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# NEWSLETTER Tips, Tricks & Tidbits March 12th, 2024



## **OBSERVE QUIET PLEASE**

With ND Final Exams Week nearly upon us, let us all be mindful in the Library as many seek a quiet place to study.

While we all know that being Quiet is a standard practice when using a Library, often without thinking many of us will get loud using the phone, or talking over the copy machine, or discussing class or club activities and more. Fairly quickly the noise level will build. As a courtesy to your fellow students, as we approach the end of the Quarter and Final Exams approach quickly, let's try to practice a little more mindfulness with regard to the noise we may be making as individuals or in groups. Thank you.

## LIBRARY STUDY ROOMS LIMITED AVAILABILITY

Be advised that due to ND Final Exams taking place in the Library during Final Exams Week, March 11<sup>th</sup> to 15<sup>th</sup>, there will be an extreme limited availability of the Study Rooms in the Library. Please prepare and plan accordingly.



Find evidence-based, accurate and actionable information on best practices with *Nutrition Reference Center*, a point-of-care tool designed specifically for dietitians and nutritionists. Users can access trusted resources for education, practice and research to provide their patients with the highest level of care possible. Available through the Library's MySonoran Resources page.

#### **Content Includes**

- Condition-specific diet topics
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#### BADGE REQUIRED

#### **Don't Forget Your Sonoran University Identification Badge**

Remember, your Sonoran University ID Badge is still required to be on campus, to enter certain areas of the campus, and for printing.

### LIBRARY SERVICES FOR SONORAN UNIVERSITY ALUM

The Sonoran University Library continues to support you after you graduate and as you begin practice as a health professional.

For up to six months after graduation, you will continue to have full library privileges, including remote online access to licensed databases. After the six-month extension period (ending December 31<sup>st</sup>, or June 30<sup>th</sup>; depending on when you graduate), remote offsite access to the Library databases will be cut off completely and permanently. This is due to contractual obligations with the vendors which limits the databases to on-campus use only. However, if you keep your Sonoran E-mail Active, and maintain your MySonoran Portal Log-on, there or some certain online resources that you can still have access to.

Of course, if you remain in the vicinity of Sonoran University, you will always have the ability to utilize the Library's resources, including the online resources in the Library, when visiting the Library. You will continue to have the many advantages of the library, including book check-out, research assistance and Interlibrary Loan services. You are allowed to check out up to 10 items for a period of three weeks with two renewals; just like when you were a student.

If you have any questions concerning your library account, please visit us at the library, send an email to <a href="mailto:library@sonoran.edu">library@sonoran.edu</a> or call us at 480-222-9247. We wish you continued success after you graduate.

# DIVERSITY, EQUITY, INCLUSION CHECK OUT THE LIBRARY PAGE: DEI Resources

The Sonoran University Library has a MySonoran page titled **DEI Resources**<a href="https://my.sonoran.edu/ICS/Library/DEI">https://my.sonoran.edu/ICS/Library/DEI</a> Resources.jnz

This new page provides information about resources in the Library, related to Diversity, Equity and Inclusion. These various resources include books in the Library collection, and links to resources on the internet.

## SONORAN UNIVERSITY LIBRARY HOMEPAGE

Here is the Link to the Library home page on MySonoran: <a href="http://library.sonoran.edu">http://library.sonoran.edu</a> While a few pages are open outside of logging into MySonoran, you really want to login to MySonoran (provided by I.T.) to access all the extensive resources in the Library. On the Library home page, underneath the Welcome information section, is a General Library Overview section. It includes a short 8-minute video providing a General Overview on navigating the Library's MySonoran (formerly MySCNM) pages and accessing the resources found there. Additionally, you will learn about the Library User Account set-up, and how to navigate the Library pages to find and access the Library's electronic books, databases and other resources on the Library's MySonoran pages. There is also a quick easy document to scroll through for a basic understanding of the Library. Also note links to other Library pages in the menu options on left side of any of the MySonoran Library pages.

### LIBRARY OPEN FOR THE BREAK

The Library is often open during any of the between-quarter Breaks; possibly excepting the Fall to Winter Holiday Break or with limited hours. While many of you may travel during the Break periods, the staff remain here to complete many various tasks and projects, or prepare for the orientations of the new incoming class, or generally getting ready for the next quarter, etc.

The Library will be staffed and available to continue to provide our many Library services, including checking out of materials, research assistance, inter-library loan, and more.

For those of you who are not going anywhere, you are more than welcome to come in and visit us. Get a head start on the next quarter, finish up any previous quarter work, or just check out what we have just for fun. For those who do not have computers or printers at home, you can come in to check your e-mail, copy or print, research, download data, etc. More seriously, you can do some case research for your Break Clinic Shifts.

Check out some casual reading materials, or video and audio materials, for the Break.



### DAMAGED / LOST LIBRARY ITEMS

Occasionally, items are returned damaged. Often, they may be water damaged; in fact we have had books still damp when returned (so we know they weren't checked out in that condition). Please be respectful and mindful of the Sonoran University Library's items when they are in your possession. Your fellow borrowers are counting on us having the items on the shelf and in good condition when they need them as well.

Be aware that there is a \$10.00 damage fee, plus a \$5.00 processing fee. If the item is deemed not repairable, destroyed, then there is a replacement fee in the amount of the purchase value of the item, plus a \$5.00 processing fee. Costs can add up, so please take care of the items you check-out of the Library.

# NO FOOD IN THE LIBRARY PLEASE HELP KEEP THE LIBRARY CLEAN





# APPOINTMENTS REQUIRED CANCELLATION ESSENTIAL

## Contact the Library Directly

The Library is openly accessible. No appointment required for the open use area, including the copier/printer, computers, etc.

Library Study Rooms are *NOT* available on a 'first-come, first-serve' basis. A Reservation is **required**. Please make sure that you are <u>reserving study rooms inside the Library</u> due to space limitations and high demand.

You are still required to schedule an appointment date, time and length of time, in order to come in to utilize the Library Study Rooms only. If you are unable to keep your appointment, it is absolutely essential that you contact us at your earliest possible convenience to cancel. Available appointment spots are limited.

#### CONTACTING THE LIBRARY

For any Library questions or assistance, please contact the library by e-mail as the primary method of communication. Due to the library's limited hours and staffing, the library staff is more likely to be able to respond by e-mail at most any time in the order they are received; though delays may occur. If extensive assistance by phone is necessary, scheduling an appointment during the above mentioned Library hours will be required. Teams appointments may be scheduled for Library video instruction.

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 Library Catalog : <a href="http://librarycatalog.sonoran.edu">http://library.sonoran.edu</a>

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If you have any questions, don't hesitate to ask. Come In And Enjoy Your Library Privileges!

Library Staff and Bookroom Hours: Monday-Friday: 8:00am-5:00pm Not staffed Saturday, Sunday, Major Holidays and Fall Break

Sincerely, Library Staff



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