ABOUT HSSE

Walking Tour
Discover all that HSSE Library has to offer. Includes over 600,000 books, 3,000 journal titles, and 60+ computer stations.

Regular Operating Hours
Monday - Thursday (8am - 12 midnight)
Friday (8am - 6pm)
Saturday (11am - 5pm)
Sunday (1pm - 12 midnight)
Peri Stacks close 30 minutes early

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http://www.lib.purdue.edu/help/askalib

Purdue Libraries

2nd Floor

Interlibrary Loan (ILL) Area
Department which obtained research materials not owned by Purdue University Libraries for West Lafayette faculty, staff, & students.

Children’s Literature
Includes fiction, nonfiction, biographies, picture books, and story collections.

LC Book Area

Dewey Books Begin
Most of HSSE’s collection is cataloged in the Dewey Decimal system.

Media
The Libraries media collection, consisting largely of DVDs and VHS tapes, can be found on the 2nd floor of the HSSE Library.

3rd Floor

Oversized Area // 000’s - 900’s
Includes large books classified in Dewey Decimal (000’s - 900’s)

Fine Arts Oversized Books
Includes larger books that are in the Fine Arts classification.

4th Floor

ASC
The Virginia Kelly Karnes Archives and Special Collections Research Center Library

Quiet Study Area
Study area includes individual study carrels for patron usage.
HSSE LIBRARY WALKING TOUR

HUMANITIES, SOCIAL SCIENCE, AND EDUCATION LIBRARY
504 W. State St. West Lafayette, IN 47907-2058

1ST FLOOR

IDESK
Located at the front of the main floor/1st floor. Staff members are available to assist you when the library is open.

PRINTERS
Two ITaP printers can be found in front of the ITaP Desk for all computer printing.

SELF-CHECK MACHINE // CATALOG ONLY
Patrons are able to check out materials on their own with their Purdue University IDs.
Catalog-only PC allows for quick access.

STAIRS & ELEVATOR
Stairs at front entrances & the elevator located on the right side enable patrons to access all four floors of books as well as the ASC.

CSC
Collaborative Study Center; large monitors with computers for groups.

COPY CENTER
Several photocopiers are available to use for scanning, emailing, and printing.

REFERENCE COLLECTION
Available for 7 day check out periods.

PERIODICALS // GOVT. DOCS
Located to the left side of the Periodicals Reading Room. Access to 1st floor Govt. Docs and 5 floors of bound journals.

CONTEMPORARY LITERATURE
Collection is available for check out period of 16 weeks.

ITaP SUPPORT DESK
Issues with personal computers, passwords, installation of anti-virus software, mapping of home directories, configuration for lab printers, & Software