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STUDY CARRELS

For more than 50 years, the study carrels in the Watson Library stacks have been special spaces for students to read, write, and study during their time at KU. Come enjoy these popular study nooks that have been recently updated to provide access to stable power sources, improved lighting, and modern furniture.



MAKERSPACE

The Makerspace on the second floor of Anschutz Library is a welcoming place for KU students, faculty, and staff to think, create, and collaborate. Equipment and tools for 3D printing, podcasting, and general creative discovery provide a hands-on learning experience for users of all skill levels — beginners and curious minds welcome!

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GROUP STUDY ROOMS

KU Libraries offer rooms for groups large and small, many equipped with boards and screens for collaboration and presentation preparation. To find a spot for your next meet-up, use the online reservation tool at calendar.lib.ku.edu.



A SPACE FOR EVERYONE

We have a variety of spaces to meet student needs, including the David Beaham Reading Room on the fourth floor of Anschutz Library and reflection rooms in Watson, Anschutz, and Spahr Libraries. The Beaham Reading Room is a quiet and cozy study space, while the Reflection Rooms offer space for meditation, reflection, and prayer — regardless of faith or denomination.



STUDIO K

Studio K is a quick-record studio, designed so that any user can walk in and start recording a speech, demonstration, or presentation within moments of arrival. Studio K is located on the third floor of Watson Library and was developed in collaboration with KU IT. lib.ku.edu/studio-k





ANSCHUTZ LIBRARY

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Anschutz Library has collections in the sciences, education, government information, and business resources, as well as maps and microforms. Extensive computer workstations, a book scanning station, vending machines, tutoring and writing services, group study rooms, and 24-hour study facilities are all available at Anschutz.



GORTON MUSIC & DANCE LIBRARY

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Are you interested in the performing arts? The Gorton Music & Dance Library in Murphy Hall (room 240) has what you need, including more than 111,000 scores, books, sound recordings, videos, and serials, and is the leading music collection in the region.



KENNETH SPENCER RESEARCH LIBRARY

spencer.lib.ku.edu

Students and other researchers can explore rare and historical primary sources, including books, maps, and photographs, as well as personal letters and journals, in many subject areas at Spencer Research Library. This library also houses the University Archives and beautiful North Gallery and exhibit space, highlighting library collections through the exploration of different themes.



MURPHY ART & ARCHITECTURE LIBRARY

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Interested in art, design, architecture, art history, or urban planning? Visit the Murphy Art & Architecture Library in the Spencer Museum of Art for a wealth of books and journals — or search dozens of online research databases for articles related to the field.



SPAHR ENGINEERING LIBRARY

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For study rooms and resources supporting engineering and technology subjects, visit this library located in the Eaton Plaza.



WATSON LIBRARY

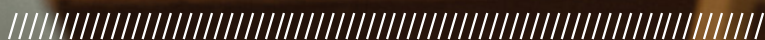
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Watson is the home for students and other researchers studying languages, literature, and humanities; some social sciences, and our International Collections. Watson also houses support for GIS, data, and digital humanities, as well as exhibit spaces, vending machines, and quiet areas for all your study needs.

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THE INFORMATION, RESOURCES, AND HELP YOU NEED



No matter what you're studying, KU Libraries have world-class collections and scholarly resources for your research papers, projects, and coursework — and friendly staff and librarians with the expertise to help you find exactly what you need.



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Wondering if we have a service
you need? Just ask! We are your
partners in the classroom
and beyond.



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course reserves for classes —
items held at a desk that can be
checked out for a short period
of time. To find items that have
been reserved for your class,
visit lib.ku.edu/course-reserves.



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high-quality articles, images,
scientific data, and information
of all kinds — are available to
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searches, or go to our subject
and course guides ([guides](http://lib.ku.edu/guides),
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more resources specific to your
subject or course.



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that KU Libraries don't have,
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and free. Requested articles are
typically delivered electronically
within 24 hours, so you can
get what you need, even when
you're on a deadline.

