

**John B. Coleman Library
Faculty Survey Spring 2008**

1- How would you describe your familiarity / usage with the Coleman Library resources?

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ELECTRONIC

- Very familiar
- Familiar
- Somewhat familiar
- Unfamiliar
- Do not use the resources

2- Please indicate as best you can how you feel about the following:

SERVICE AT THE LIBRARY

Agree Disagree

- I enjoy coming to the Coleman Library
- Procedures for placing items on reserve are reliable
- The staff is helpful when I request assistance
- I'm satisfied with the service at the Coleman Library
- The Coleman Library staff is knowledgeable

LIBRARY FACILITIES

Agree Disagree

- I prefer to use another Library for my research needs
- I use the Coleman Library primarily for research and quiet study
- The Coleman Library should be a social center of the campus
- I use the Coleman Library primarily for checking out books and materials

LIBRARY RESOURCES

Agree Disagree

- I know who my liaison librarian is
- I am comfortable finding the information I need without much help
- The Coleman Library has sufficient resources to distance services
- The Coleman Library resources are difficult to understand and use
- I schedule Library Instruction classes for my students
- The Coleman Library website provides sufficient information on library services and resources

3- Which of these should be Library priorities in the future (select all that apply)?

**High
Priority**

**Low
Priority**

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| <input type="checkbox"/> | <input type="checkbox"/> | More electronic full-text databases |
| <input type="checkbox"/> | <input type="checkbox"/> | Electronic reserves |
| <input type="checkbox"/> | <input type="checkbox"/> | More leisure reading material |
| <input type="checkbox"/> | <input type="checkbox"/> | In-house Library Instruction classes and workshops |
| <input type="checkbox"/> | <input type="checkbox"/> | More books in your area of research |
| <input type="checkbox"/> | <input type="checkbox"/> | More copiers and printers |
| <input type="checkbox"/> | <input type="checkbox"/> | Public fax machine / scanner |
| <input type="checkbox"/> | <input type="checkbox"/> | More computer workstations |
| <input type="checkbox"/> | <input type="checkbox"/> | Lowering the noise level in the Coleman Library |
| <input type="checkbox"/> | <input type="checkbox"/> | Increase Coleman Library hours at night |
| <input type="checkbox"/> | <input type="checkbox"/> | Increase Coleman Library hours on weekends |
| <input type="checkbox"/> | <input type="checkbox"/> | Better communication about new purchases relevant to me |
| <input type="checkbox"/> | <input type="checkbox"/> | Making the Coleman Library more aesthetically pleasing |
| <input type="checkbox"/> | <input type="checkbox"/> | Creating an Information or Learning Commons |
| <input type="checkbox"/> | <input type="checkbox"/> | Document delivery |
| <input type="checkbox"/> | <input type="checkbox"/> | More space in the Library for group study |
| <input type="checkbox"/> | <input type="checkbox"/> | Study carrels |

4- How often do you give assignments which REQUIRE your students to use the Library resources?

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| <input type="checkbox"/> Very often | <input type="checkbox"/> Sometimes | <input type="checkbox"/> Never |
| <input type="checkbox"/> Often | <input type="checkbox"/> Rarely | |

5- Which of the following do you think applies to your STUDENTS (select all that apply)?

SKILLS

- Able to use the online catalog to find a book for their course projects
- Understand the difference between a database and the Internet
- Understand the difference between popular and scholarly material
- Able to evaluate web resources for research purposes
- Able to perform college-level research
- Use the database as their primary research tool
- Use the Internet as their primary research tool

LIBRARY FACILITIES

- Feel comfortable in the Coleman Library
- Use the Coleman Library primarily for research
- Use the Coleman Library primarily for socializing

6- Which of the following Library Instruction resources are important for you and your classes?

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| <input type="checkbox"/> Library Instruction specifically designed for your course | <input type="checkbox"/> Student consultation with a Librarian |
| <input type="checkbox"/> Library Instruction on finding materials | <input type="checkbox"/> Faculty consultation with a Librarian |
| <input type="checkbox"/> Web guides to Library resources | <input type="checkbox"/> None of the above |
| <input type="checkbox"/> Reference Librarians | <input type="checkbox"/> I was not aware of all these resources available to me and my students |
| <input type="checkbox"/> Make Time for Research Workshops | <input type="checkbox"/> Subject-specific brochures |

7- Do you usually do research (select all that apply):

- From the Prairie View campus
- From the Northwest or other satellite campuses
- Remotely via online access
- From another University
- None of the above

8- Which of the following best describes you (select all that apply)?

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| <input type="checkbox"/> Professor | <input type="checkbox"/> Research Associate / Fellow |
| <input type="checkbox"/> Associate Professor | <input type="checkbox"/> Visiting Faculty |
| <input type="checkbox"/> Instructor | <input type="checkbox"/> Department Chair / Dean |
| <input type="checkbox"/> Adjunct / Part-Time Instructor | <input type="checkbox"/> Other |

9- What College / School are you affiliated with?

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| <input type="checkbox"/> College of Agriculture and Human Sciences | <input type="checkbox"/> College of Engineering | <input type="checkbox"/> University College |
| <input type="checkbox"/> School of Architecture | <input type="checkbox"/> College of Nursing | <input type="checkbox"/> University Staff |
| <input type="checkbox"/> College of Arts and Sciences | <input type="checkbox"/> Distance Education | <input type="checkbox"/> College of Juvenile Justice and Psychology |
| <input type="checkbox"/> College of Business | <input type="checkbox"/> Undergraduate Medical Academy | <input type="checkbox"/> Other |
| <input type="checkbox"/> College of Education | | |

10- Overall, how satisfied are you with the Coleman Library?

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| <input type="checkbox"/> Very satisfied | <input type="checkbox"/> Not satisfied |
| <input type="checkbox"/> Usually satisfied | <input type="checkbox"/> No opinion |
| <input type="checkbox"/> Seldom satisfied | |

11- If there was one thing that the John B. Coleman Library could do or change to better meet your needs, what would that be?