

Temple College Facilities

Library

The H. M. Dawson Library has a collection of over 55,000 books, nearly 400 current periodical subscriptions and thousands of audiovisual items, including videos, compact discs, microfiche, and film. The library's online catalog provides access to Temple College's collection as well as access to over 20,000 electronic books in net-Library.

Temple College belongs to TexShare, a statewide system which allows reciprocal borrowing privileges to current students, faculty, and staff at all participating college and university libraries in Texas. Through TexShare Temple College students have access to over 50 content and periodical databases many of which display the full-text of the original journal or book. Materials not owned by Temple College or unavailable through the online databases may be ordered through interlibrary loan for little or no cost.

Facilities of the H. M. Dawson Library include study carrels and tables, small group conference rooms, audiovisual viewing and listening areas and a computer lab where students can do research, access the Internet, type research papers and complete assignments.

Arnold Student Union

The ASU is a center for student's social activities. It is a place for student club meetings, dances, meals, and social life. You can meet old friends and make new ones before, after, and between classes. The bookstore and Leopard Room are located in the ASU. During long semesters, the ASU is open at the following times: Monday-Friday 7:30 a.m.-7:00 p.m.

Bookstore

The south end of the Arnold Student Union Building houses the TC Bookstore. The College Bookstore enables students to purchase textbooks, supplies, and other equipment for classroom and laboratory work. Purchases may also be made online at *templecollegebookstore.com*.

Bookstore Hours

Monday-Thursday 7:45 a.m.- 6:00 p.m.

Friday 8:00 a.m. - 12 noon

The Bookstore is open during some holidays and school breaks. Call for hours, 254-298-8575

Open Computer Center

The facilities of the Open Computer Center are open to all currently enrolled students at Temple College. All students are required to log in using the user name and password assigned during registration. The Open Computer Center is located in Room 501 in the Watson Technical Center. Beepers and cellular phones are prohibited from use in these classrooms with the exception of medical and law enforcement personnel on call.

*Fall/Spring Semester Hours of Operation:

Monday through Thursday - - 7:30 AM until 5:30 PM

Friday - - 8:00 AM until 12 Noon

Sunday - - Closed (Library Open Lab will be available Sundays from 2:00 PM until 5:00 PM)

*Summer Semester Hours of Operation:

Monday through Thursday - - 7:30 AM until 6:00 PM

Friday, Saturday and Sunday - - Closed

Hours are subject to change.

Testing Center

The Temple College Testing Center, located on the second floor of One College Centre, is open to help students with their testing needs. These may include placement tests, course make-up exams, telecourse tests, correspondence testing, and other individual tests.

Students will be required to present a picture I.D. when they come to take a test. Children may not accompany parents while parents are taking test. All tests must be completed by the Testing Center's posted closing time.

Fitness Center

All students and faculty/staff are encouraged to participate in Recreational Sports, intramural/extramural and wellness activities.

A well-rounded program of recreational and intramural/ extramural sports activities is offered by Temple College. The sporting activities made available to interested individuals are flag football, punt-pass-kick, coed volleyball, racquetball, tennis, 8-ball, table tennis, golf, basketball, badminton, volleyball, soccer and swimming. For information on Open Recreation hours contact the Director of Recreational Sports/Wellness.

The wellness program offers various workshops and seminars on wellness education and popular fitness programs. The college fitness center is equipped with cardio equipment, weight machines, and free weights. The college swimming pool is available for recreational and lap swimming.