

<http://www.noblenet.org/bhcc/databases.htm>

**What is ARTstor?:** “ARTstor is a digital library of approximately 550,000 images in the areas of art, architecture, the humanities, and social sciences with a set of tools to view, present, and manage images for research and pedagogical purposes.”

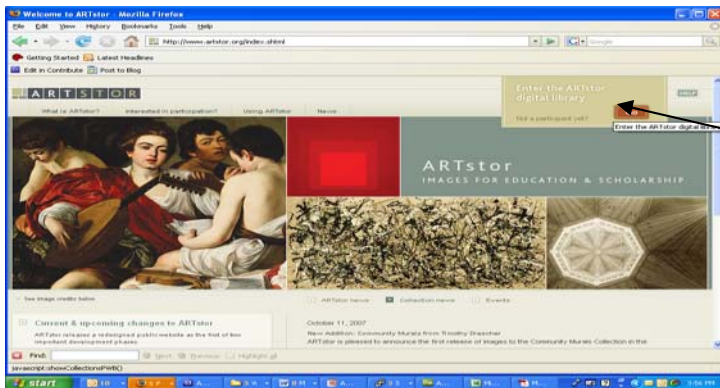
**What will I find in searching ARTstor?** Many things, including cave drawings, modern sculpture, maps, architecture, paintings and more. Your result screen includes “thumbnail” views of artwork matching your search. These thumbnails open to show high-quality digital copies of paintings, photographs and more. Each image has a section of information about the artwork and the artist.



**Troubleshooting:** ARTstor uses a combination of Java programs and pop-up windows that can cause difficulty with some computers. If a message appears to update Java settings, follow the onscreen instructions to install the update. If you are clicking links and not seeing results in ARTstor, please use the Help option to change your pop-up settings to allow pop-ups at ARTstor. Many links in ARTstor open in a pop-up window.

**How do I get started?:** Click ARTstor from the Articles Online page <http://www.noblenet.org/bhcc/databases.htm>.

**Note:** Off-campus access requires your library card number: See <http://www.noblenet.org/bhcc/SubscriptionDatabaseAccess.pdf> for instruction



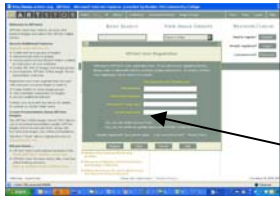
Window will open.

Click on Go to enter ARTstor.

**How do I register/login to ARTstor?** First time users should click on Register create an account. After you've registered, click login to access your personal ARTstor account.



Click here to Register or to Login.



Fill in the registration requirements. Be sure to make a note of the email and password – you'll need this to return to your account.

**Why do I need to register to access ARTstor?** Registration is not required to browse material from ARTstor, but allows you to save images and build collections, and provides access to the Offline Image Viewer and other tools.)

**How do I search in ARTstor?** There are 2 primary ways to access the ARTstor collections – searching and browsing. All art in ARTstor is grouped into “collections” to find other related artworks easily.

Searching is the best method if looking for a particular painting or artist.

Browsing Collections is best if moving from a broad topic (Maps & charts; Algeria) to a specific artwork.

To access the image and information, your pop-up-blocker MUST be off. Double-click on an image of interest, and a new screen will come up with the artwork in full view:



The boxes on the bottom of the image allow you to change the image display – zoom in, zoom out, rotate, save, and print. Below these click I for information. location of the original, the date, source, and subjects, historical notes and information on the artist, and the copyright status of the image.

**Increase your proficiency to get the most out of ARTstor:** Try these resources to learn more about ARTstor features:

ARTstor's online help index <http://www.ARTstor.org/webhelp/>

ARTstor's Training videos <http://www.ARTstor.org/using-ARTstor/u-html/online-training.shtml>

- online videos in Windows Media Player format.