Library and Learning Resources
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Set Up Your IT Account

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What You Need To Know

• Perry Library
• Student IT Support
• Borrowing
• Resources – On & Off Campus
• Finding Information & Subject Guides
• Where To Get Help
Southwark Campus

• You can find Perry Library on Keyworth Street.
Student IT Support

• Computers (both PCs & Macs)

• IT Training Sessions: Microsoft Office, Moodle, and more

• Digital Skills Training Team

• Troubleshooting Any Technical Questions or Issues:
  – Student It Help Desk on Level 1 West
Finding Your Way - Perry Library

Study Spaces
- Group Study
- Quiet Study
- Silent Study

Bookable Group Study Rooms
- 11 in Perry Library
- Book on my.lsbu or at main help desks
Opening Hours

- Term-time: Library is open every day
- 8:00am until Midnight Monday – Friday
- 10:00am – 9:00pm on Saturday & Sunday

- Help Desk hours are slightly shorter
  - Help Desk is open late on Mondays until 9pm
- Hours are different in vacation time and on public holidays
- Check the Library website for up-to-date information!
Digital Devices

Perry Library has:

• Printing
• Scanning
• Photocopying
• Loanable Laptops
Borrowing

Fines!
For late return when overdue items are on hold:
• £2 per day per item (up to a maximum of £20 per item)
• 2 day grace period

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Self-Service Machines
Group Study Rooms

• Book online up to 2 weeks in advance
• Max 2 hrs per day per person
• Technology enhanced
• Practice a presentation
• Collaborate on screen
Disability & Dyslexia Support

- Extra time on books you borrow
- Private study areas if you qualify
- Extra help in the library
- Assistive technology
- Photocopying and scanning
- Books by post
- Books put aside for you
- More details on what the library offers the Library website

Contact a disability advisor to register
- 0207 815 6454 or disability@lsbu.ac.uk
- Student Life Centre helpdesk

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Services for Part-Time & Distance Learners

- Photocopying and scanning
- Books by post
- Books kept for you
- Other assistance

See [LibGuides](#) for full details

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Research – On & Off Campus

You Have Access To:
• Books & e-Books
• Journals & e-Journals
• Online collections of journal articles, reports, TV & Radio Programmes
• Box Of Broadcasts
• Kanopy Streaming
• lynda.com

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Subject Guides:
• Starting point for research
  • libguides.lsbu.ac.uk/subjects
• Apply for SCONUL Access to study at other libraries around London.
Library and Learning Resources on Moodle

LLR Home: Library and IT Support

Enrolment options

LLR Home: Library and IT Support

Leader: Alison Chojna
Leader: Russell Goodwin

This LLR Moodle site provides access to all the information you will need regarding training and development of Library, IT and Digital skills.

This site is accessible by self-enrolment.

Self enrolment (Student)

No enrolment key required.

Enrol me
Subject Guides

libguides.lsbu.ac.uk/nursing
Databases

From the **Find Journal Articles** tab you can find:

- Cinahl
- Medline
- Science Direct
- PsycArticles
- PsycInfo
- Academic Search Complete

Can be searched together!
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Databases - Search Connectors

- **Truncation**: * e.g. educat* will find educate, education, educating, educator, educated, etc.

- **Phrase searching**: "" e.g. “patient education”

- **OR** for alternative terms (synonyms) e.g. dialysis OR hemodialysis -> increases the number of results

- **AND** to connect words with different meanings, e.g. “patient education” AND “nephrology nurs*” -> decreases the number of results
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- CASP Critical Appraisal Checklists
- McMaster's Research Evaluation Practice Tools

Helpful Links for Critical Appraisal

- The BMJ - How To Read A Paper
  Articles in the BMJ that explain how to read and interpret different kinds of research papers.
A Word About Spellings

• Library databases only bring back exactly what you ask for!

• Results may be hiding under North American spellings.

• When searching use the wildcard # to find both

• p#diatric will find both paediatric and pediatric

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Referencing

• LSBU Harvard Referencing Style – Unique to LSBU, see our guides for info

• Reference as you read & ask for help early! – Visit the Research Help Desk

• Online guides and workbooks on LSBU Harvard Referencing & Plagiarism
Workshops

Research and Referencing Skills workshops @ Perry Library

Check the Training & Support tab for dates and times!
Library Help & Advice

We’re here to help!
- Finding information on your topic
- In-depth researching
- Referencing

Help Desks
- Main Desk - Level 1 East
  - Open Every Day
- Research Desk - Level 3 Bridge
  - Mon-Fri afternoons
  - Opens Oct 1st
Social Media: Find Us

Search in Facebook for LSBU Library and Learning Resources

Search Twitter for @LLRIsbu

libguides.lsbu.ac.uk/llrblog

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Need Help?

- Email LLRhsc@lsbu.ac.uk for subject specific help and referencing

- Email library@lsbu.ac.uk for general queries (or phone 020 7815 6607/6615)

- Stop by the main Help Desk for in person support.