

WEBDEWEY EXPLAINED AND DEMONSTRATED

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- Searching and browsing
- Number building

Webdewey



WebDewey is the electronic version of the Dewey Decimal Classification (DDC) system. It is a full representation of all published numbers, plus other mappings and new terms that have been approved by the Dewey Editorial Policy Committee (EPC). It puts the power of the world's most widely used library classification system in the hands of metadata managers to efficiently organize their collection(s).



The WebDewey database includes the most current version of the DDC (DDC 23 and all updates since its publication in 2003), plus supplemental data. It is updated quarterly and mainly contains records for Dewey numbers from the schedules and tables, records for entries in the DDC manual, the DDC Relative Index and the Library of Congress Subject Headings (LCSH) associated with Dewey class numbers.

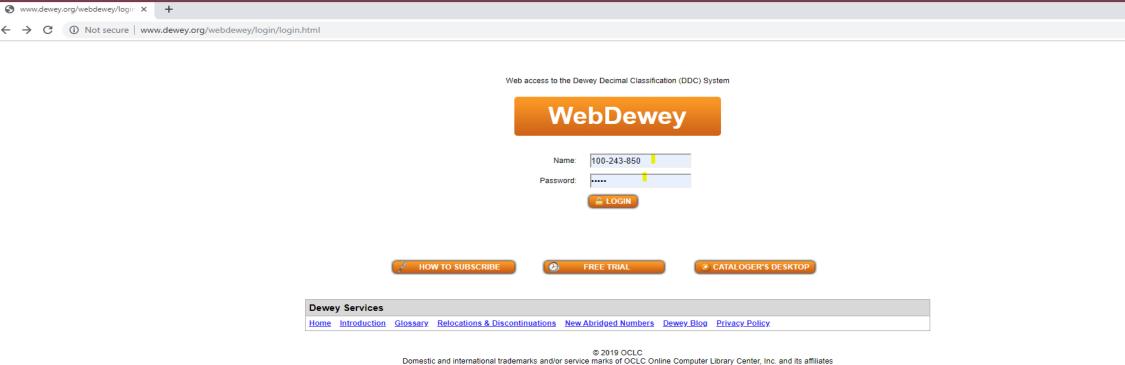


The first electronic version of Dewey was created in 1993. On the Dewey blog of 1 August 2017, it was announced that the printed format would be discontinued in June 2018. Updates would continue to be published via WebDewey, but would no longer be posted to the Dewey Services update page. For this reason institutions and cataloguers who up until now preferred the printed format, would have to consider changing to WebDewey

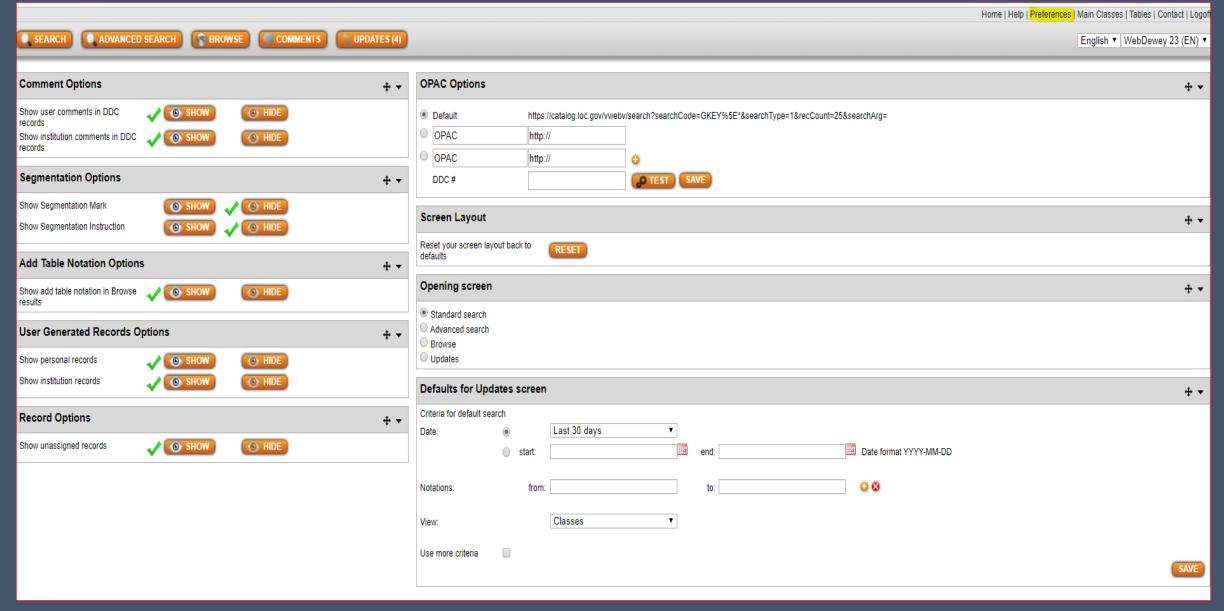


This is not as daunting as one tend to think as will be demonstrated in this presentation.

http://www.dewey.org/webdewey/login



Choose preferences.....



