



# Library



# Services

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# Opening Times

## TERM TIME

<b>Monday</b>	<b>8.30-5.00</b>
<b>Tuesday</b>	<b>8.30-5.00</b>
<b>Wednesday</b>	<b>8.30-5.00</b>
<b>Thursday</b>	<b>8.30-5.00</b>
<b>Friday</b>	<b>8.30-4.30</b>

## HOLIDAYS

<b>Monday to Friday</b>	<b>9.00 - 5.00</b>
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**Please note:**

Opening times may sometimes vary. Please check the website or The Library Teams page for the latest information.

# Resources

- Academic and RFP Books
- Laptops
- Computers
- Headphones
- Journals
- E-resources
- Printing
- Wi-Fi

## Wi-Fi

*The College Wi-Fi is called Eduroam. It is free to use and can be accessed using your regular computer username and password.*

*Instructions for connecting with Apple devices can be found here.*

**Please note:**  
The Library cannot add print credit to your account. Please ask your tutor or your course admin office.

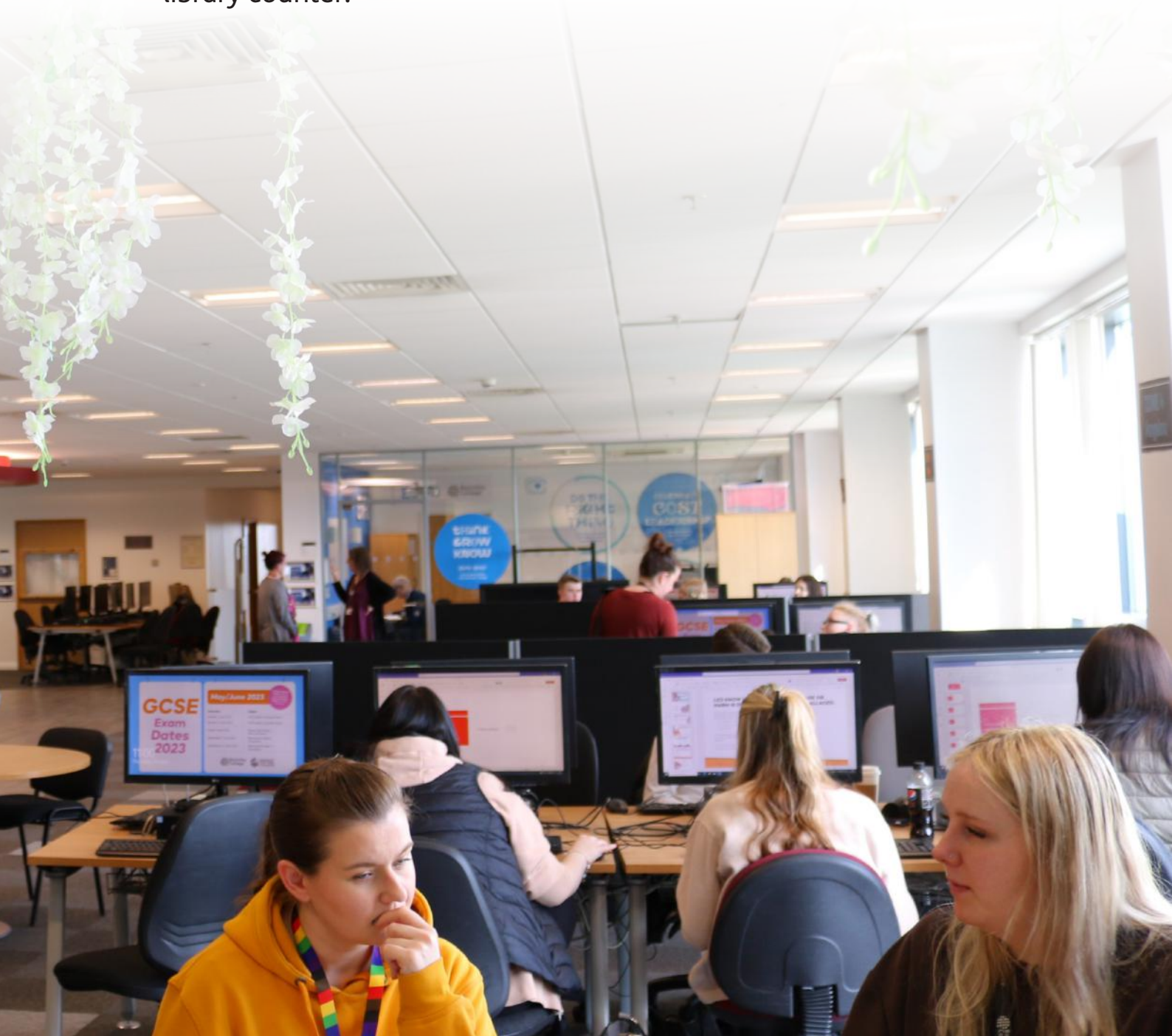
	BLACK & WHITE	COLOUR
A4	3p	4p
A3	6p	8p

The main college library is located on the ground and first floors of Old Mill Lane and staff are on hand during opening hours to help you during your visit.

