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# The Korean War

## (1950-1953)

### Student Research Guide

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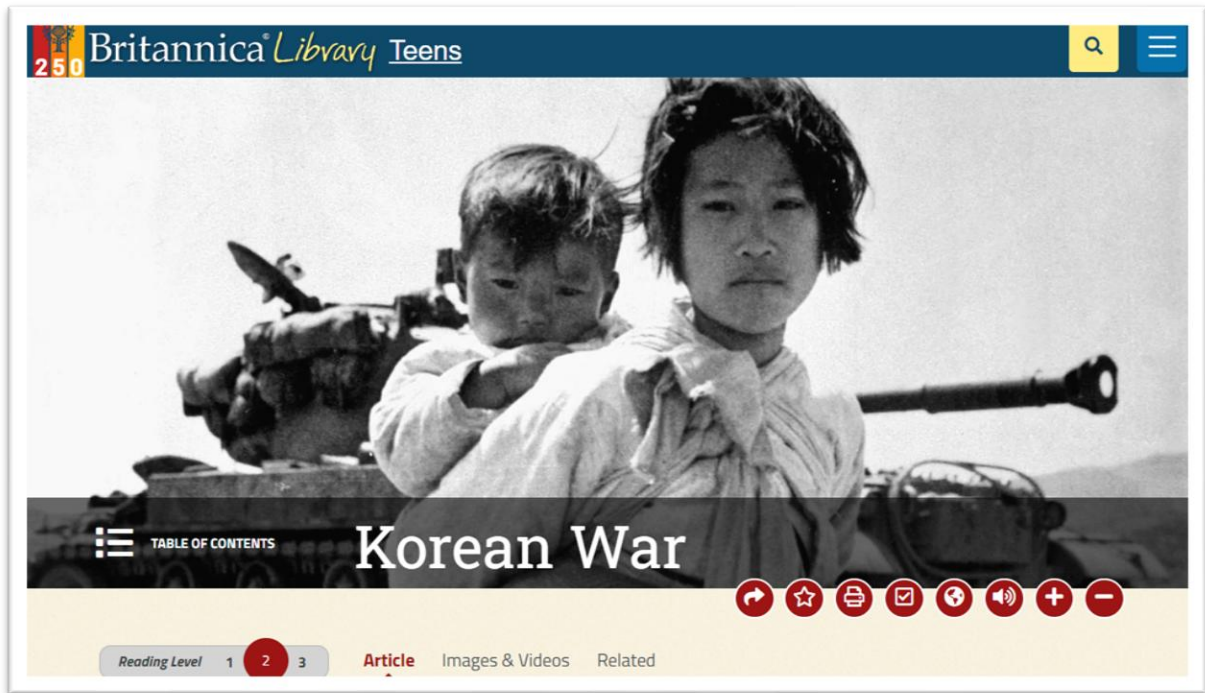
