

The Joseph P. Healey Library is at the center of the University's efforts to collaboratively and responsibly create and share knowledge that is community-oriented and supportive of engaged research.

Healey Library Resources & Services

An overview of library resources and services for UMass Boston students, faculty, and staff

Using Our Partner Libraries

Healey Library patrons have several options for connecting with additional library networks and accessing a broad array of research materials:

Boston Library Consortium (BLC)

On-site borrowing privileges at Boston-area academic libraries with a BLC card. Apply for a BLC card at Healey Library's Circulation Desk. bhc.org/students-scholars-researchers
BLC card request form: tinyurl.com/HealeyBLC

Boston Public Library (BPL) eCard

Any resident or student in the state of Massachusetts may apply for a BPL eCard and access BPL's electronic resources remotely. Upgrade to a full BPL card for access to even more resources. bpl.org/ecard

Center for Research Libraries (CRL)

An international consortium of university, college, and independent research libraries that can assist with locating and loaning rare or hard-to-find primary source materials. crl.edu

Fenway Library Organization (FLO)

On-site borrowing privileges with a current UMB ID card. libraries.flo.org/home/members

MCCLPHEI

On-site borrowing privileges with a current UMB ID card from libraries at 29 campuses of the Commonwealth's public higher education system. tinyurl.com/mcclphei

Healey Library Floor Directory

LL

AV Services & Classroom Tech
CIO's Office
Instructional Tech Center
Media Auditorium (H-LL-3507)
Presentation Rooms (1, 2, 3, 6)
WUMB Radio

UL

Adaptive Computer Lab
Computer Labs: Green, Gold,
Purple, Red, Mac
Copy/Print/Scan Station

SECOND FLOOR

Charging Station, mobile devices
Chromebook Loans
Circulation Desk
Copy/Print/Scan Station
DVD and CD Check-Out
Healey Library Cafe (temp closed)
Interlibrary Loan Pickup
Reserves Check-Out

THIRD FLOOR

Bloomberg Terminals
Computer Lab: Blue
eLearning & Instructional Design
IT Service Desk

FOURTH FLOOR

Browsing Periodicals
Center for Active Learning and
Library Instruction (CALLI)
Color Printer
Copy/Print/Scan Station
Curriculum Resource Collection
ILL and Reserves Offices
Library Staff Offices
Reference Books
Reference Desk
Research Consultations

FIFTH FLOOR

Graduate Research Center
Grossmann Memorial Gallery
University Archives & Special
Collections

SIXTH FLOOR

Periodicals Collection
Quiet Study/Zoom Zone
Research Centers & Institutes
Silent Study

EIGHTH FLOOR

Books: Call Numbers A-NC
Copy/Print/Scan Station
Group Study
Research Centers & Institutes
Tutoring: Subject, Math, ESL

NINTH FLOOR

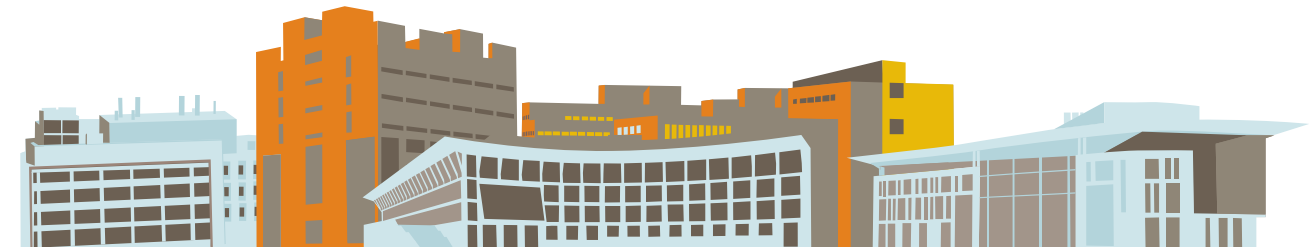
Books: Call Numbers ND-Z
Books: Oversize

TENTH FLOOR

Office of Research and
Sponsored Programs (ORSP)
Research Centers and Institutes
Vending Machines

ELEVENTH FLOOR

University Advancement



Library Services Contacts

Business Office	617.287.5917	library.business@umb.edu
Circulation	617.287.5900	library.circulation@umb.edu
Healey Library EDI		library.edimomentum@umb.edu
Interlibrary Loan	617.287.5945	library.ill@umb.edu
Library Administration		library.admin@umb.edu
Library Systems	617.287.5167	library.systems@umb.edu
Reference, Outreach, & Instruction	617.287.5940	library.reference@umb.edu
Reserves	617.287.5904	library.reserves@umb.edu
ScholarWorks	617.287.5944	library.uasc@umb.edu
Univ Archives & Special Collections	617.287.5469	library.archives@umb.edu

Healey Library Links

Website

Departments
EDI Statement
Feedback Form
Purchase Requests
Staff Directory

umb.edu/library

umb.edu/library/about/departments
tinyurl.com/healeyedi
tinyurl.com/healeyfeedback
tinyurl.com/healeyrequestform
umb.edu/library/about/staff_directory

HEALEY LIBRARY RESOURCES & SERVICES

This guide provides an overview of library resources and services for students, faculty, and staff at UMass Boston. For more details, visit umb.edu/library



Library Barcode

umb.edu/library/account/barcode

A library barcode is required for borrowing library materials and for submitting interlibrary loan requests. Student barcodes are activated automatically. Faculty and staff barcodes are activated by contacting Healey Library Circulation.

