

The Harry and Jeanette Weinberg Memorial Library

The 80,000-square-foot, five-story building, named for Harry and Jeanette Weinberg, opened in 1992. The facility includes a variety of learning environments, including 45 computer workstations, large tables, soft seating, study carrels, group study rooms, quiet study areas, and the Charles Kratz Scranton Heritage Room, a large reading room on the fifth floor overlooking the campus. Four areas are available by card swipe 24/7:

- The Reilly Learning Commons, which includes lecture capture access, podcasting space, a Writing Center Satellite, and reservable group study rooms.
- The Pro Deo Room, which includes a computer lab and café seating. The room also houses the Scranton Market, with self-service access to food and coffee.
- The Second Floor, which includes a computer lab, reservable group study rooms, quiet study space, large tables, study carrels, and soft seating. Some Reference Books, Periodicals, and Microform materials are shelved here.
- The Third Floor, which includes large tables, study carrels, and group study rooms, the Media Resources Collection, and a newly renovated Media Viewing Lounge for viewing films and other media.

There are 15 laptops available at the Library Services Desk for loan to students. Throughout the building, there is wireless access to the Internet including wireless printing.

In 2026, Library holdings of 1,571,456 volumes included: 314,269 print books; 1,153,906 electronic books; 76,630 bound journal volumes, and 26,651 volume-equivalent microforms. The Library has 75,356 unique journal titles in print and electronic subscriptions. The Media Resources Collection, located on the third floor, holds 21,410 non-print items and provides access to 136,111 streaming media programs. The University of Scranton Archives and McHugh Family Special Collections, located on the fourth floor, houses the University's historical records, rare books, faculty publications, student theses, and other special collections. In addition to the Library's collection, books are available for direct borrowing through PALCI (Partnership for Academic Library Collaboration & Innovation) EZBorrow, and journal articles may be requested through Interlibrary Loan. Special services for delivery of materials are available for students enrolled in online programs.

180 electronic databases are accessible on the Library's website. A proxy server provides remote access to databases and full text documents for those who are off campus. Research & Scholarly Services Librarians are available in-person on the second floor, and can also be reached by calling 570-941-4000, by emailing askalibrarian@scranton.edu, or online via the Ask a Librarian chat box located on the Library homepage. The online Ask a Librarian chat box is staffed 24/7 and is conducted live. The Library also has a robust Information Literacy Curriculum delivered through the Library's Information Literacy Instructional Services that instructs students in responsible and ethical information discovery, evaluation, and use. Faculty are encouraged to integrate information literacy into their courses by [requesting information literacy instruction](#) for their classes.

Library hours are posted on campus and on the Library's website. The building is staffed 88 hours per week, with extended hours during exam periods. For information about the Library, including its services and resources, see the [Weinberg Memorial Library homepage](#). To find out what's new in the Library, visit the [Library Blog](#).