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WHAT SHOULD EVERY STUDENT KNOW ABOUT THE LIBRARIES?

“ There’s a lot here for everyone. If you get in touch with a librarian and figure out where the things you need are, everyone can use the library.”
— Anna, History and Political Science



“ My favorite part of KU Libraries are the resources and services that they have to offer, particularly the interlibrary loan services. At the beginning of the year, instead of going out and spending money on all the course materials that I need, ILL can often get those resources to me for free, so I really enjoy that. Additionally, I like the fact that we can check out markers and Mac chargers so if I’m in a pinch I can grab that stuff instead of having to buy it and carry it around myself.”
— Monica, Business



“ I do a lot of group studying in the libraries — reserving rooms, teaching each other, discussing questions. It’s a very nice place to get away from distractions at home. I can’t study at home, I just can’t. I want to take a break when I’m at home, do something else, but when I’m at the library I feel like I’m accomplishing something.”
— Muhammad, Molecular Cellular Biology / Pre-Med



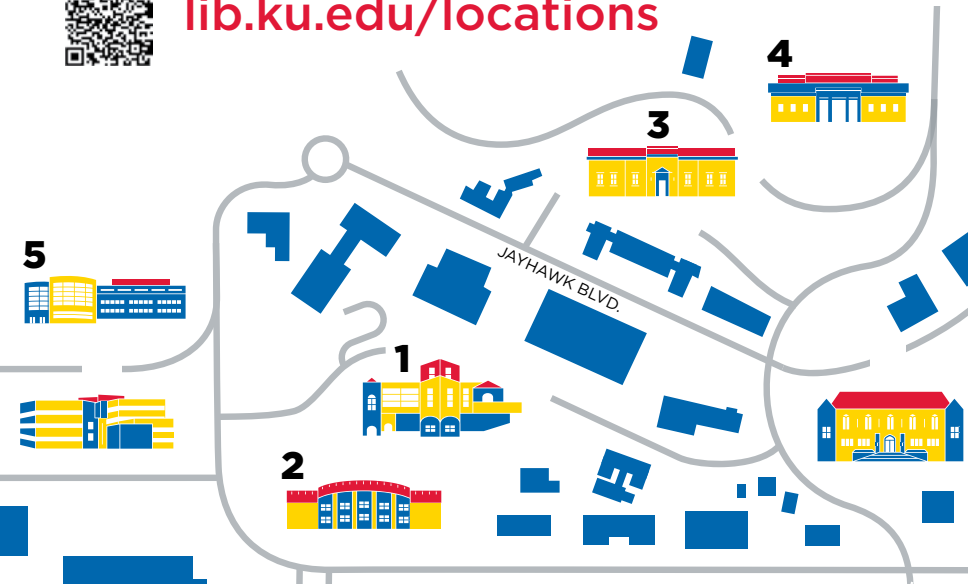
“ It’s really daunting at first to go to the library, seeing all the resources can be overwhelming, but just give it a try, visit one or two of them because you’ll find a lot of great things — great environments to study in and resources to help you study.”
— Quincey, English



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1301 Hoch Auditoria Drive
Information: 785-864-4928
Research Help: 785-864-4930

2. GORTON MUSIC & DANCE LIBRARY*

Murphy Hall, 1530 Naismith Drive
785-864-3496

3. KENNETH SPENCER RESEARCH LIBRARY

1450 Poplar Lane
785-864-4334

4. MURPHY ART & ARCHITECTURE LIBRARY*

Spencer Museum of Art
1301 Mississippi St.
785-864-3020

5. SPAHR ENGINEERING LIBRARY

1532 W. 15th Street
785-864-3866

6. WATSON LIBRARY*

1425 Jayhawk Boulevard
Information: 785-864-8983
Research Help: 785-864-3347

7. WHEAT LAW LIBRARY

Green Hall, 1535 W. 15th Street
785-864-3025

DYKES LIBRARY (not shown)

Medical Center, Kansas City, KS
913-588-7166
Toll-free: 800-332-4193

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Overland Park, KS
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services and access:
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