Welcome to our 2nd Library Newsletter of 2012. In this occasional publication we would like to inform you of new resources, services and events that could support your teaching and your students’ learning.

**Farewell**

On April 18th staff from the Library, CDU and Centralian Senior College gathered to farewell Reference and Information Services Librarian, Jessie Mahjouri. Jessie is now enjoying her retirement with travels to exotic locations.

Centralian Senior College staff Belinda Harding and Zoe Hilliar admire Jessie’s farewell gift.

**Welcome**

Alexandra Williams has joined the Library as a Reference and Information Services Librarian. Alex brings her experience in teaching and working at Alice Springs Public Library and will be job sharing with Melissa Raymond to provide reference, research and information literacy services to staff and students.

Alex will work on Monday 8:00-4:00, Tuesday 8:00-4:00 and Friday 8:00-12:00. You can contact her on x5235 or email alex.williams@cdu.edu.au.
Resources

New Non-Fiction

Biggs, John  
*Teaching for quality learning at university*  
378.17  
BIGG

Coad, Jane  
*Anatomy and physiology for midwives. 3rd ed.*  
618.2  
COAD

Cross, Jack  
*Great Central state : the foundation of the Northern Territory*  
994.29  
CROS

Hillier, Yvonne  
*Reflective teaching in further and adult education. 3rd ed.*  
374  
HILL

King, Jennie  
*Australian nurses’ dictionary. 5th ed.*  
610.7303  
KING

New Fiction

Duigan, Virginia  
*The precipice*  
(Shortlisted 2012 Miles Franklin award)  
DUIG

Funder, Anna  
*All that I am*  
(Winner – 2012 Miles Franklin award)  
FUND

Mantel, Hilary  
*Bring up the bodies*  
(Sequel to *Wolf Hall* – winner Man Booker 2011)  
MANT

Moorhouse, Frank  
*Cold light*  
(Shortlisted 2012 Miles Franklin award)  
MOOR

Murakami, Haruki  
*Norwegian Wood*  
MURA

Wood, Charlotte  
*Animal people*  
(Shortlisted 2012 Miles Franklin award)  
WOOD

Periodicals

Our magazines and journals are available for loan for 7 days – catch up on some professional development or recreational reading. Popular titles include:

*Artlink : contemporary art of Australia and the Asia-Pacific*  
*Australian journal of Indigenous education*  
*BRW*  
*Ceramics technical*  
*Delicious*
Gardening Australia  
Hairdressers journal international

Library staff will be reviewing periodical titles in August – let us know if you have any recommendations for new magazines/journals to add to the collection.

Streaming Video
Streaming video refers to online video content that can be viewed in class or remotely by external students. Titles of videos can be found via the library catalogue – search for streaming video and then click on the link for electronic access;

You can also paste the URL directly into your Learnline unit, e.g. http://www.vea.com.au.ezproxy.cdu.edu.au/vLearn/Player/aZutX24G.aspx

If you want to search for and recommend the purchase of videos for your teaching you can browse the online catalogues at:

VEA
Kanopy
EnhanceTV

Current streaming video titles held in the CDU collection include:

Management styles explained [electronic resource]
Pregnancy and childbirth [electronic resource] : the real story
Welding [electronic resource] : metallic materials, Part A
eBooks

eBooks are now the preferred format for purchase by the CDU Library. This means that these books can be accessed online – through home computers, library computers and mobile devices – making library resources accessible 24/7. eBooks can be found through the library catalogue and can also be linked directly to your Learnline units.

They can be viewed onscreen and usually be downloaded for offline viewing. The same copyright restrictions apply to eBooks as to print books.

LibGuides

LibGuides are compiled by Librarians to assist teaching staff and students to locate relevant resources and information on subjects and topics. They can provide links to databases, books, journal articles, multimedia resources, documents, RSS feeds and podcasts.

We have produced a range of LibGuides for Centralian Senior College:

- Australian Rules Football
- Career Information
- Drugs in Sport
- Food and Hospitality Industry
- Shakespeare with pages on Romeo and Juliet, Hamlet and Macbeth

Contact Christine, Melissa or Alex if you would like a LibGuide created to provide information on topics or subjects you are teaching. You can access all of the CDU LibGuides through the Library homepage or through the LibGuides Community Site.
Information Literacy

How and when to reference correctly is a common question posed to the Library staff by students. Many students become anxious and frustrated about referencing – but help is available – let your students know that they can:

- Contact Melissa or Alex for personal assistance.
- Access the CDU Library Referencing Guide for online information and guides to CDU referencing styles and EndNote software.
- Check the CDU Academic Language and Learning Success Program (ALLSP) Study Resources for information on paraphrasing, quoting and summarising.

Interesting Websites – Cool Tools!

1. **Review of Screen Capture Tools**
   Screen capture is perhaps the most efficient way to share whatever appears on your desktop. Screen capture tools can help you to create tutorials that include sketches, images and text on the screenshot. This article compares the most popular screen capture tools.

2. **Presentation Tools**
   - *Wordle* is a popular fun tool for creating word clouds.

   But have you tried?

   - *Tagul* and *Tagxedo* turn words into visual shapes:
3. Brainstorming and Mind Mapping Tools
- **Visuwords** – online graphical dictionary
- **Snappy words** : free visual online dictionary
- **Visual thesaurus**
- **bubbl.us** – free online brainstorming and mind mapping tool
- **Mindomo** - online mind mapping/concept mapping

4. Tools for Schools
- **Boolify** – Useful information literacy tool which interactively illustrates the logic of a web search.
- **Comparison Search** - Glean Comparison Search helps you compare and contrast differing viewpoints of a research topic.
- **Comic Master** – Allows you to create your own short graphic novel.
- **Edmodo** - Edmodo provides a safe and easy way for your class to connect and collaborate, share content, and access homework, grades and school notices.

**Coming Events – Put them in your diary!**

1. **A Recycling/Building Event** - What Can You Make With Discarded Library Books and Videos?
   - Competition for Centralian Senior College students
   - Encourage your students to display their creative, problem-solving skills and build the most innovative and exciting structure with our discarded books and videos
   - Monday 27th August – Friday 31st August

2. **Biggest Book Fair** – A National Year of Reading Event
   - **Thursday 20th September**
   - Donate your pre-loved books and stock up your bookshelves - help us raise funds for The Australian Literacy and Numeracy Foundation (ALNF) - help disadvantaged children learn to read and write
   - Books will be priced between $1-$5