

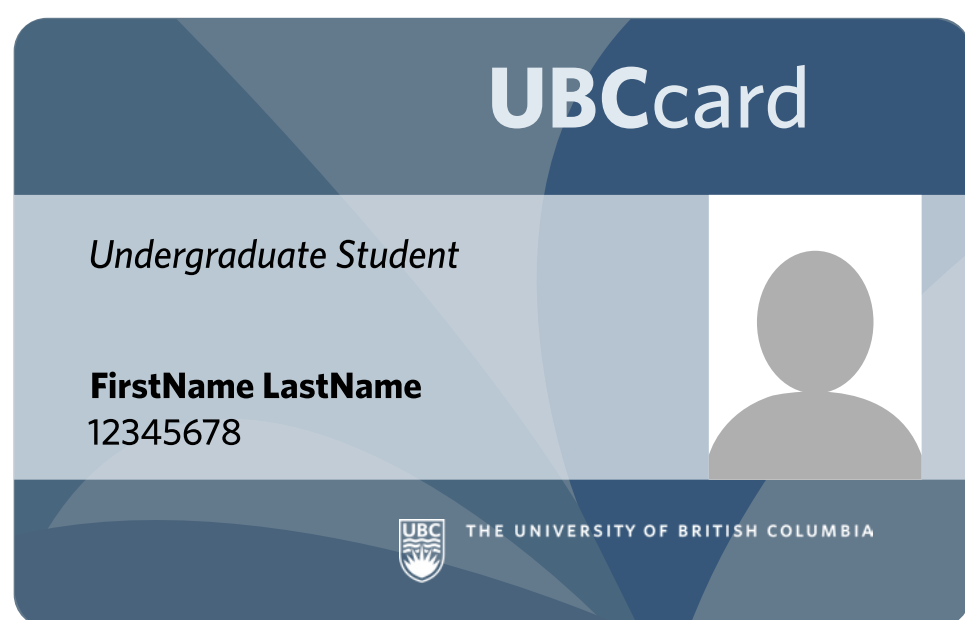
UBC Library

UNDERGRADUATE STUDENT GUIDE

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Learning, knowledge, research, insight:

Welcome to UBC Library, the second largest research library in Canada. There's something for everyone in our collections that include over nine million items.



YOUR UBCCARD IS YOUR LIBRARY CARD:

Digital and physical UBCcards can be used at UBC Library. Obtain online at [**services.ubccard.ubc.ca**](https://services.ubccard.ubc.ca)

YOUR LIBRARY ACCOUNT:

Log in to renew books and check your account status.

CONNECT FROM ANYWHERE:

Current UBC students can access electronic resources through the Library from off-campus, as well as in person. All you need is a valid Campus-Wide Login (CWL). Download the Library Access browser extension to access Library subscriptions from anywhere on the web.

[**services.library.ubc.ca**](https://services.library.ubc.ca)

Access your course materials at:

[**courses.library.ubc.ca**](https://courses.library.ubc.ca)



WORKSHOPS AND EVENTS

UBC Library offers research skills workshops on a number of topics at various times throughout the term. For a list of upcoming sessions visit:

events.library.ubc.ca

ONLINE RESEARCH GUIDES

Need articles for a project and don't know where to start? Search our subject-specific guides for help with your research:

guides.library.ubc.ca

GREAT READS COLLECTION

The Great Reads program offers easy access to leisure-reading materials including Canadiana, popular fiction and more. Browse online or in person:

greatreads.library.ubc.ca

PUBLICLY-ACCESSIBLE OPEN COLLECTIONS

The Library's Open Collections include a wealth of digital resources that document diverse people, places and events. Begin your research:

open.library.ubc.ca



Being a student can be complicated. We're here to help.

The Chapman Learning Commons, located in the Irving K. Barber Learning Centre (Level 3), provides learning and technology support for undergraduate students.

Visit **learningcommons.ubc.ca** for secrets to academic success, loanable equipment, printing help and more.

WANT TO TAKE YOUR LEARNING TO THE NEXT LEVEL?

Our student-created Toolkits can help you with online learning, note taking, textbook reading, group work, and more. Drop by the Learning Commons Help Desk to speak with friendly student staff from a variety of faculties, and to find other peer-led academic support programs to connect with on campus!

TROUBLE WITH TIME MANAGEMENT?

Discover resources on how to use your time effectively and adapt your study habits to fit your strengths on **learningcommons.ubc.ca**, or attend one of our peer-led workshops to gain tips from students with experience!

WORKING ON AN ASSIGNMENT?

Book a consultation with the Centre for Writing and Scholarly Communication to get practical, useful feedback on your draft from a graduate Writing Consultant.

writing.library.ubc.ca

PLAN YOUR ASSIGNMENT

Need help managing assignments by breaking them down into a series of achievable steps? GenAI can be a big help. We can guide you on how to construct a prompt to build a plan that takes your schedule, responsibilities, and need for sleep into account.

guides.library.ubc.ca/GenAI/assignmentplanning



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WHERE ARE?

- PC, Mac and multimedia workstations
- Printers and photocopiers
- Silent and quiet study areas
- Group study rooms
- Listening stations
- Scanners
- Laptop, camcorder and projector
- Lending services
- Device chargers
- Tech supports

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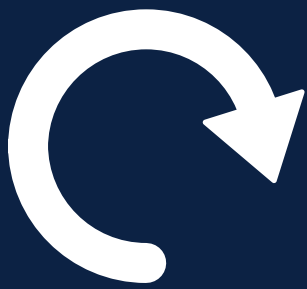


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