Searching and Browsing

- Searching
- Browsing
 - . Relative Index
 - . Dewey decimal number
 - . LCSH

Searching

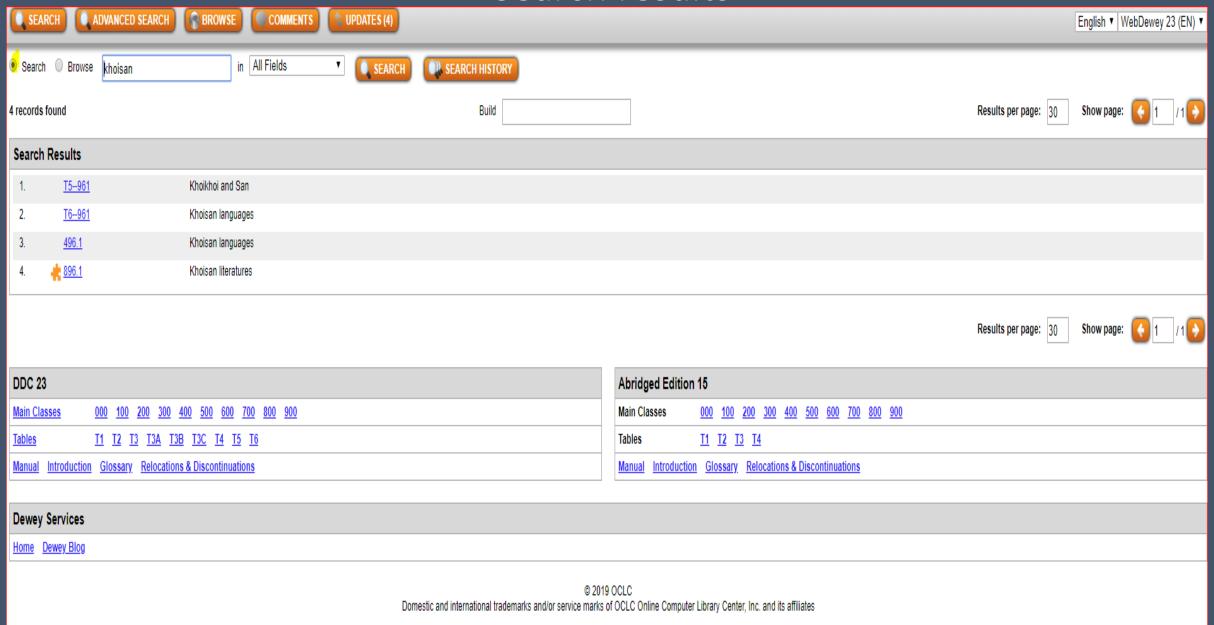




Searching is useful when you have a specific item it won't bring up multiple results

