Spring 2018

Happenings

Events:
National Library Week—April 8-14, 2018
JSTOR Database Trial—March 26—April 22, 2018
Don't forget to take the database trial survey.
Faculty Satisfaction Survey—available on library homepage

Featured Database: Learning Library Express—offers the practice tests, exercise, skill-building courses, eBooks, and information your students need to achieve. Highlighted study guides and practice exams are listed below:

- ECHS-College Admissions Test Prep: ACT, SAT, PSAT, AP, & TOEFL iBT
- Skills Matcher/Interest Matcher
- Homeland Security
- Law Enforcement
  Corrections, Court, Police, & State Trooper/Highway Patrol Officer Exams
- Skills Center:
  GED & HiSET
- Nursing:
  NSAE, APNE, NET, HESI, & TEAS
- Culinary Arts:
  Culinary Arts Practice Exam
- Office Technology
- Emergency Medical Services:
  EMS & Paramedic (NRP) Practice Exams
- Fire Science:
  Firefighter Practice Exams
- Commercial Driver's License:
  CDL Practice Exam
- Electrician:
  Journeyman Electrician & Electrician Licensing Practice Exams
- Plumbing:
  Plumbers Licensing Practice Exam
- Allied Health:
  Dental & Medial Assistant & Veterinarian & Pharmacy Technician Exams

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Library Hours
Monday-Thursday: 7:30 am-10:00 pm
Friday: 7:30 am-7:30 pm
Saturday & Sunday: 12:30 pm-7:30 pm

InterSession Library Hours
May 12 - June 3, 2018
Monday-Thursday: 7:30 am-5:30 pm
Friday: 7:30 am-11:30 am
Saturday & Sunday: Closed
**Seminars**

Faculty may request a customized seminar tailored to instructional needs and assignments by completing the online Request a Library Seminar form.

Seminars are offered virtually and in person.

NEW! Classroom Seminar: Let us come to you! Classroom seminars allow professors to have virtual or in-person seminars while remaining in their classroom.

**Academic Plagiarism**

**Academic Plagiarism** is a service provided by the library to detect plagiarism in student assignments. Papers can be uploaded by faculty, or if allowed, by students for plagiarism checking.

Send requests to ReferenceRequest@ctcd.edu and include “**Academic Plagiarism**” in the subject line. The library will provide you with instructions and the institution code required to establish an account.

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**Services for Faculty**

**Interlibrary Loan**: Interlibrary loan materials are borrowed from other academic libraries. The ILL department can locate books and journal articles which are NOT owned in CTC’s collection. This service is a great way to obtain materials you may need to further your personal research at no cost.

**Suggest a Purchase**: Please feel to suggest print or electronic books, journals, and other materials that can help you or your students.

**TexShare**: This program allows participating libraries to extend free, reciprocal borrowing privileges to each other’s patrons. Please come in to the Library to sign-up for your TexShare card.

**Course Reserves**: This service allows professors to put course material on reserve at the Library circulation desk so that faculty members and students are able to check them out. E-Reserves are also available.

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**LITERATE(ly) Yours**

**New Titles**:

- **Mechanical and electrical equipment for buildings**
  By Walter T. Grondzik & Alison G. Kwok

- **HESI comprehensive review for the NCLEX-PN examination**
  By Sandra L. Upchurch (ed.) & et al.

- **Safety professional's reference & study guide**
  By W. David Yates

- **Welding principles and applications**
  By Larry F. Jeffus

- **Contemporary nursing : issues, trends, & management**
  By Barbara Cherry (ed.) & Susan R. Jacob (ed.)

- **Serving students who are homeless : a resource guide for schools, districts, and educational leaders**
  By Ronald E. Hallett & Linda Skrla

- **Teaching, learning, literacy in our high-risk high-tech world : a framework for becoming human**
  By James Paul Gee