All staff and students are welcome to use the library space and borrow from the selection of resources. Your student/staff card doubles as your library card and an account is automatically created when you enrol.

The Library has a variety of physical and electronic resources as well as warm and welcoming spaces to sit and read or study. The majority of our resources are available to borrow for a period of 3 weeks but can be renewed if needed longer.

Resources can be borrowed via the self-service machines or at the library counter.



# Where are my books?

HERITAGE CIRQA ONLINE

Search Guided Search Login History Clear Session Help

Search library catalogue


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[Advanced](#)


Quick links

[Complete subject list](#) - Alphabetical listing of all subjects used on the catalogue


What's new see more ...



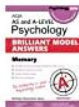
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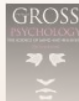


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Librarian Offline - leave a message

**Today** 08:30 - 16:15  
**Saturday** 11:00 - 14:00  
**Sunday** Open 24 hours

Books are shelved using the Dewey Decimal System. Subjects are split into different numerical categories and can be found using the shelf numbers, which start at 001 and go up to 999. There are also growing Fiction and Reading For Pleasure sections located on the ground floor of the library.

Can't find a book you want?  
 We'd love your suggestions:  
[curve@barnsley.ac.uk](mailto:curve@barnsley.ac.uk)

**000-099**  
 Computing & General Works

**500-599**  
 Sciences & Mathematics

**100-199**  
 Philosophy & Psychology

**600-699**  
 Medicine, Technologies & Business

**200-299**  
 Religion

**700-799**  
 The Arts and Leisure

**300-399**  
 Social Sciences

**800-899**  
 Literary Theory & Literature

**400-499**  
 Linguistics & Language

**900-999**  
 History



You can find all of our physical (and some electronic resources such as ebooks) by using relevant keywords in the search box on the library catalogue, which is called Heritage.

The catalogue can be found on both self-service machines on the ground floor of The Library, via the QR code on the shelf ends and by links on the library MyDay and website pages.

The screenshot shows a search result for 'bats' in the library catalogue. The search bar contains 'bats' and the results are displayed in a list. The first result is a book titled 'Bats' by Nancy Jennings, published in 2018 by Bloomsbury. The book is currently on loan. The search results also show the book's classification (599.4 JEN), subjects (Land Based Industries), and keywords (Animal behaviour, Animals). A detailed description of the book is provided, mentioning that it features 17 species of bats from the British Isles and around the world, including vampire bats and fishing bats. The book covers the biology, diversity, evolution, and ecology of bats, as well as their interactions with humans and folklore. The search results also show a reservation table with one existing reservation for the book.

Copy no.	Loan type	Location	Status	Due date	Shelfmark
1 00143501	3 Week Loan	HE Library	On Loan	29 Mar 2022	599.4 JEN

Search results appear as a summarised list.

Select your desired title to access more detailed information such as available copies, citation and book summary.

You can also reserve the item, if it is on loan, by logging into your library account. Please ask a member of library staff if you need assistance.

## Laptops

Laptops are available to borrow on a daily basis. Simply come to the library counter and ask for a key.

All laptops are equipped with a charger which can be taken with you during your laptop use.

Please note, these laptops will not work off campus so please return them at the end of the day and plug them back into the locker to recharge before returning the key.



# LIBRARY GUIDES

Quick access to  
library leaflets  
and helpful videos  
to make the most  
of the Library's  
resources



Teams: [BarnsleyCollegeLibraries](https://teams.microsoft.com/join/BarnsleyCollegeLibraries)

✉ [curve@barnsley.ac.uk](mailto:curve@barnsley.ac.uk)

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# Happiness is Books and a Brew