In search screen you can enter item on the search box

Search results



Browsing

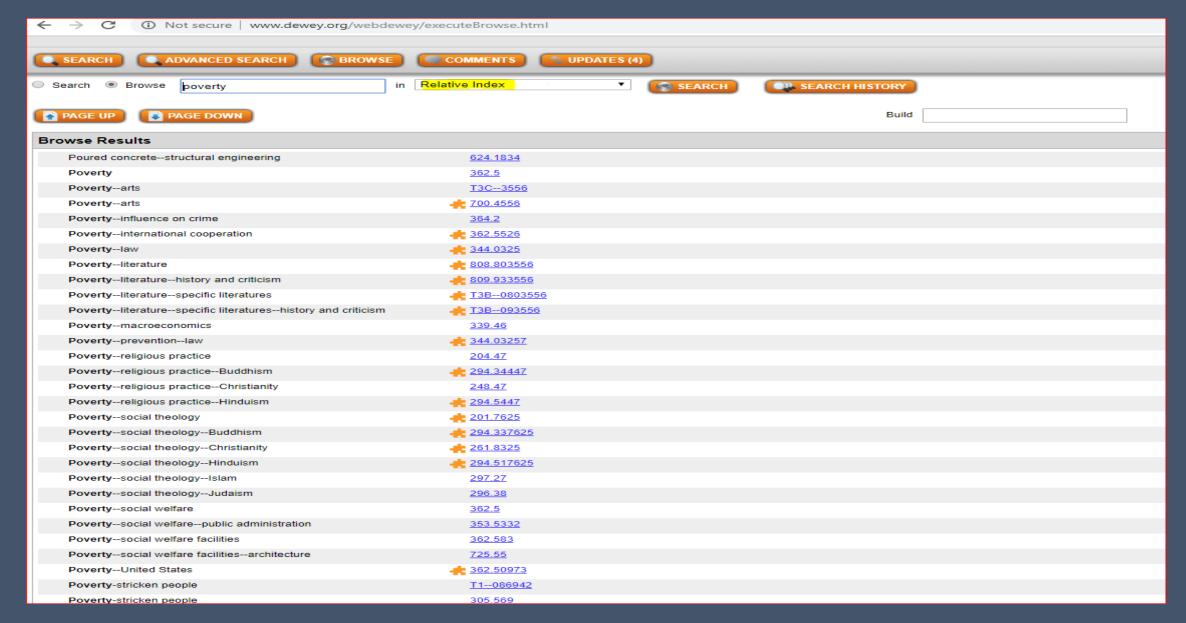




Browsing gives us more "hits" and allows you to browse for best possible matches

From browse screen can choose from drop down menu for example Dewey number, relative index or LCSH etc.

Browse using relative index



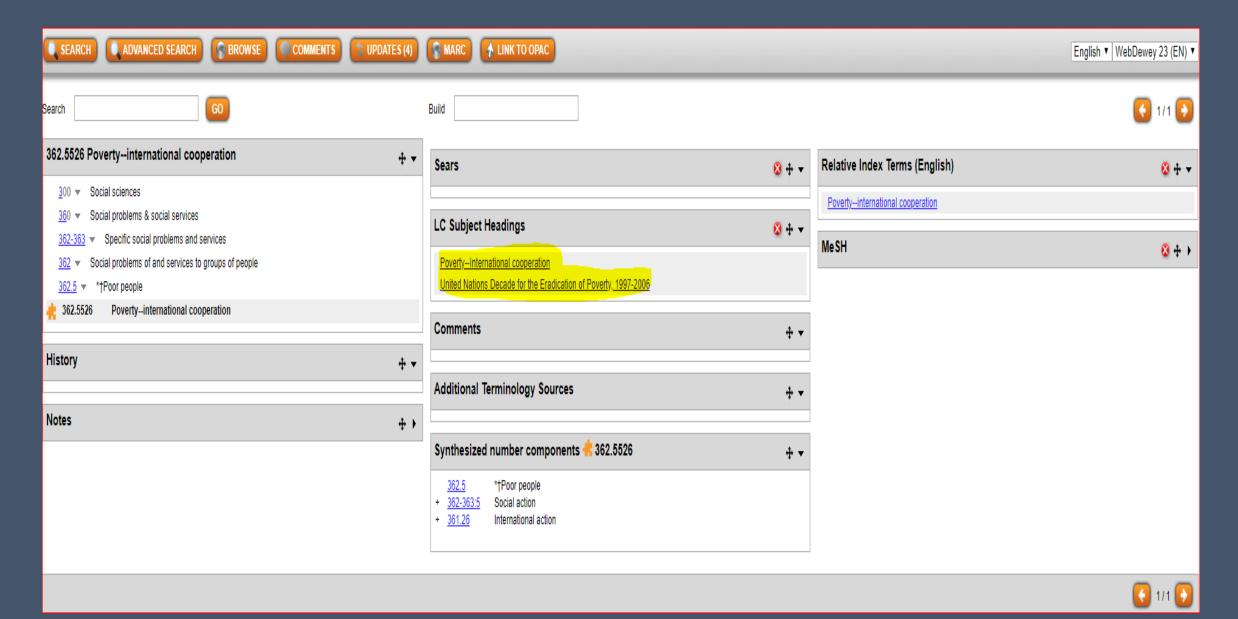
Browse using Dewey number

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	<u>362.5</u>	*†Poor people
	362.508	Groups of people
-80	362.50811	Poor mensocial welfare
	362[.5083]	Young people
	362[.50835]	Young people eighteen to twenty
	<u>362.5086</u>	People by miscellaneous social attributes
	362[.5086941]	Unemployed people
	362[.5086942]	Homeless people
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-80	362.508996	Poor blacks (African origin)social welfare
-80	<u>362.508996073</u>	Poor African Americanssocial welfare
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-80	362.50973	Poor peoplesocial welfareUnited States,
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	362.57	Measures to prevent, protect against, limit effects of poverty
	362.58	Remedial measures, services, forms of assistance
	362.582	Financial assistance
	362.583	Provision of shelter (temporary housing), clothing, other related necessities; recreation
-80	<u>362.585</u>	Almshouses,
	362.586	Counseling and guidance
	362.59	Homeless and unemployed people
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-80	<u>362.59280973</u>	Homeless peoplematerial assistanceUnited States
-80	<u>362.59283</u>	Homeless shelters,
	362.594	*†Unemployed people
	362.6	People in late adulthood

