primary source products in one intuitive environment, uncovering valuable connections between history and the issues facing us today.

EMPOWER INSIGHTS FROM THE SOURCE

Discover content from sources like New York Public Library, The National Women's History Project, the London School of Economics, Women's Library and many more.

FEATURES AND TOOLS

Term Frequency Researchers can now easily see the frequency of search terms within sets of content to begin identifying central themes and assessing how individuals, events, and ideas interacted and developed over time.

Term Clusters By grouping commonly occurring themes, this tool reveals hidden connections to search terms — helping scholars shape their research and integrate diverse content with relevant information.

Cross-search Capability Integrate content from complementary primary source products in one intuitive environment to enable users to make never-before-possible research connections.

Downloadable OCR *Gale Primary Sources* monographs, newspapers, and ephemera are keyword and full-text searchable thanks to Optical Character Recognition (OCR). Users can download this OCR in a .txt format, enabling new levels of access to their results.

Integrated Workflow Tools User-generated tags, user accounts, and Zotero compatibility allow researchers to easily collect, cite, and group sources, tags, and annotations.

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