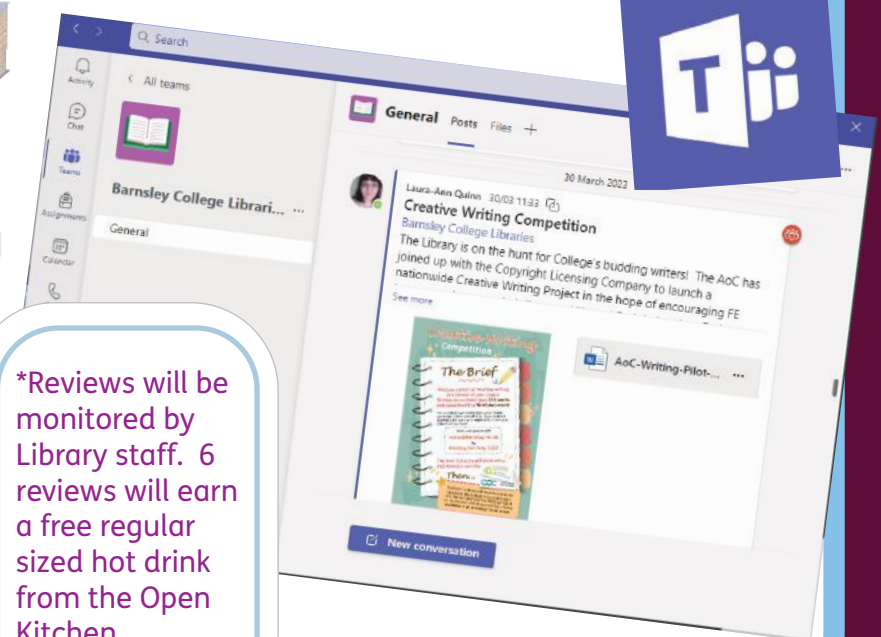


Help us share the love of **READING**...

Read and post a review about 6 different books on the Library Teams page to earn a free cuppa\*! All details can be found on the Library website.

Happy Reading!

\*Reviews will be monitored by Library staff. 6 reviews will earn a free regular sized hot drink from the Open Kitchen.



# Library Rules

Please remember The Library is a place for studying. We cater for all academic levels so please **RESPECT** the various needs of other users and keep the noise levels down.

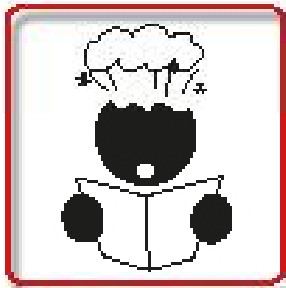
Please do not congregate in large groups, keep areas clear of clutter and easily accessible and do not mess with the electronic equipment. Leave the space as you would like to find it!

**Please DO NOT eat food in the library.** This is so we can keep the area clean and hygienic and reduce the risk of equipment damage. Lidded drinks are fine.

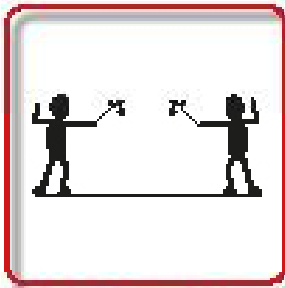
If you have any problems or need any assistance during your visit, please speak to a member of The Library staff who will be happy to help you.

## Welcome to S.O.L.E

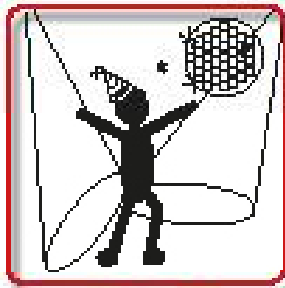
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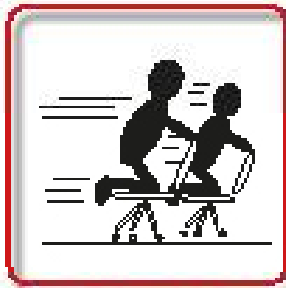
**Learning in progress**  
Beware of exploding minds



**No Duelling**  
This is not Hogwarts



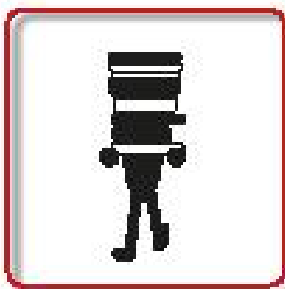
**No Raves**  
Save it for Dave's house on Friday



**No chair races**  
The floor isn't slippery enough



**Self-cleaning area** so  
clean up after yourself



**Beware** of on-coming  
bookworms



**Keep walkways clear**  
Hazards may cause jazz hands



Unattended items will  
be entered into a raffle

**...and keep it down please!** (or we'll know you're not working)

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hhhhhhhh!