Browsing using LCSH

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PovertyInternational cooperation	<u>362.5526</u>	
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Powder injection molding	<u>671.37</u>	
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Powell, Colin L.	<u>355.0092</u>	
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Powell family	<u>929.20973</u>	
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Power (Philosophy)	<u>303.3</u>	
Power (Social sciences)	<u>303.3</u>	
Power, Kate (Fictitious character)	<u>823.914</u>	
Power-plantsRemodeling for other use	<u>725.4</u>	
Power resources	<u>333.79</u>	
Power series	<u>515.2432</u>	
PowerBuilder	<u>005.276</u>	
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Powerpuff Girls (Fictitious characters)	<u>791.4572</u>	
Powers (Christian theology)	<u>235</u>	
Powers (Christian theology)Biblical teaching	<u>235</u>	
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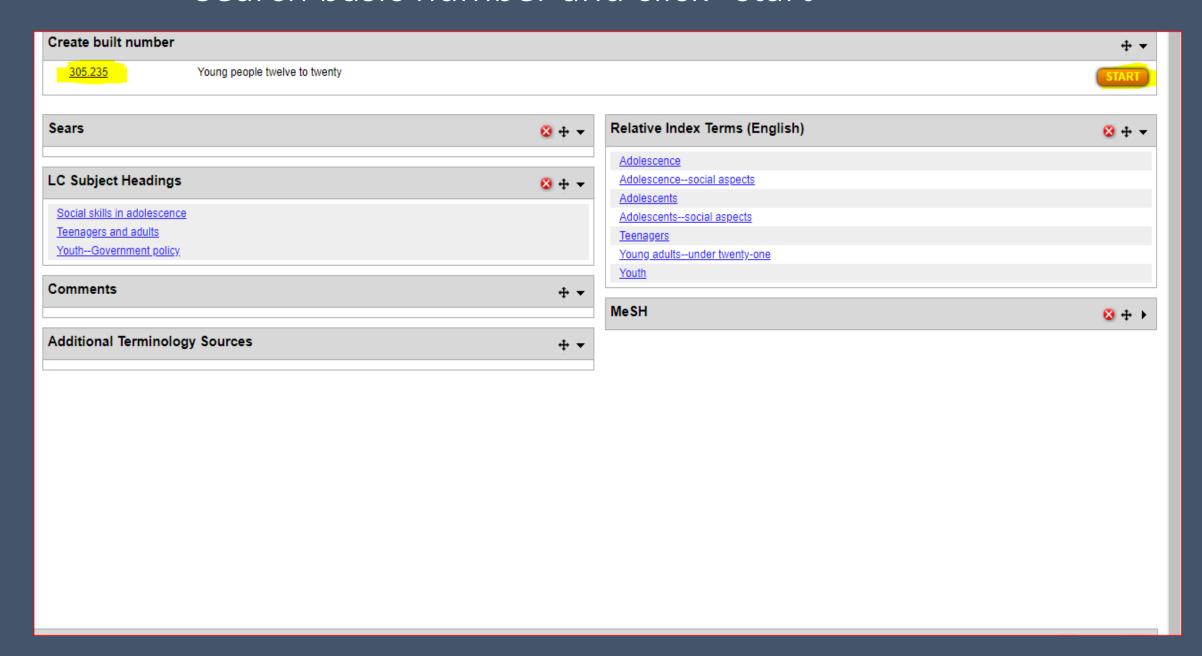
LCSH browsing continued



Number building

- Basic number building workflow
- Number building assistant
- User Terms
- Creating and using comments for local practice

