



# MTU

Ollscoil Teicneolaíochta na Mumhan  
Munster Technological University



## Introduction to MTU Kerry Library



Are you looking for a quiet space to study? Preparing a group project? Or simply spending time between classes?

Perhaps, you need a book, an article or some online resource for your course assignment or research? Help with referencing? Or maybe you want just to chill out in an amazing acoustic armchair and enjoy a moment of calm surrounded by nature? MTU Library team is here to support you throughout your academic journey

### FIND YOUR LIBRARY

<https://library.ittralee.ie>

| NORTH CAMPUS LIBRARY                                                                                                                                                                          | THE CUBE READING ROOM                                                                                                                                             |
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| In the Business & IT Building to the right of the main foyer. 3 floors of books, print journals, PCs & laptop spaces, quiet study spaces, study pods, a meeting room & other study facilities | In the Business & IT Building, 2nd floor. Access from the foyer via the stairs or lift. Group study area with PCs, individual study spaces with PCs & a study pod |

### PLAN YOUR VISIT: OPENING HOURS

**Opening times** will vary outside of term time. Please always check our homepage for current opening hours



Telephone: +353 66 7191700 Email: [kerrylibrary@mtu.ie](mailto:kerrylibrary@mtu.ie)

# MAKE THE LIBRARY YOUR SPACE

## YOUR STUDENT CARD = YOUR LIBRARY CARD

### USE YOUR STUDENT CARD TO:

- enter North Campus Library (just tap it at the gate)
- print & photocopy
- borrow books at the desk or at the self issue machine on the first floor

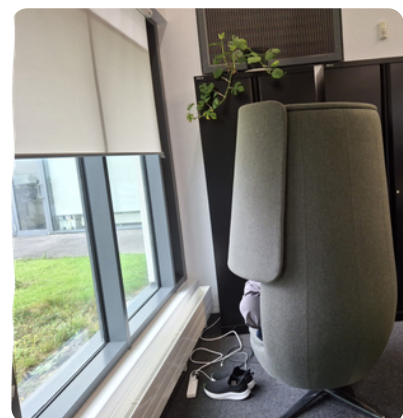


Top up your Student Card online for printing at <https://tcard.ittralee.ie> or scan this QR code



Whatever your **study style** is, we have a space for you

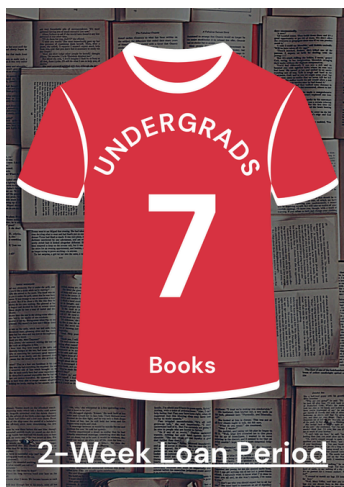
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| <b>QUIET STUDY</b><br><br>Need to concentrate? Quiet study spaces are available on the first & second floors of the North Campus Library. The ground floor is a quiet zone. The first & the second floors are silent zones             | <b>PRINT, COPY &amp; CHARGE</b><br><br>You can print & copy on the ground & first floors of the library, & the Cube Reading Room. Express Print PCs are on the ground floor & wifi printing is also available. You can leave your phone to safely charge in our lockers |
| <b>STUDY TOGETHER</b><br><br>Working on a project? Need to plan and chat over a joint assignment? Book group study desks in the Cube or pods available in the library on the ground floor, in the foyer, in the Cube, & a meeting room | <b>TAKE A BREAK</b><br><br>Relax in our comfy seating, hush chairs & acoustic lounge chairs.<br>Visit our <b>Sound Garden</b> , a chill & social listening space where you can connect and explore diverse music genres                                                 |
| <b>COMPUTER &amp; LAPTOP SPACES</b><br><br>These are available throughout the library & in the Cube Reading Room                                                                                                                       | <b>ACCESSIBLE STUDY</b><br><br>The Assistive Technology Room on the ground floor is available to book when registered with student services                                                                                                                             |



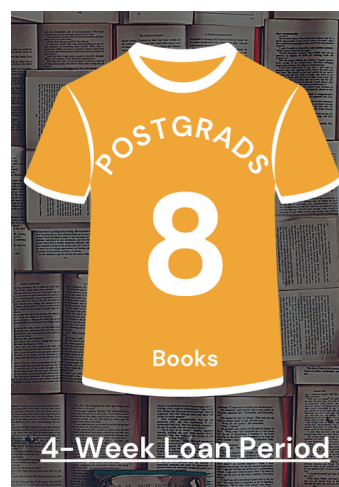
# FIND IT. BORROW IT. USE IT

Find books, articles, and resources you need

## BORROWING PHYSICAL ITEMS / ALLOWANCES



### GENERAL LENDING



## HIGH-DEMAND BOOKS?

Borrow on **short loan** for up to 2 hours

## HOW DO I BORROW?

Use your student card at the Library Desk or Self-Issue Machine

## LOOKING FOR INFORMATION / RESOURCES?

**A BOOK → LIBRARY CATALOGUE, MULTISEARCH**

Find books & check their availability in MTU Kerry North Campus Library

**A JOURNAL ARTICLE → MULTISEARCH,  
A TO Z ONLINE JOURNALS**

Use if you have been given a specific journal reference

**PAST EXAM PAPERS → LIBRARY WEBSITE / COLLECTIONS**

Access past exam papers for your course

**YOU ARE NOT SURE WHERE TO START → ASK US**

Visit the Library desk, use Libchat, email or call us



**START YOUR SEARCH  
FROM THE LIBRARY HOME  
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# BUILD YOUR ACADEMIC SKILLS

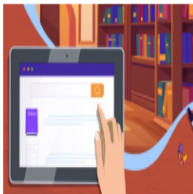
## LIBRARY GUIDES

### GUIDES AVAILABLE ON SUBJECTS, RESOURCES & RESEARCH SKILLS

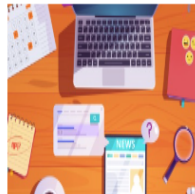
- Subject Guides, i.e. resources available in your subject area
- Referencing Guides
- Guides to using our online resources and multisearch
- Effective Searching Guides
- Guides to Services like Click & collect



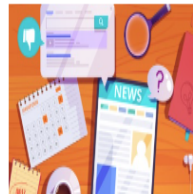
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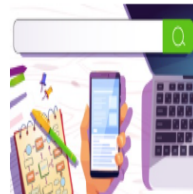
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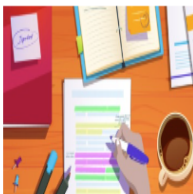
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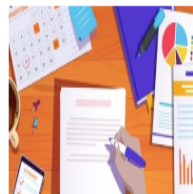
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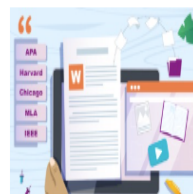
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