University Libraries
Building and Service Hours
Fall Semester 2014

Building Hours

Hours vary slightly during holidays, interim sessions, and recesses. All libraries and service desks close at 5 p.m. the day before a holiday. All libraries and service desks are closed for Labor Day; Thanksgiving Day; Christmas Eve; Christmas Day; New Year's Eve; New Year's Day; Martin Luther King, Jr. Day; Memorial Day and Independence Day observances. **Dial (815) 753 – 1995** to hear a recorded message of the most current building hours.

Fall Session Regular Hours
August 25 – December 5, 2014

Mon. – Thurs.	7:30 a.m. – 12 midnight
Fri.	7:30 a.m. – 10 p.m.
Sat.	9 a.m. – 10 p.m.
Sun.	1 p.m. – 12 midnight

Labor Day Holiday

August 31, 2014	Closes at 5 p.m.
September 1, 2014	**CLOSED** (Labor Day)
September 2, 2014	Resume regular hours

Extended Hours – Mid-Terms
October 12 – October 16, 2014

Sun.	9 a.m. – 2 a.m.
Mon. – Thurs.	7:30 a.m. – 2 a.m.
October 17, 2014	7:30 a.m. – 10 p.m.

Homecoming Saturday

October 11, 2014	9 a.m. – 10 p.m.

Thanksgiving Holiday

November 26, 2014	Closes at 5 p.m.
November 27, 2014	**CLOSED** (Thanksgiving Day)
November 28, 2014	**CLOSED** (Floating Holiday)
November 29, 2014	1 p.m. to 5 p.m.
November 30, 2014	Resume regular hours

Extended Hours – Finals
December 6 – December 13, 2014

Sat. – Sun.	9 a.m. – 2 a.m.
Mon. – Thurs.	7:30 a.m. – 2 a.m.
December 12, 2014	7:30 a .m – 10 p.m.
December 13, 2014	9 a.m. – 5 p.m.
December 14, 2014	Winter Break hours begin

See "Interim and Winter Break Hours" for our hours for December 14, 2014 to January 11, 2015

Spring semester classes begin January 12, 2015

Founders Memorial Library Service Desk Hours

Library service hours vary from one service area to another. The hours of service listed below are service hours in effect when classes are officially in session. ***Service hours vary slightly during holiday, interim sessions, recesses, mid-term week and final exam week.*** **Dial (815) 753 – 1670** (recorded message) for changes in library service hours.

Circulation/Periodicals/Reserve Desks (1st floor)
(815-753-9844; 815-753-9847)
(Check out of materials should be completed 10 minutes before service desk closes.)

Mon. – Thurs.	7:30 a.m. – 11 p.m.
Fri.	7:30 a.m. – 10 p.m.
Sat.	9 a.m. – 10 p.m.
Sun.	1 p.m. – 11 p.m.

Information Delivery Services (1st floor)
(815-753-9842)

Mon. – Fri.	8 a.m. – 4:30 p.m.
Sat. – Sun.	***Closed***

Library Instruction Services (1st floor)
(815-753-1770) (By appointment)

Mon. – Fri.	8 a.m. – 4:30 p.m.
Sat. – Sun.	***Closed***

Accessibility Resources Room
(1st floor) (815-753-9853) (By appointment)
The Accessibility Resources Room is available any time the building is open.

Reference Desk- All Subjects (1st floor)
(815-753-1995)

Mon. – Thur.	9 a.m. – 9 p.m.
Fri.	9 a.m. – 5 p.m.
Sat.	1 p.m. – 5 p.m.
Sun.	1 p.m. – 9 p.m.

Other Service Areas/Administrative Office
Library Administration (4th floor) (815-753-1094)

Mon. –Fri.	8 a.m. – 4:30 p.m.
Sat. – Sun.	***Closed***

Founders Copier Service (1st floor) (Printing Services)
(815-753-1662)
Hours as posted

Founders Library Lab (3rd floor)
(Information Technology Services)

Mon. – Thurs.	8 a.m. – 11:45 p.m.
Fri.	8 a.m. – 9:45 p.m.
Sat.	9 a.m. – 9:45 p.m.
Sun.	1 p.m. – 11:45 p.m.

When classes are not officially in session, please call 815-753-7022 for any changes in the computer lab hours.

Specialized Collections Service Hours

Library service hours vary from one service area to another. The hours of service listed below are service hours in effect when classes are officially in session. ***Service hours vary slightly during holiday, interim sessions, recesses, mid-term week and final exam week.*** Please contact the service desk to check hours of operation.

Faraday Library (Faraday Hall 212) (815-753-1850)

Mon. – Thurs.	8 a.m. – 8 p.m.
Fri.	8 a.m. – 5 p.m.
Sat. – Sun.	***Closed***

Government Publications/Maps/Microforms
(2nd floor) (815-753-1978)

Mon. –Thurs.	8 a.m. – noon
	1 p.m. – 4:30 p.m.
Sat. – Sun.	***Closed***

Music Library (Music Building 175) (815-753-1426)

Mon. – Thurs.	8 a.m. – 10 p.m.
Fri.	8 a.m. – 5 p.m.
Sat.	1 p.m. – 5 p.m.
Sun.	1 p.m. – 10 p.m.

Rare Books and Special Collections (4th floor)
(815-753-9838)

Mon. –Fri.	8 a.m. – 12 noon
	1 p.m. – 4:30 p.m.
Sat. – Sun.	***Closed***

Regional History/University Archives (4th floor)
(815-753-1779)

Mon. –Fri.	8 a.m. – 12 noon
	1 p.m. – 4:30 p.m.
Sat. – Sun.	***Closed***

Southeast Asia Collection (4th floor) (815-753-1809)

Mon. –Fri.	8 a.m. – 12 noon
	1 p.m. – 4:30 p.m.
Sat. – Sun.	***Closed***

Other Libraries Hours

David C. Shapiro Memorial Law Library
(Swen Parson Hall) (815-753-0507)

Mon. – Thurs.	7:30 a.m. – 11:30 p.m.
Fri.	7:30 a.m. – 8 p.m.
Sat.	10 a.m. – 8 p.m.
Sun.	12 noon – 11:30 p.m.

Mathematical Sciences Reading
(Watson Hall 322- key available in Watson Hall 320)
(815-753-0566)

Mon. – Thurs.	8 a.m. – 12 noon
	1 p.m. – 4:30 p.m.