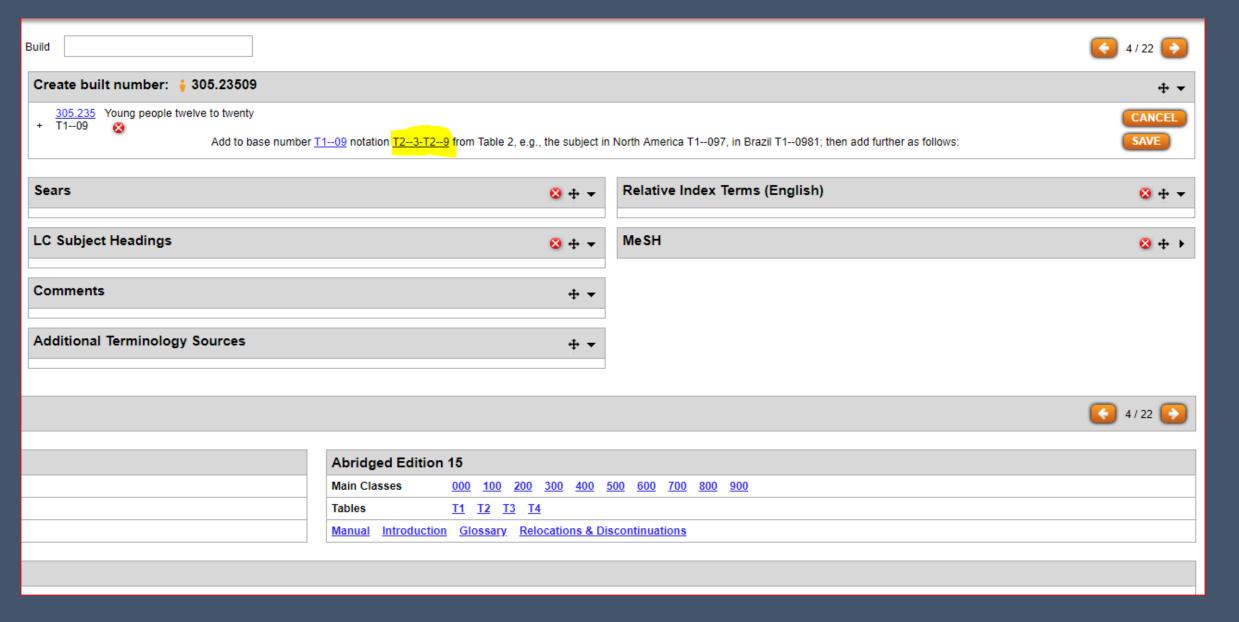
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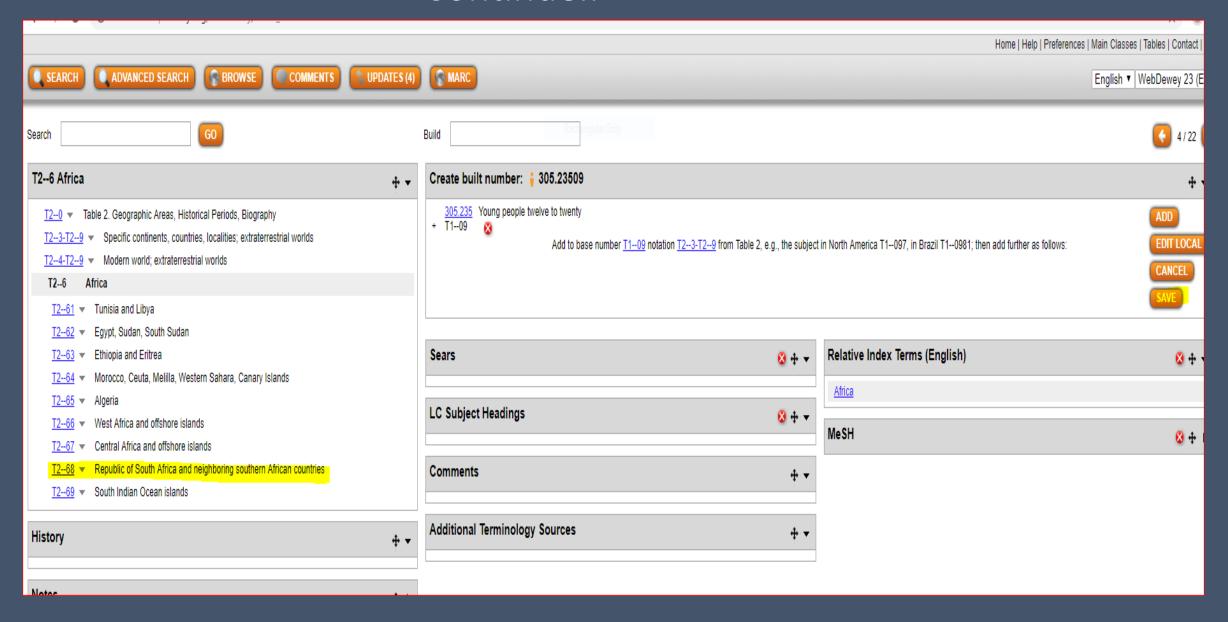
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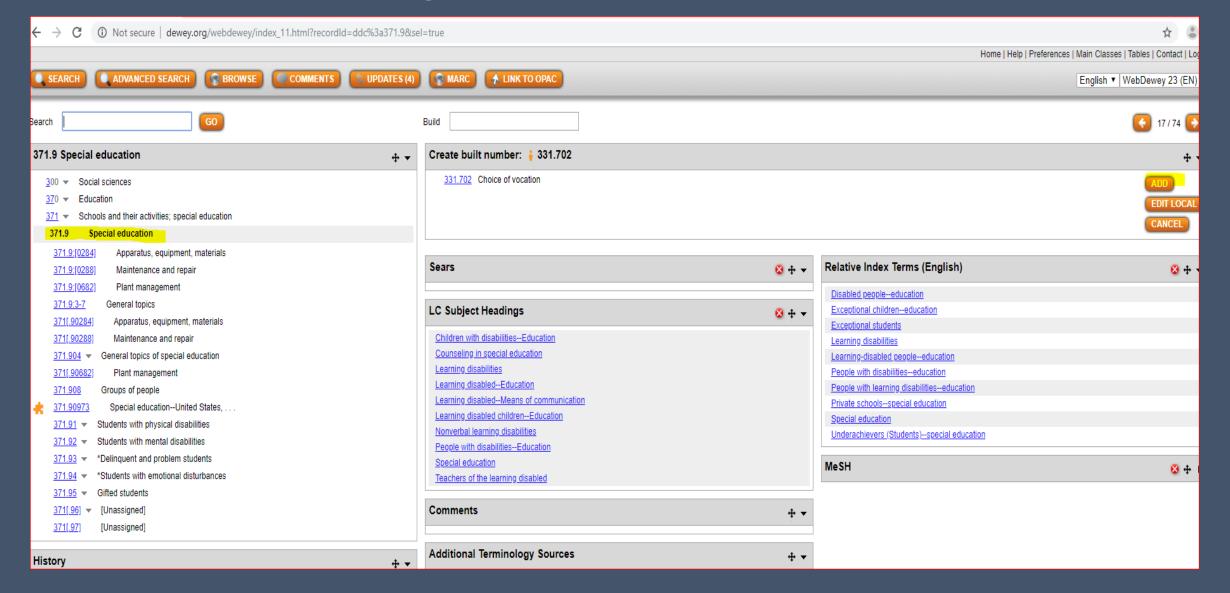
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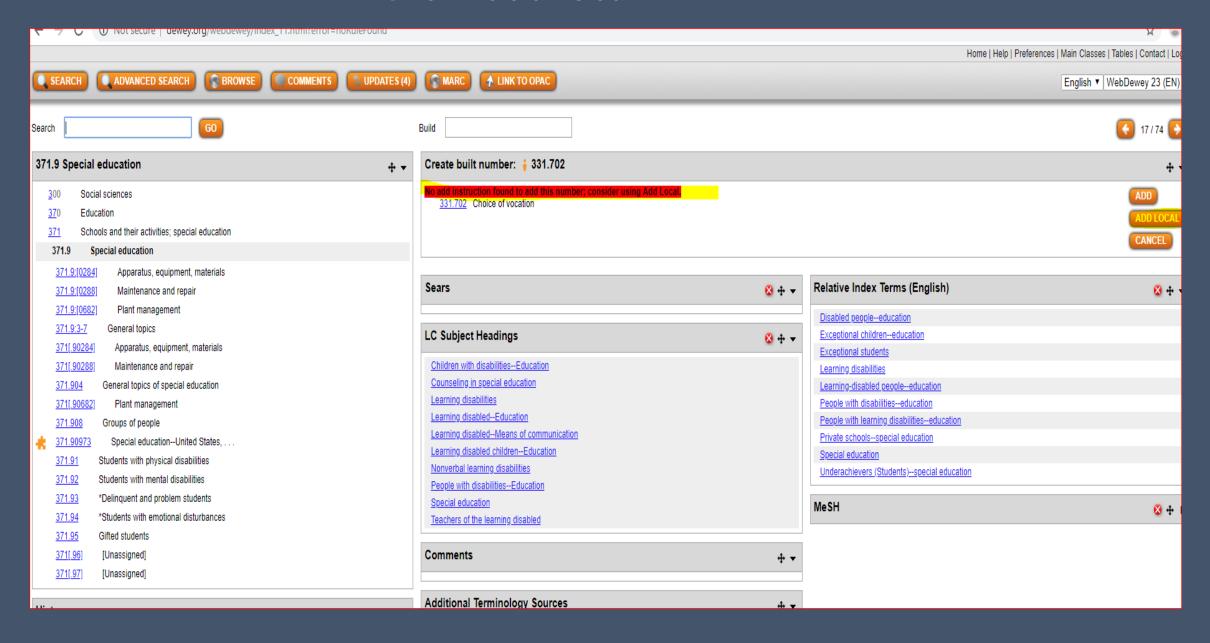
