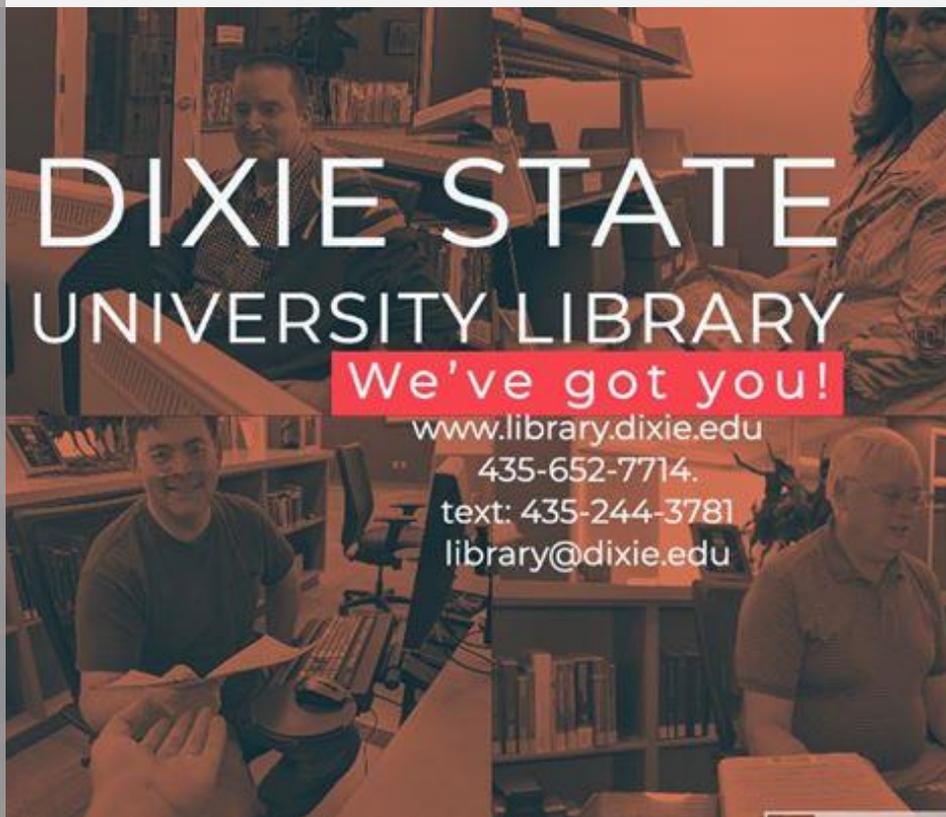




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Need Help? We've got You

by TERRYLL PARRISH

Every student struggles with a paper or an assignment and really wishes they could just get a tutor to help with the essay or report. **There is a service on campus that is even better than a free tutoring session.** All of the Dixie State librarians have many skills that can be very helpful for all students. Each librarian is a liaison in specific subjects and they are experts in helping students find resources for their particular topic. Then, after the research has been gathered and the essay or report has been started the librarians are there to help again. Each librarian can provide information so you can learn how to correctly use citations in your writings and learn the required format. They can also proofread, edit, and check your citations on your completed assignment.

Each librarian has many times throughout the week that they are available to assist students. They can meet with you at the library (when it's allowed), on the phone, or on Zoom. The easiest way to set up an appointment is on the main library website at library.dixie.edu. Look for the "Meet with a Librarian" title and then click on the button to schedule an appointment.

If you would like to find a librarian that has expertise in a certain field of study before the appointment, check out the list at libguides.dixie.edu/questions/contacts to see which librarian is an expert in your subject. If you need immediate help with simple questions, such as checking the format of a citation or ideas for better search terms, click on the chat feature on the library website and a librarian is available instantly weeknights until 10:00 p.m. After you have met with one of them and received assistance, it will become easier to use what you have learned to find the research you need. The librarians are always glad to proofread, edit and help you research your topic.



Zoom-Zoom, Study-Study

by RACHEL THACKER

With midterms just around the corner and final exams far away I'm sure you're thinking about forming a study group. Well, Zoom is here to save the day! **That's right, Zoom isn't just for the professors. You can use it, too.** All you have to do is go to dixiestate.zoom.us and login using your Dmail account. Once you're logged in you can click on meetings, then click schedule a meeting. From there you can set up your next Zoom session. Zoom is a great way to study with your fellow peers from the comfort of your own home.

Is your group project getting you down? No worries, Zoom has you covered. Meet up with your classmates and go over your group project. Zoom is a great way to maintain social distancing while continuing to enhance and get the most out of your education. The best part? **Zoom is free for all students to use thanks to Dixie.** All you need is your Dmail and you're good to go.



Nice and Helpful Librarians

by TERRYLL PARRISH

It might be surprising to find out the resource you need most at a library is a librarian. **Each librarian is there to provide expert help in all forms of writing.** Several of the 1000 level classes require an appointment with a librarian to learn what is available. When Jamie Cormani was a freshman, she was required to do this in her sociology class and found it very helpful. She said, “It was super easy to make an appointment and they got me in the very next day. Linda was great to work with and very helpful”.

Linda Jones is a librarian with expertise in sociology research; she showed Jamie research journals and helped her learn how to put in correct citations. After the paper was finished Linda even proofread and edited the paper and checked that the citations were in the correct format.

Teresa Willie is another student, and like many other freshmen, received help from a librarian for her English 1010 class. Teresa’s English class was before COVID-19, so she was able to walk into the library and immediately get the assistance she needed with her citations. Several students commented that the librarian they met with was really nice and eager to help. **With the new restrictions, students are required to have an online Zoom appointment or phone call, but the librarians are still there for any type of paper that you are working on.** All of the students agree, the best part is that the librarians are nice and helpful.



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SAT/SUN 10AM TO 10PM

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The Latest...

by RACHEL THACKER

Ever walked into the library and saw some books you didn't think the library had? Well, then, you're probably looking at the library's display. The display changes every week to something new and interesting. One of the themes was banned books. **Did you know that "The Lorax" was banned because it involved environmental awareness?** Crazy, right? There is a different theme each week with items that are all available for checkout. If books aren't really your scene then worry not. The displays also include CDs, DVDs, and audiobooks.



The library displays are a great way to get excited about lifelong learning within your major and outside of it! **If you're bored of what you usually read, then check out the display at the library for something new and exciting!** The displays are sometimes coordinated with different departments and events on campus. These awesome displays are here to promote active learning, active life, so pick up a book and read.