

Libraries



About JMU Libraries

At JMU, the libraries are here to support the academic and creative success of all students. We offer comfortable and safe places to learn, explore and collaborate in **four locations**:

Carrier Library, near the Quad, features 195,000 square feet of newly renovated space. Its features include study spaces with stunning views, a relaxation room, and a student kitchenette. Carrier Library also houses the Book Lab (a space for preservation, conservation, and book arts) and Distinctive Collections, home to the Libraries' rare and unique materials.

Rose Library, on East Campus, provides five floors of bright, welcoming spaces for both individual and collaborative study.

Both Carrier and Rose libraries offer audio/video studios, a makerspace, a café, a computer lab, printers and a secure 24-hour study area.

The Music Library, located in the basement of the Music Building, primarily serves the School of Music, but its specialized resources, computer lab, printers and study spaces are open to all students.

The Educational Technology & Media Center primarily serves the College of Education, but its study spaces and printers in Memorial Hall are available to everyone.

Librarians for Each Major

We provide access to millions of resources—books, journals, music recordings, videos and more. We also offer a librarian for each major at JMU who can help students navigate these resources to find the best sources for their topic. Students can receive support from the Libraries' knowledgeable staff online, at a service desk or by appointment. For a list of librarians by subject area, visit: lib.jmu.edu/liaison-librarians

Makerspace

Create, tinker, craft, invent and discover new skills in The Makery, a makerspace with locations in Rose and Carrier Libraries. The Makery offers 3D printers, sewing machines, laser cutters and more. All our services and supplies are available free-of-charge to all JMU students, and our knowledgeable and helpful staff are here to help. Learn more: lib.jmu.edu/makery

What else does JMU Libraries offer?

Places to Study

- Cafés and study spaces
- Group study rooms
- 24/7 swipe-in spaces
- Quiet floors and quiet booths

Research Support

- Help with sources and citations
- Pickup service from any library desk
- Scholarly journals and databases
- Access to non-JMU library items through Interlibrary Loan (ILL)

Creative Resources

- Adobe Creative Suite and other software on site
- Computers, printers and scanners
- Video and audio equipment to borrow
- Makerspace workshops
- Audio/video studios for students in Carrier and Rose

Explore and Enjoy

- Music scores and recordings
- Books and movies just for fun
- Online newspapers and magazines
- Community seed library



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