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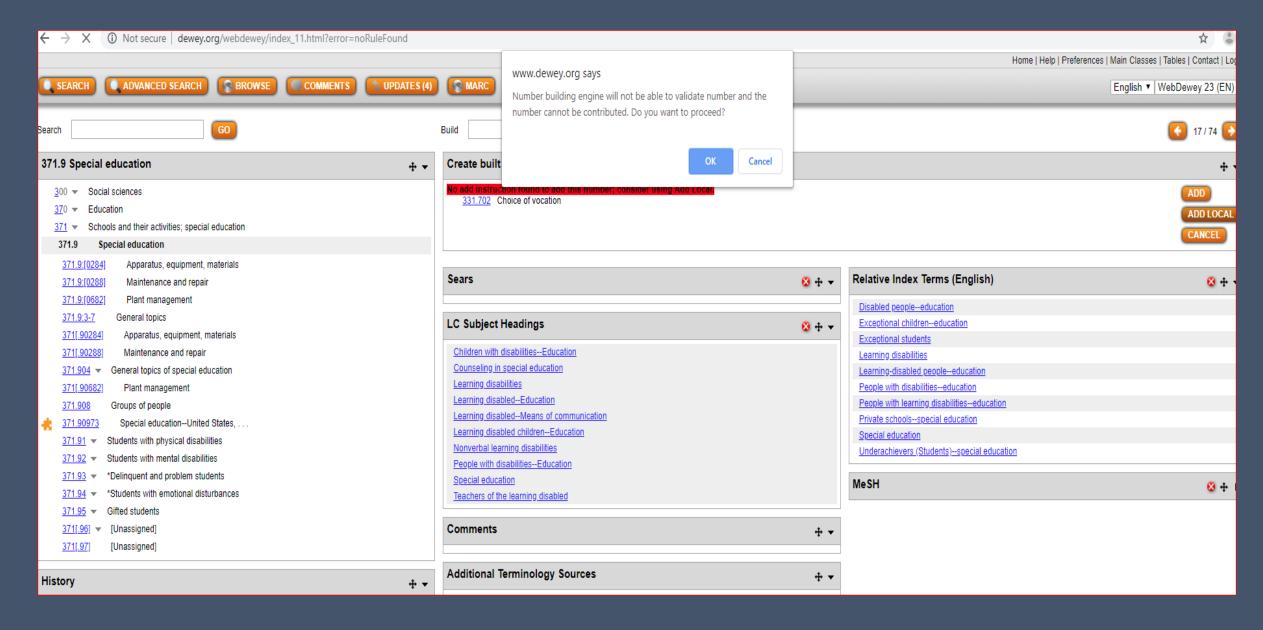
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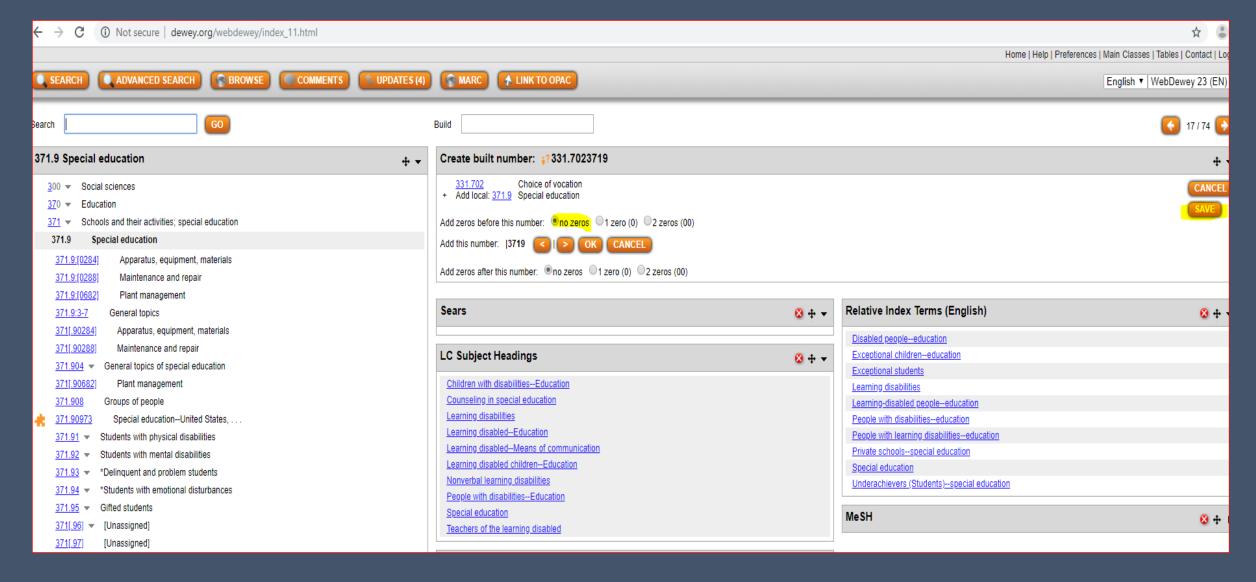
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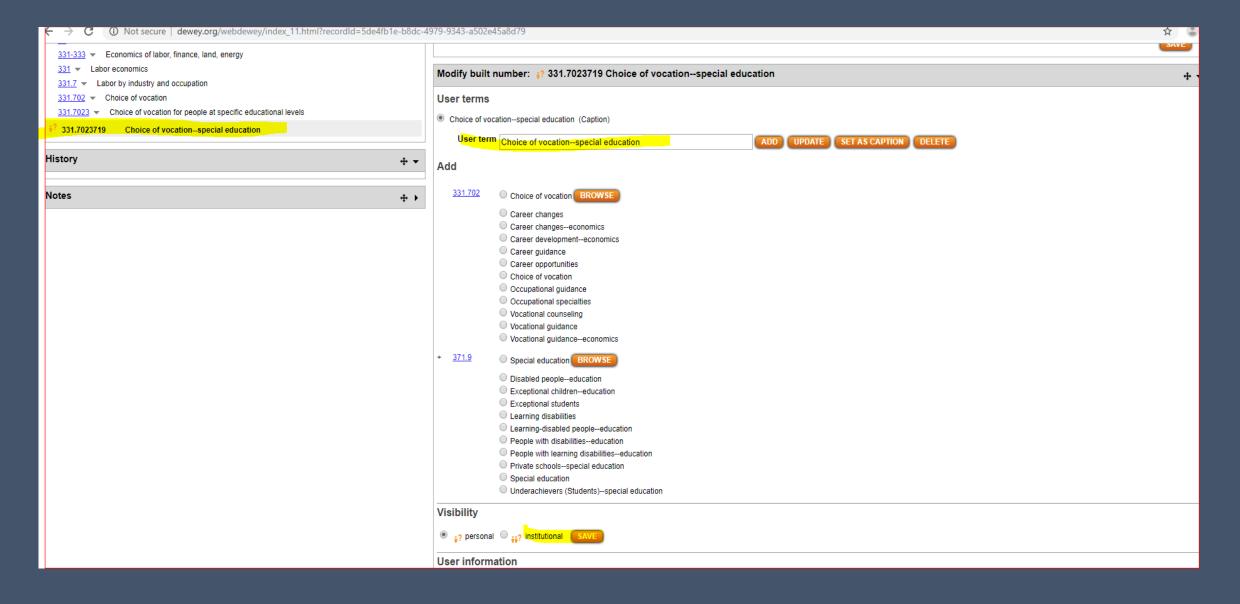
