Task #2 (Annotated Bibliography) Instructions

**Please contact me if you need assistance finding sources.**

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1. Pull out the brainstorm and/or concept map you created.

2. Open the Arts 480 – Introduction to Art History (UNH Manchester) library guide.
   https://libraryguides.unh.edu/arthistoryunhm

3. Look at the bibliography at the end of an Oxford Art Online article or another source. Identify the sources you would like to investigate further.

4. Next, if possible, find a recent exhibition catalog related to your topic. Use the “Books” tab on the library guide to find the Library Search Box. Perform a keyword search that includes exhibition* (the truncation symbol *) will search for both "exhibition" and "exhibitions". Use the interlibrary loan form on the library guide to request books from other libraries.

5. Now, find a source that highlights the recent scholarly discussion about your topic. Use Art Index to find a recent argument about your topic. You can find these databases using the “Articles” tab on the library guide. Use the interlibrary loan form on the library guide to request articles that are indexed in periodicals that UNH does not own.

6. Now, find a primary source (from the time the object was created). This is most likely to be quoted in a secondary source (article, exhibition catalog, etc.). If your topic is a recent one, you may be able to use a newspaper database to find this information. The “Primary Sources” tab on the library guide can help you access our newspaper databases.

7. As you are searching take time to evaluate the sources you are finding. Browse through them, looking at the pictures, the table of contents and the bibliography before reading them. Do they help you answer the themes and questions you identified on your concept map? If not, continue looking for the information you need. Use the table of contents, bibliographies and footnotes within the sources you have to find information that might better suit your needs.

8. Type up the sources you have found in the form of an annotated bibliography and turn this in (on paper). The research paper requires one book, two scholarly articles, and one primary source. You should have this many or even more sources in your bibliography. An example of an annotated bibliography appears on the next page.
Example of Annotated Bibliography:

   This literary quotation explains some of the figures in the stele.

   This article deals with the gender identification of the Gupta period, and will help me analyze the way in which Buddha’s body has been depicted.

   This encyclopedic book does not really discuss my subject of the Sarnath Gupta stelai but is useful for putting those objects into context.

   This confusing article traces the progression of the literary and artistic narratives of Buddha’s life. It is most useful for the images and the idea of the creation of an iconic image of Buddha.