

LIBRARY NEWS

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WELCOME

to the KSU Library System Newsletter.

FEATURES

- All KSU Employees: Come visit the Happy Tails Pet Therapy Dogs on August 2!
- Library Orientations for Radow, Coles, and College of Science and Mathematics
- Library Closures and Summer Hours
- Overdue Fines Eliminated!

VISIT US

**STURGIS LIBRARY,
KENNESAW CAMPUS**

**JOHNSON LIBRARY,
MARIETTA CAMPUS**

LET'S CONNECT!

LIBRARY WEBSITE

<https://www.kennesaw.edu/library/>

INSTAGRAM

[@KSULIBRARIES](https://www.instagram.com/ksulibraries)

FACEBOOK

[@KENNESAWSTATELIBRARIES](https://www.facebook.com/kennesawstatelibraries)

VIRTUAL BOOK DISPLAY

[Monthly Book Displays](#)

LIBRARY FAQS

Do you have a question about the library? Check out our [FAQs!](#)

HAPPY TAILS PET THERAPY EVENT FOR KSU EMPLOYEES!



Did you know that being around animals can help relieve tension, anxiety, and stress? Therapy pet visits are not just beneficial for student wellbeing—they are beneficial for employee wellness too! The start of the semester is almost here and the KSU Library System would like to invite KSU employees to join us on Wednesday, August 2, 2023 from 1:00-2:30 pm for a special Happy Tails Therapy Pets visit. Take a moment for yourself, come pet a dog, and get mentally ready for the Fall 2023 semester.

What: Happy Tails Therapy Pets Dog Visit

When: Wednesday, August 2, 2023 from 1:00-2:30 pm

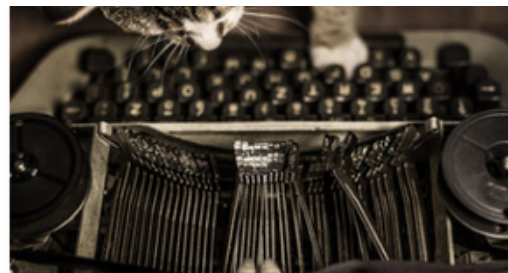
Where: Kennesaw Campus, Sturgis Library, Room LB 101

Who: Any and all KSU employees (student workers too!) who need a little break to pet a pup.

LIBRARY ORIENTATIONS FOR RADOW, COLES, AND COLLEGE OF SCIENCE AND MATH



Radow
Humanities



HUMANITIES LIBRARY ORIENTATION WEBINARS: AUGUST 21-24

Join us from August 21 - 24, 2023 for library orientation sessions designed for students completing coursework within the Humanities. With this program, first-year students will learn about research support services, Humanities-specific databases, research guides, and study spaces.

In just 35 minutes, your students will be taught how to:

- Access course reserves and our print-book collection
- Reserve group study spaces and research appointments
- Conduct searches in SuperSearch, the Books Catalog, and select Humanities databases

Each interactive session places students in the driver's seat for selecting specific search topics and communicating with their librarian orientation leader.

Faculty, sign up your classes here: <https://kennesaw.libcal.com/calendar/eventsK/?t=g&q=humanities&cid=4745&cal=4745&inc=0>

If you have any questions, please contact Research Support Librarian, Kristina Lang, at kxs2120@kennesaw.edu.

LIBRARY ORIENTATIONS (CONTINUED)



**COLES
COLLEGE OF
BUSINESS**



COLES LIBRARY ORIENTATION WEBINARS: AUGUST 28-31

The library is implementing a library orientation program tailored to business students from August 28 - 31, 2023. With this program, first-year students will learn about research support services, business specific databases and research guides, and study spaces.

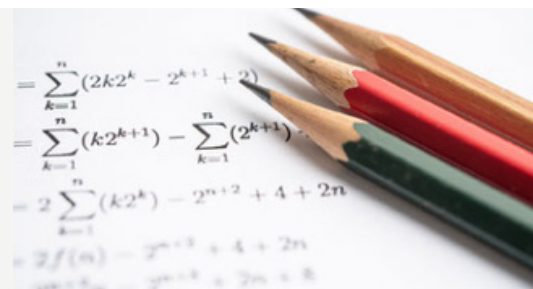
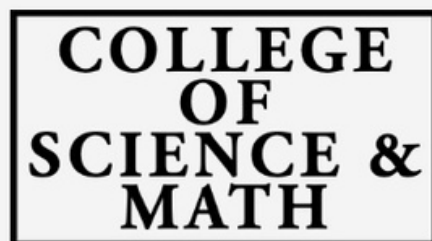
In just 35 minutes your students will be taught how to:

- Access computer programs like the Adobe Product Suite, iMovie, and Microsoft Access.
- Reserve group study spaces and research appointments.
- Locate and use business research resources.
- Design search strategies in IBISWorld Industry Market Research, Mergent, and Business Source Complete.

Faculty, sign up your classes here: <https://kennesaw.libcal.com/calendar/eventsK/?cid=4745&t=w&d=2023-09-01&cal=4745.2925&ct=64494&inc=0>

If you have any questions, please contact Jillian Speck, Research Support Librarian, at jspeck4@kennesaw.edu.

LIBRARY ORIENTATIONS (CONTINUED)



COLLEGE OF SCIENCE AND MATHEMATICS LIBRARY ORIENTATION WEBINARS: SEPTEMBER 11-14

Join us September 11th-14th for the College of Science & Mathematics Library Orientation Webinars

This library orientation is designed for students completing coursework within the College of Science and Math. In just 35 minutes your students will be taught how to:

- Access computer programs like MATLAB R2015a and Mathematica.
- Reserve group study spaces and research appointments.
- Enter the library's webpages for science and mathematics research.
- Conduct searches in SciFinder, Biology Database, and Supersearch.

Faculty can register their courses here: <https://kennesaw.libcal.com/calendar/eventsK/?t=g&q=M%26S&cid=4745&cal=4745&inc=0>

Library orientations have a measured and consistent track record of improving student study behavior, grades, and retention. Student feedback from these sessions is overwhelmingly positive and 98% of students rate the sessions as providing them with new information about KSU and their library.

If you have any questions please contact Research Support Librarian Alyssa Kowis at akowis@kennesaw.edu.

THE KSU LIBRARY SYSTEM'S CLOSURES AND SUMMER HOURS



Closures:

Thursday, August 3-Sunday, August 6 | The Sturgis Library will be closed for electrical work. We apologize for any inconvenience.

Regular Summer Hours for Sturgis and Johnson Libraries:

Monday-Thursday | 8 a.m-10 p.m.

Friday | 8 a.m.-5 p.m.

Saturday | 9:30 a.m.-6 p.m.

Sunday | 1 p.m.-9 p.m.

For any exceptions to these hours, please visit our [library website](#).

THE LIBRARY IS GOING FINE FREE!



The KSU Library System is happy to announce that it will no longer charge overdue fines on books and technology effective June 1, 2023. This will be a great benefit to our students in reducing costs and barriers to library use. The KSU Library System is joining other USG libraries who have removed fines including UGA, GA Tech, Georgia Southern, and the University of North Georgia.

This does not mean that people do not have to return items to the library. Items will still have due dates. If an item is not returned, or is returned damaged, replacement costs will be charged to the user's library account.