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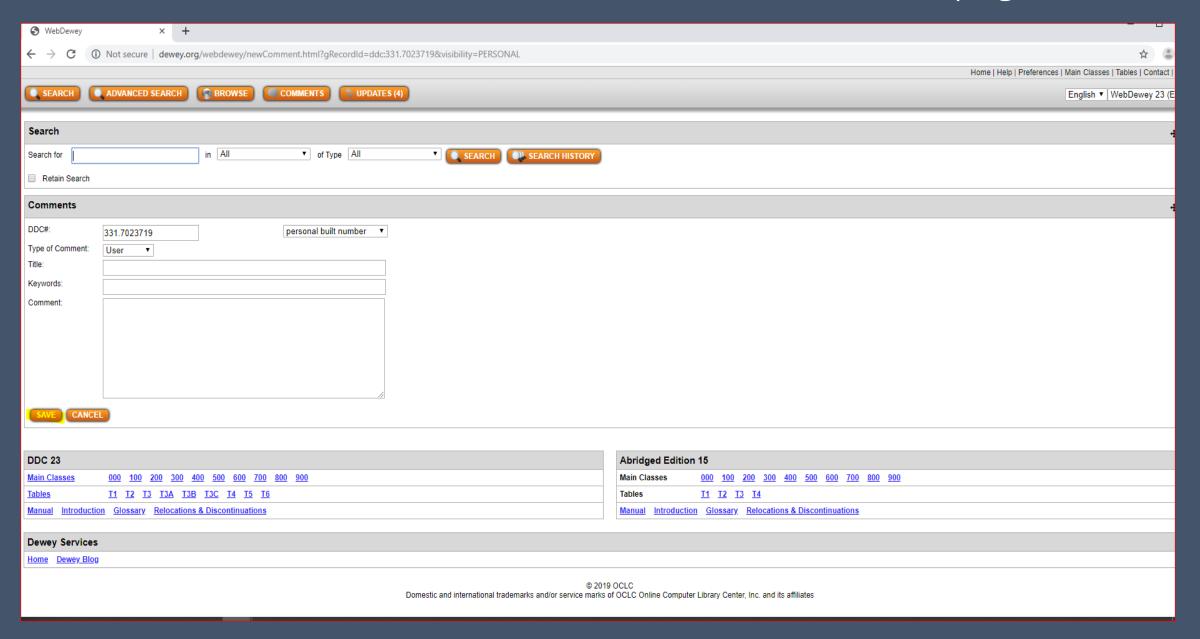
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Resources:

Dewey Blog http://ddc.typepad.com/

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Majumder, Apurba & Sarma, Gautam. (2007). Webdewey: The Dewey Decimal Classification in The Web https://www.researchgate.net/publication/317379274_WebdeweyThe_Dewey_Decimal_Classification_in_The_Web

WebDewey Number Building Tips and Tricks
http://www.ala.org/alcts/confevents/upcoming/webinar/032316

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