Phone: 617.287.5900
Email: library.circulation@umb.edu
More information: umb.libanswers.com/faq/146320

Ask a Librarian

Schedule a Consultation: healeyreference.as.me
FAQs: umb.libanswers.com
Email: library.reference@umb.edu
Phone: 617.287.5940
24/7 Chat: umb.libanswers.com
Text: 617.826.9978
Visit: 4th Floor Reference Desk
Healey Library Hours: umb.edu/library/about/hours

Library Syllabus Attachment

Faculty and TAs may attach this one-page guide to finding and using library resources to their course syllabi: tinyurl.com/HealeySyllabusFall2022

Faculty Purchase or Subscription Requests

Library Request Form: tinyurl.com/HealeyRequestForm
Phone: 617.287.4809

Connect with Healey Library

News: blogs.umb.edu/library
Facebook: facebook.com/HealeyLibraryUMB
Twitter: twitter.com/HealeyUMB
Instagram: instagram.com/healeylibraryumb
Archives Instagram: instagram.com/UMBArchives
LinkTree: linktr.ee/healeylibrary



Library feedback form



INSTRUCTION

Library Instruction Program

Healey Library offers a variety of programs and services to help students engage in developing lifelong critical thinking and information-seeking skills. Schedule a session in your classroom, in the Center for Active Learning and Library Instruction, or online. Ask about flipped classrooms and other hybrid models.

Email: library.reference@umb.edu
Web: umb.edu/library/info_for_faculty/instruction

Research Guides

Healey Library offers Research Guides for courses, subjects, and topics such as conducting literature reviews and citing sources. Ask about embedding Research Guides into Blackboard courses. Email: library.reference@umb.edu
Web: umb.libguides.com

Open Educational Resources

UMass Boston and Healey Library are committed to making course materials accessible and affordable. We encourage the use of licensed library resources in courses, making course readings available to students at no additional cost. UMass Boston offers support for faculty who are interested in creating their own course packs or textbooks that can be licensed for the UMass Boston or global community. Email: open@umb.edu
Web: https://www.umb.edu/elearning/open_education

ACCESS LIBRARY COLLECTIONS

Curbside Pickup and Returns

To request a book or DVD from library's collection for curbside pickup, please sign into **UMBrella** directly, search for a title, open the item's record, and click 'REQUEST OPTIONS: Place Hold for Pickup' link. Curbside pickup services are currently available by appointment Monday through Saturday at the ISC drop-off area. Curbside returns are available 24/7 via our outdoor book drop in the ISC drop-off area.

Email: library.circulation@umb.edu
Web: tinyurl.com/HealeyCurb
Text for Curbside Pickup: 857-524-3953

Lean Library

Download the Lean Library browser plugin to allow licensed Healey Library resources to pop up as you search the web. Web: umb.libguides.com/leanlibrary

LIBRARY RESOURCES & SERVICES

Course Reserves

We place print books, films, DVDs, and e-books on reserve for classes. Students, check with the Circulation Desk to see if your course materials are available. Ask your professors to place course content on reserve.

Reserves Request Form: tinyurl.com/HealeyRequestForm
Email: library.reserves@umb.edu
Phone: 617.287.5904
Web: umb.edu/library/info_for_faculty/reserve

Interlibrary Loan (ILL) and Document Delivery

Submit requests for books, journal articles, and films unavailable at Healey Library. We will make every effort to obtain items that we do not currently own. There is no cost to use ILL, and there is no limit to how many items you can request.

Email: library.ill@umb.edu
Phone: 617.287.5945
Online Request Form: umb.edu/library/interlibrary_loan

University Archives and Special Collections

The Archives, located on the 5th floor of Healey Library, contains extensive, unique primary source materials and provides instruction and support in their use. In addition to the University's history, the Archives collects in areas related to local history and the school's urban mission. Archives staff are available for consultations, assignment support, and instruction sessions.

Email: library.archives@umb.edu
Phone: 617.287.5469
Digital Collections: openarchives.umb.edu
News: blogs.umb.edu/archives

ScholarWorks Open Access Institutional Repository

Faculty members may publish research articles, working papers, data sets, presentations, creative works, and more to personal Faculty Profile Pages on ScholarWorks, the university's open access institutional repository for scholarship and research.

Email: library.uasc@umb.edu
Phone: 617.287.5944
Web: scholarworks.umb.edu

LIBRARY SEARCH & DISCOVERY

UMBrella: Covering All Your Research Needs umbrella.lib.umb.edu

Use UMBrella, the library's powerful, single-stop search, discovery, and research management portal, to access nearly all resources that the library owns or to which it subscribes.



Filters

UMBrella's extensive filtering and sorting tools allow you to refine your search results to specific types of resources. Filtering options include: availability, material type, publication date, subject terms, language, and others.



Flexibility

UMBrella supports multiple pathways and approaches to research. For example, users can access individual databases like CINAHL or JSTOR, or search specific journal titles through the UMBrella menu.



Accounts

Log into UMBrella with your UMass Boston network user ID and password to access your account information, saved items and searches, and library resources from off-campus.