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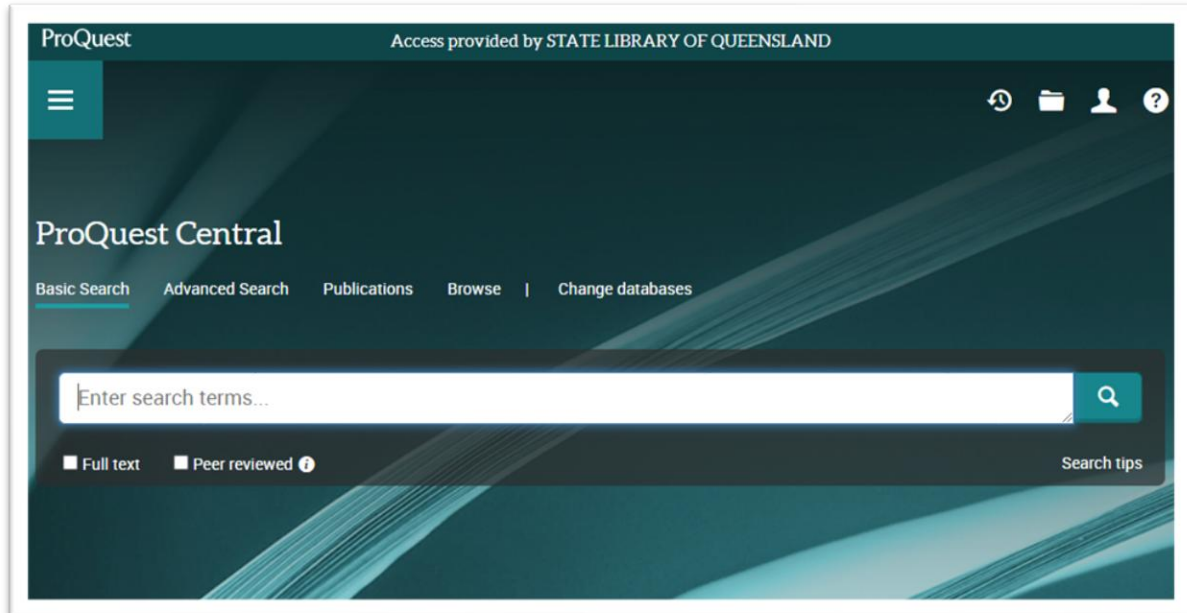
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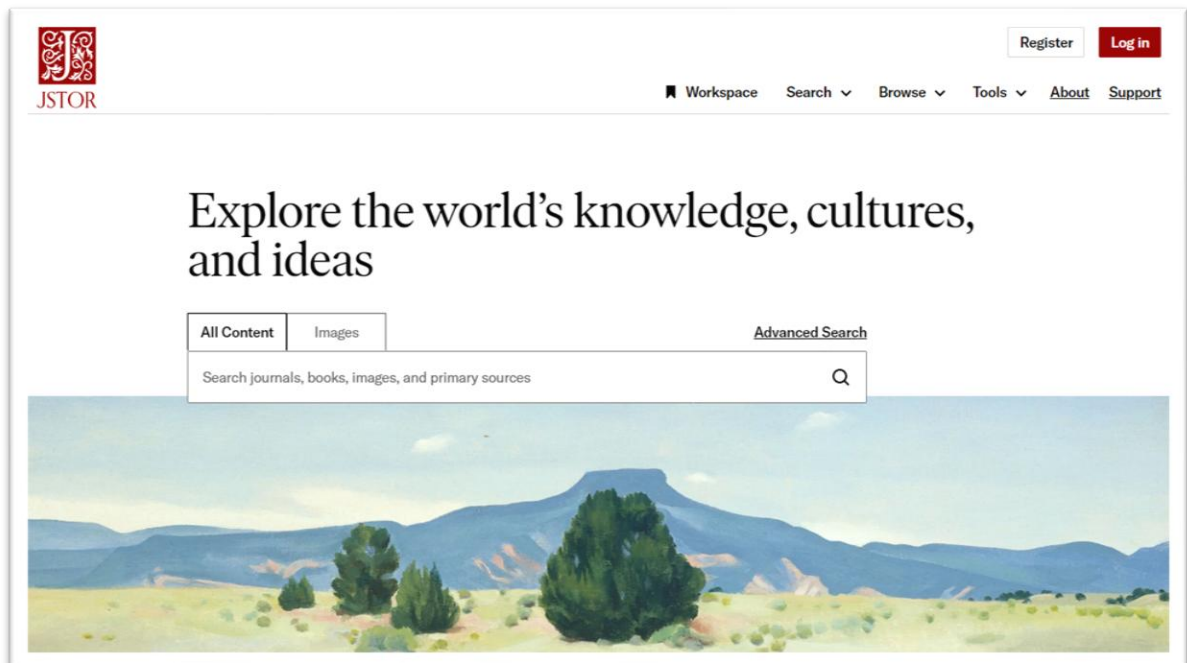


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