Reference / Background Information

Literature Resource Center (Artemis)

Oxford Reference Online
http://www.oxfordreference.com

OED – Oxford English Dictionary
http://www.oed.com

*The Johns Hopkins guide to literary theory & criticism*
http://litguide.press.jhu.edu/
Main Reference PN81 .J554 2005

Databases / Research Tools

MLA International Bibliography
http://search.ebscohost.com/login.asp?profile=web&defaultdb=mzh
MLA Bibliography (produced by Modern Language Association) is the most comprehensive index
to books and articles published on modern languages, literatures, folklore, and linguistics.
Coverage includes literature from all over the world and covers research back to 1926.

JSTOR
http://www.jstor.org/
Archive of selection of journals / deep backfile / covers wide variety of arts, humanities and
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