This is the rubbish we've collected over the week



# Library Inductions

Everyone is welcome to come and explore The Library space and services at their leisure, but if you'd like a more guided approach, The Library offers a few different inductions throughout the academic year.

## Initial Induction

All courses will be offered a welcome induction, held in The Library at OML, at the beginning of the academic year.

This offers the students:

- A chance to visit the space
- Locate their subject resources
- Learn how to use the facilities
- Meet the staff

The induction will either be in the format of a fun, interactive activity or a group talk and tour of the facilities, dependent on the course level requirements.

These can be booked by staff by emailing: [curve@barnsley.ac.uk](mailto:curve@barnsley.ac.uk).

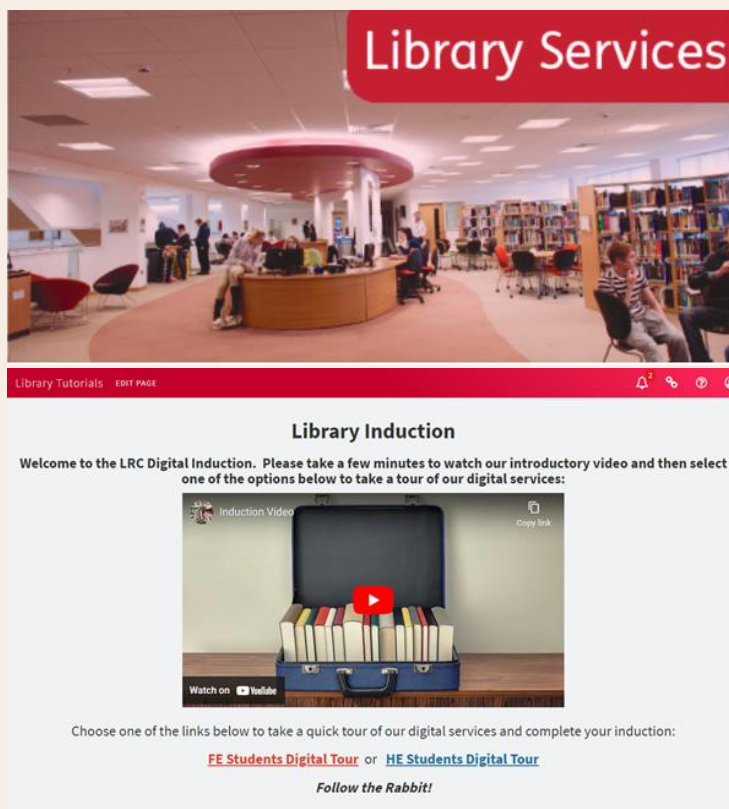
# Online Induction

Information about The Library can be found 24/7 on The Library Services MyDay tile and on The Library pages on the Barnsley College website. The online induction provides a guided tour of the online pages, followed by a quick interactive quiz should anyone require a refresher on our services.

# Becoming a Pro

Members of library staff are happy to deliver more in depth workshops on using The Library systems, that will teach students how to find the best resources for their studies. These are ideal for FE students who know the basics of using The Library but are looking to take their research further.

Email [l.quinn@barnsley.ac.uk](mailto:l.quinn@barnsley.ac.uk) for further information or to book this service.



# Library Events and RF

It is The Library's mission to become an integral part of student life, develop a library community and encourage a love of reading for pleasure.

Throughout the academic year we will host a number of literacy based events and competitions. Please check the Library website and Teams pages regularly for the latest information and how to get involved.



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# TRENDING



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- Free

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24  
HOURS

# The Study Skills Team

## Helen Digman & Cherie Cartwright



To book a one-to-one appointment or to book a workshop for up to 6 people, contact the Study Skills team:



Email:  
[studyskills@barnsley.ac.uk](mailto:studyskills@barnsley.ac.uk)



Teams: qxng210



Or call into The Library,  
Barnsley College, and ask  
for Helen Digman and  
Cherie Cartwright.



We look forward to  
meeting you!



# Library Committee

## The Library needs you!

***Do you love reading and want to be the first to know about the latest additions to the shelves? Do you want to influence the policies and have a say in what happens in your library? Do you feel like you could be an ambassador for the Library and share our passion for literacy?***

If the answer is 'yes' to any of the above, the Library Committee is the place for you! The Library is looking to build a welcoming community within College of like-minded people and shape the Library service to our students' needs.

Our Library Representatives will

- have regular meetings with the library staff to communicate the 'student voice'
- influence library policies
- help with events in the Library space - planning/running
- gain experience working in a library environment
- refreshments provided at meetings

To join or for more information, please speak to Library or Student's Union staff



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