

Subject headings	Sub-headings	Use for	Specific terms
Agriculture			
	Agricultural exhibitions	Agricultural fairs	
	Agricultural organizations		
	Farms	Ranches	
	Gardening		
	Horticulture		
	Irrigation		
	Maple syrup industry	Maple syrup producers	
	Public markets	Farmers' markets	
Arts and culture			
	Bands		
	Choirs		
	Concerts		
	Cultural institutions	Museums Art Schools Heritage sites Libraries Theatres	
	Dancers		
	Majorettes		
	Music		
	Musicians		
	Singers		
	Visual art		
	Writers		
Buildings and structures			
	Architectural elements	Churches Factories Houses Bridges Hotels	
	Construction		
	Lighthouses		
	Monuments		
	Statues		
Business and commerce			
	Automobiles (Business and commerce)		
	Banks		

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	Cinemas		
	Cleaners		
	Clothing (Business and commerce)		
	Commercial centres		
	Convenience stores		
	Department stores		
	Electronics		
	Fabric (Business and commerce)		
	Flower shops		
	Food		
	Furniture and appliances (Business and commerce)		
	General stores		
	Hair salons	Barbers	
	Hardware stores		
	Hotels		
	Ice-houses		
	IT support		
	Jewellers		
	Pharmacies		
	Plumbing		
	Printers and stationary		
	Repairs and maintenance		
	Restaurants		
	Taxis		
	Veterinary clinics		

Children and youth

Communications

Advertising
Broadcasters
Internet
Journalism
Newspapers
Photographers (professional, commercial)
Post offices
Postal service

Subject headings	Sub-headings	Use for	Specific terms
	Printing		
	Radio		
	Telephone		
	Television		

Community life

Cultural groups
 Note: The subject term cultural group should be used with descriptions that relate to individual or groups working towards the preservation of a particular cultural groups or culture community, activities or events promoting the life and values of cultural group(s), movements, initiative, legislation that promotes the existence and participation of diverse ethnic, racial, religious or social groups within larger communities.

Disasters

Accidents (railway and automobile)
Epidemics
Fires
Floods
Shipwrecks
Storms

Education

Alumni	
Colleges	
Daycares	
School boards	
Schools (elementary, secondary)	
Students	
Teachers	Professors
Universities	

Environment

Environmental degradation
Environmental protection associations
Flora and fauna

Events and celebrations

Anniversaries

Subject headings	Sub-headings	Use for	Specific terms
	Baptisms and confirmations		
	Carnivals		
	Centenaries		
	Ceremonies		
	Death		
	Fairs	Exhibitions	
	Festivals		
	Funerals		
	Marriages		
	Parades		
	Parties		
	Protests		
	Royal visits		
	Statutory holidays (provincial and/or national)		

Exploration, discovery and travel

Family and personal life

First Nations

Geographic features

Lakes
Landscapes
Mountains
Rivers
Wetlands

Government

Federal government
Municipal government
Official visits
Provincial government
Town halls

Health and social services

Dentists	
Doctors	
Fire and emergency services	
Hospitals	Clinics

Subject headings	Sub-headings	Use for	Specific terms
	Nurses		
	Optometrists		
	Paramedics		
	Senior care		
	Social workers		
	Surgeons		
	Therapists		

Industries

Breweries	
Cement industry	
Chemical industry	
Dairy industry	
Factories	
Furniture (industries)	
Mills	
Paper and packaging industry	Packaging
Plastics	
Rubber industry	
Tabacco industry	
Textiles	

Labour

Land, settlement and immigration

Immigrant support organizations	
Immigration	
Petitions (land)	
Settlement	
Settlement organizations	
Surveying	Surveyors

Law and justice

Courts	
Crime	Escapes (criminal) Theft
Judges	
Lawyers	
Police forces	Royal Canadian Mounted Police
Prisons	

Subject headings	Sub-headings	Use for	Specific terms
	Sheriffs		
Military			
	Canada. Royal Canadian Air Force		
	Civil protection		
	Korean War		
	Pre-1914 (military)		Volunteer militia units
	Post-1945 (military)		
	World War, 1914-1918	World War I Great War, the	Canada. 117th Battalion (Eastern Townships) Canada. Canadian Army. 5th Canadian Mounted Rifles
	World War, 1939-1945	World War II	
Natural Resources			
	Dams		
	Forests		
	Gas		
	Hydroelectricity		
	Mines		
Organizations and associations			
	Action catholique		
	Aid organizations		
	Charitable organizations		
	Economic organizations		
	Fraternal organizations		
	Professional organizations		
	Social clubs		
	Unions		
	Women's organizations		
	Youth organizations	Boy Scouts Cadets Girl Guides	
Politics			
	Political campaigns		
	Political parties		
	Politicians		
Religion			

Subject headings	Sub-headings	Use for	Specific terms
	Cathedrals		
	Cemeteries		
	Churches		
	Clergy	Ministers Priests	
	Religious ceremonies	Processions	
	Religious communities		
	Religious organizations		
	Parsonages	Manses Rectories	

Science and technology

Sports, recreation and leisure

	Boatings		
	Camping		
	Cycling and bike paths	Bicycles Bike paths Biking	
	Hunting and fishing		
	Nautical sports		
	Parks		
	Picnics		
	Sports	Baseball Curling Football Golf Hockey Skating Running Skiing Softball Equestrian sports Tennis	
	Sports clubs		
	Sugaring off parties		
	Tourism		Zoos
	Vacationing		

Transportation and utilities

	Airplanes
	Boats
	Bridges (transportation)

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	Garages		
	Horse-drawn vehicles		
	Public works	Sewers Roads Infrastructure	
	Railways	Locomotives Railway cars	
	Sleighs		
	Streetcars		
	Trains		
	Vehicles, motorized	Automobiles Buses Motorcycles Trucks	

Women