

University Libraries

Building and Service Hours

Fall and Interim Sessions 2009

Building Hours

Hours vary slightly during holidays, interim sessions, and recesses. All libraries 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 – 1670 (recorded message) for the most current building hours.

Fall Session Regular Hours

August 24 – December 4, 2009

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| 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 |

September 6, 2009

Closes at 5 p.m.

September 7, 2009

CLOSED (Labor Day)

November 25, 2009

Closes at 5 p.m.

November 26, 2009

CLOSED (Thanksgiving Day)

November 27, 2009

CLOSED (Floating Holiday)

November 28, 2009

9 a.m. to 5 p.m.

November 29, 2009

Resume regular hours

Extended Hours – Mid-Terms

October 10 – October 15, 2009

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| Sat. – Sun. | 9 a.m. – 2 a.m. |
| Mon. – Thurs. | 7:30 a.m. – 2 a.m. |

Fri. October 16, 2009

7:30 a.m. – 12 midnight

Sat. October 17, 2009

Resume regular semester hours

Extended Hours – Finals

December 5 – December 11, 2009

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| Sat. – Sun. | 9 a.m. – 2 a.m. |
| Mon. – Thurs. | 7:30 a.m. – 2 a.m. |

Fri. December 11, 2009

7:30 a.m. – 10 p.m.

Sat. December 12, 2009

9 a.m. – 10 p.m.

Sun. December 13, 2009

1 p.m. – 5 p.m.

Interim Session

December 14, 2009 – January 10, 2009

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| Mon.- Fri. | 8 a.m. – 5 p.m. |
| Sat. – Sun. | 1 p.m. – 5 p.m. |

Winter Break Hours

December 19 to December 29, 2010 **CLOSED**

December 30, 31, 2010 1 p.m. – 5 p.m.

January 1 thru 3, 2010 **CLOSED**

January 4, 2010 Resume interim hours

Spring semester classes begin January 11, 2009

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, and final exam week.**

Dial (815) 753 – 1670 (recorded message) for changes in library service hours

Circulation/Reserve Desks (1st floor)

(815- 753-9844; 815-753-9847)

(Check out of materials should be completed 10 minutes before service desk closes.)

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| 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. |

Founders Copier Service (1st floor) (Printing Services)

(815- 753-1662)

Hours as posted

Founders Library Lab (3rd floor)

(Information Technology Services)

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

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

Government Publications Desk (2nd floor)

(815- 753- 1932)

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| Mon. – Thurs. | 11 a.m.– 8 p.m. |
| Fri. | 1 p.m. – 4 p.m. |
| Sat. | 1 p.m. – 4 p.m. |
| Sun. | Closed |

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

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

Information Desk (Main Lobby) (815-753-1995)

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| Mon. – Thurs. | 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. |

Library Administration (4th floor) (815-753-1094)

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

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

(By appointment)

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

Writing Center Lab (3rd floor) (815- 753-6636)

Hours as posted

Service Hours

The hours listed below are in effect when classes are officially in session.

Library Services for Persons with Disabilities (1st floor)

(815- 753- 9853)

(By appointment)

Mon. – Fri. 8 a.m. – 4:30 p.m.

Sat. – Sun. **Closed**

Study Room is available any time the building is open.

Microforms and Media Services (2nd floor) (815-753-9254)

Microforms Services and Film/Video Viewing Room

Map Collection (2nd floor) (815-753-1813)

Mon. – Thurs. 9 a.m. – 8 p.m.

Fri. 9 a.m. – 5 p.m.

Sat. 1 p.m. – 5 p.m.

Sun. 1 p.m. – 8 p.m.

Periodicals Service Desk (1st floor) (815-753-1976)

Mon. – Thurs. 9 a.m. – 11 p.m.

Fri. – Sat. 9 a.m. – 10 p.m.

Sun. 1 p.m. – 11 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**

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

Mon. – Thurs. 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.

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**

Systems Office (4th floor, Lower Level) (815 761-1239)

Mon. – Fri. 8 a.m. – 4:30 p.m.

Sat. – Sun. **Closed**

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Branch Libraries

Building Hours

Please note that the semester schedules may vary at the Rockford, Hoffman Estates and Naperville campuses. When the campus is closed, the library is closed. Please contact the specific campus to check when it is open. Contact numbers are listed below for each branch library.

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

Mon. – Thurs. 8 a.m. – 10 p.m.

Fri. 8 a.m. – 5 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.

NIU- Hoffman Estates Library (NIU- Hoffman Estates)

(815-753-8830; or 847-645-3000, press 5)

Mon. – Thurs. 11:30 a.m. – 9:30 p.m.

Fri. **Closed**

Sat. 7:30 a.m. – 4 p.m.

Sun. **Closed**

NIU- Naperville (NIU- Naperville)

(815-753-8986; or 630-577-9101, press 6)

Mon. – Thurs. 12 noon – 9:30 p.m.

Fri. **Closed**

Sat. 7:30 a.m. – 4 p.m.

Sun. **Closed**

NIU- Rockford Library (NIU- Rockford)

(815-753-8760)

Mon. – Thurs. 2 p.m. – 9:30 p.m.

Fri. 8 a.m. – 4:30 p.m.

Sat. – Sun. **Closed**

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 (DuSable Hall 329- key available in Watson Hall 320) (815-753- 0566)

Mon. – Thurs. 8 a.m. – 12 noon

1 p.m. – 4:30 p.m.

Fri. – Sun. **Closed**