



# Library Connections

A newsletter of Warner Memorial Library

June 2025

## Warner Library has a new system!

In a long overdue move, Warner Library has migrated to a new integrated library system (ILS). The Library will now use EBSCO's FOLIO software in order to check out books, catalog items, track usage statistics and more. For our patrons, this means a new local catalog interface and some updates to our circulation policies. We will [upload updated tutorial videos to our website](#) throughout the summer, but below is a basic summary of the changes now live at the library.

**New Catalog URL:** <https://eastern.locate.ebsco.com/search>

The screenshot shows the Eastern University library catalog homepage. Callouts highlight the following features:

- Academic Course Reserves here under "Browse"**: Points to the 'Browse' link in the top navigation bar.
- See current items on loan and pending holds**: Points to the 'My bookshelf' link in the top navigation bar.
- Familiar search bar and filters, now in "normal language"**: Points to the search bar and the left-hand filter menu.
- Log In with your Eastern username to renew items and place holds**: Points to the user profile icon in the top right corner.

The interface includes a search bar with a 'Keyword' dropdown, a 'Search library catalog' button, and a filter menu on the left with categories: ITEM STATUS, FORMAT, LOCATION, PUBLISHER, LANGUAGE, and SUBJECT. The top navigation bar includes links for 'Catalog home', 'My bookshelf', and 'Browse'.

New circulation rules are now in place for books—see the table to the right. Also, the limit on media items has been raised to 10 per person.

Undergraduate Students	28 days, limit of 50 books, 1 renewal
Graduate and Doctoral Students	Full semester, limit of 50 books, no renewals
Faculty and Staff	90 days, unlimited books, 1 renewal

# We're looking for donations for our *Library of Things!*

Drop off any of the following items, new or gently used, at the library this summer, and we'll add them to the wall for next semester.

Colored pencils  
Electric balloon pump  
Eyeglass repair kit  
Ice scraper  
Snow shovel  
HDMI cable

Wireless mouse  
Fishing pole  
Eastern U necktie  
Outdoor folding chairs (in protective bags)  
Glue gun & sticks  
Jumper cables

Bubble machine  
Bluetooth speaker  
Sewing kit  
Poster tripod  
Deck of cards

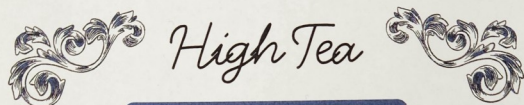
## IMPORTANT NOTE FOR FACULTY!

Faculty are encouraged think of the items they would like to place on reserve for the fall. Please fill out the form [HERE](#). Also, let us know if there is a book you would like us to purchase as early as possible (not that we can purchase everything, but the sooner we know, the more likely your request can be filled).

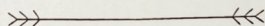
A FUN EVENT FOR  
EASTERN'S COMMUNITY:



WARNER LIBRARY'S



WEDNESDAY, JULY 9  
2:30 - 4:00 PM



Please join the library staff for tea,  
sandwiches, treats, and informal literary  
discussions.

**Fancy dress encouraged!**

You may bring a shareable treat if you'd like.

**Faculty, staff, and students are all  
welcome!**



PLEASE  
RSVP HERE:



**The Social Justice collection has been  
incorporated into the Main Stacks of the  
library. Just look for the icon below!**



**SOCIAL JUSTICE**

**Also, we're moving things around...**

The Young Adult collection has been moved to the space previously designed for Social Justice, the DVDs to the space once used for the Young Adult collection and the Juvenile Collections now have room for growth in the main level atrium.