



Trexler Library, DeSales University
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Phone: 610-282-1100 x1266

Library Hours:

Monday-Thursday: 8:30 AM—Midnight

Friday: 8:30 AM—9:00 PM

Saturday: 9:00 AM—5:00 PM

Sunday: Noon—Midnight

Note: Monitor the website for holiday hours changes.



Accessible on the Web

~ 24/7 ~

<http://www.desales.edu/library>

The Reference Desk:

Our Circulation/Reference desk is a starting point for getting quick help with research projects. Our trained librarians can guide you to the best resources in electronic, paper, educational tutorial and media formats. To reach the desk, call 610-282-1100 ext. 1266. Text us at 610.898.3184 (*message and data rates may apply*) or chat online with a librarian at: desales.libanswers.com

Your Personal Librarian: Research Assistance Program (R.AP)

Trexler Library provides individualized research help by appointment. A reference librarian will work one-on-one with you to get started on your projects and help you locate relevant scholarly material for your work. We will do this in person, via the phone, or over the web. You can call 610-282-1100 ext. 1266 to make an appointment or email us at reference@desales.edu

Research Advice on the Web

Our “Introduction to Research” page, located under “For Students” on the library homepage, provides a step-by-step guide to writing a research paper as well as links to finding material. The site includes our online tutorials on web search, web evaluation, using our online catalog, and more.

To Reach a Librarian:

TXT your question to (610) 898-3184

Tweet your question to @trexler_library

Call us at (610) 282-1100 x1266

Click the “ASK US” button on our web pages or go to:
<http://desales.libanswers.com/>



Trexler Library at DeSales University

**A quick guide to using
DeSales University's
information resources**

**Get Connected @
DeSales**

**Focus on:
Nursing Students**



**Have a question?
Ask a librarian!**



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Trexler Computer Labs

There are two computer labs in the library which are available to students when the library is open. The Trexler Technology Center (TTC) has 33 work-stations, and a second smaller lab has 15 desk-top computers plus 4 MACs.

Beginning in the Fall of 2013, the library will have two additional computer work areas—one on the first floor in the reference area, and another on the second floor by the scholarly journal and Kerr Collections.

Important Phone Numbers

Circulation Desk: x1266

Library Director Debbie Malone: x1253

Public Services Librarians:

Loretta Ulincy: x 1346

Michele Mrazik: x 1612

Lynne Kvinnesland: x 1443



Study Room Reservations:

Need a place to study? Then sign up for a study room using our new room reservation software:

<http://desales.libcal.com/booking/studyrooms>.

DeSales Digital Library: Full Text Articles Online

Did you know that to do library research, you don't necessarily have to be in a library? You can do much of your library research on a computer at home or in your office. Trexler Library provides access to more than 8,000 online full text journals in more than 25 research databases that you can access 24/7. There is a guide to nursing resources available online at:

<http://desales.libguides.com/nursing>

Listed below is just a sampling of some of our nursing/health sciences databases:

- CINAHL: Cumulative Index to Nursing & Allied Health Literature—provides access to virtually all English-language nursing journals.
- Health Source: Nursing / Academic Edition—provides access to nearly 600 scholarly full-text nursing journals
- Nursing Reference Center: an evidence-based point-of-care nursing reference tool.
- PubMed—a service of the National Library of Medicine, known to be the most comprehensive source of medical literature in the world.

And more! To access this wealth of information you will need to log into MyDSU with your DeSales email username and your Active Directory password, usually your birthdate (MMDDYY) followed by "Dsu"

.Research Help:

From the Library home page click "*for students...*" in the upper right hand corner. Listed in the center column are two invaluable resources to help you with your research: the "Introduction to research" page will get you started and the "Citation guides" page will help you with your APA style. Hint: the "OWL at Purdue" link on this page is a good place to begin!

Read eBooks Online Anywhere, Anytime

Trexler Library provides desktop access to electronic editions of more than 120,000 printed books. You can view and read these ebooks anywhere at anytime. The collection includes books from many major publishers of scholarly nursing and allied health literature. This format is ideal for quick lookups and fact checking.

Did You Know...

- Laptops are available at the Circulation Desk for check-out and use in the library
- Are you new to the Library? Ask for a tour!
- Your biosciences librarian is Loretta Ulincy. Give her a call at x1346 to help you with your research.



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