THE LIBRARY AND STUDENT SUCCESS: MAKING USE OF WHAT THE LIBRARY HAS TO OFFER

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LIBRARY AND STUDENT SUCCESS

- Is there a link between student success and library use?
  - What is student success?
  - How does the Library play a part?
STUDIES

• Lloyd and Martha Kramer (1968) found a positive relationship between library use and persistence as students who borrowed books from the library dropped out 40% less often than non-borrowers when your parents were in college act-library-use-and-student-performance
• More recently Cox and Jantti (2012) found a strong correlation between students' grades and use of information resources the library provides. EDUCUSEReview Online http://www.educause.edu/ero/article/discovering-imp
STUDIES

• Shun Han Rebekah Wong and T.D. Webb (2013) reported on a large-scale study with a sample of over 8,700 students grouped by major and level of study. In 65% of the groups, they found a positive relationship between use of books and A/V materials borrowed from the library and GPA.

• Vance, Kirk and Garner (2012) found a measurable correlation between student performance and library instruction.

• Applegate (2009) found that students show a strong preference to using the library for their academic work.
THE LIBRARY LIKE A GYM FOR YOUR MIND
LIBRARY IS A LEARNING GYM

Comfort and image

Sociability

Uses and activities

Access and linkages

ambience, “sense of scholarship”

communal, social; quiet, noisy; independent, group

reading, writing, collaborating; furniture, tools, equipment; flexibility

location, zones; collection & information, network
WHAT DO YOU ALREADY KNOW?

• Library Myth Busters Game
EQUIPMENT FOR INTELLECTUAL EXERCISES
ELECTRONIC ITEMS
COMPUTERS
MEDIA EQUIPMENT
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