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The purpose of this research is to study the use of the card catalog by students in The John F. Kennedy Library in the aspect of purpose, source of information, type of card catalog use of items on card catalog, the problems in using the card catalog and the success in using the card catalog.

From this research, it was found that the purpose of students in using card catalog was Finding books for doing their homework and report. 91.91% of students had information for finding books. The first information was title which they got it from reading assignment. The majority of them used title card, author card and subject card. The item in card catalog used by students were subject heading and title. The problem in using card catalog was that the subject heading they got was not as much details as they wanted to retrieve. The majority of students succeeded in using card catalog.