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www.bsu.edu/library



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MAKING A DIFFERENCE

Friends Make a Difference!

The Friends of the Library are ambassadors to the community. Members help to share the news that the Libraries play an important role in the academic success plan of BSU students who are preparing for their careers and future. Friends actively shape the Libraries' collections through their financial support and gifts-in-kind. Thanks to your donations, our rich collections of electronic resources, books, and journals contribute to the educational goals of students and faculty, and directly contribute to Ball State University's development.



Friends Help to Expand the Libraries in the 21st Century and Beyond!

The development of the Digital Library Initiative, funded in part by the Friends, is moving the University Libraries into new frontiers where access to materials is available for learning,

teaching, and research anywhere in the world 24/7. Throughout the Libraries, we hear the energetic conversations of students gathering to work on projects. We see the libraries' doors in constant motion by more than 4,300 visitors daily. Our librarians are busy daily helping student with research projects and academic pursuits.

Friends Maintaining a Proud Tradition of Support and Beneficence!

The University Libraries are making an appeal outside our normal operating budget, directly to you, to continue a long and strong tradition of giving by the Friends so we can continue to build our collections and preserve books and journals that are vital to the campus community. Your contribution will make a difference for the students of today and tomorrow.

Friends Gifts

Your donations play a major role in the academic success of students and faculty at Ball State University. A strong library directly contributes to the university's environment. We count on gifts, endowments, and bequests from people who believe in the important role of the University Libraries.

We encourage you to contact us to learn more about giving to the University Libraries through the Friends, through special or planned gifts, endowments, or other means.

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Becoming a Friend!

Membership in the Friends is open to any person who gives money, books, manuscripts, periodicals, or other educational material to the University Libraries.

Members receive an annual newsletter and other publications, and invitations to programs and the annual dinner.

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