Student Engagement Activities & Programmes



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Library Resources & Services

Resources Access

24 x 7

Anytime, Anywhere

www.aku.edu/library/pk/fas

Free Membership

AKU students, faculty & staff



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FAS Library

The Library and Learning Commons of the Faculty of Arts & Sciences at the Aga Khan University provides access to quality information resources, inclusive spaces, expert services, and innovative technologies that support teaching, learning, and research. The library promotes information literacy, ethical scholarship, and lifelong learning for students, faculty, and researchers.



Opening Hours

Monday to Friday 8:30 am to 7:00 pm

Closed: Saturday, Sunday & Public Holidays

Spaces:

- Collaborative learning spaces
- Individual study carrels
- Digital learning space
- Media group study rooms with LED screen & glass board
- Collection area

Facilities:

- Conducive environment
- Stunning view of AKU and the city
- Comfortable seating: table, chairs, sofa set, relaxing chairs
- Computers / laptops
- Wifi connectivity
- Auto-book reminders

Borrowing:

- Students can borrow up to 4 books at a time for 2 weeks.
- Faculty members can borrow up to 5 books at a time for one month.
- Staff members can borrow 2 books for two weeks.

All borrowers can renew the borrowed books twice.

Online Full-text Databases

- JSTOR
- ScienceDirect: Social Sciences
- ScienceDirect: Economics
- SocINDEX
- eHRAF Archaeology
- eHRAF World Cultures
- EBSCOhost Academic Collection
- Taylor & Francis
- Wiley Online Library
- Research4Life

Information Retrieval Systems

- SAFARI | Library Catalogue
- <u>Discovery | One-Stop-Shop for Literature</u>
- eCommons | AKU Repository
- <u>Library Guides | Subject and How-To Guides</u>
- Pure AKU Researcher Profiles
- Scopus | Abstract & Citation database

Magazines / Newspapers

- Financial Times
- New York Times
- The Diplomat
- The Economist

Collection:

- Books
- Journals
- Magazines
- Newspapers
- Course Packs
- · Reference Material

Services:

- Book Borrowing
- Reference Service
- Electronic Document Delivery
- Laptop Borrowing
- Printing
- Plagiarism Checking
- Digital Archiving
- ICT Service Desk
- Copyright

Interactive Kiosks:

- Two self-check kiosks are located at the entrance and in the reading area. Library members having barcodes on valid AKU ID cards can use these kiosks to check in/out items.
- Z-shaped digital kiosk provides quick access to library resources.