We’re Here to Help!

Ask Us  
http://tamucc.libanswers.com/

Technical Support  
libhelpdesk@tamucc.edu  
(361) 825-5528

Useful Links

Library Distance Learning Web Page  
http://library.tamucc.edu/distlearn/distlearn.html

University Homepage, http://www.tamucc.edu

Island Online (online classes), http://iol.tamucc.edu/

S.A.I.L. (Student Academic Information Link), http://sail.tamucc.edu/

Services

“Ask Us” Reference Services—Email, Chat, Phone, Text, and Individual Appointments  
http://tamucc.libanswers.com/

Interlibrary Loan  Gets journal articles and other documents Bell Library does not have.  
Note: You can also use Interlibrary Loan to request copies of materials that are in the physical library. Book materials are sent to you via FedEx.

Circulation of Library Materials  
http://library.tamucc.edu/dept/access/circ/circ.html
Course Reserves, http://library.tamucc.edu/dept/access/circ/coursereserve.html

Electronic Reserves – Guidelines for Student Use,
http://library.tamucc.edu/dept/access/circ/ereservesstudentguide.html

Renewal Procedures
From the Bell Library Homepage, mouse over the drop-down My Accounts and select Renew Materials to renew online.

TexShare: Check out materials from libraries across the State of Texas.
http://www.tsl.texas.gov/texshare/libsearch/index.php

Research Support

Bell Library’s Online Catalog, Portal, key to the Library’s resources
https://portal.tamucc.edu/

WorldCat, the largest online catalog in the world, lets users know which libraries, including Bell Library, own resources in all formats. It can be found here, http://tamucc.worldcat.org.

Databases: Bell Library has over 250 databases, http://tamucc.libguides.com/az.php, that refer to journal articles and other documents, many of which are available online, full-text and cover varied subjects and topics. When using these databases from off campus, you must “authenticate” yourself. The system prompts you in this simple process.

Research Guides by Subject: Lists of helpful resources, including Internet sites, by subject area.
http://tamucc.libguides.com/

Tutorials: “How Tos” and select database tutorials can be found here http://tamucc.libguides.com/Tutorials

E-Journals: Check the Journals List, http://library.tamucc.edu/phl/phl.html, to see what journals can be accessed electronically and for which years.

E-Books: In using the Enhanced Search in the library’s catalog, limit the Material Type to EBOOK.

Citation Styles: See the Purdue Online Writing Lab, Owl.

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