

## Borrowing

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### The student library [blogs.uab.cat/bctot](http://blogs.uab.cat/bctot)

BCTot is the virtual space of the Science and Technology Library specialized in scientific information. It is opened to all audiences but it is oriented to students and PDI of the Faculty of Science, Faculty of Biosciences and Graduate School of Engineering.

We give you a collection of resources that may be interesting for you:

- News, Dictionaries, Course. Access to most of resources is only for members of the UAB and you will need use **ARE**
- “[ciènciaXllegir](#)”: news of popular science and comments of interesting books.
- [bctdigital](#) site of science and engineering electronic books.

### Opening hours

Monday to Friday from 8:30 to 21 h

For Easter, Christmas, July and August see the special schedules on the Web.

### Feedback

If you have any comments or suggestions, or if you have encountered problems, please send us from [www.uab.cat/libraries/pregunta](http://www.uab.cat/libraries/pregunta)

You will find a book acquisition suggestion form at [www.bib.uab.cat/serveis/adquisicio\\_documents](http://www.bib.uab.cat/serveis/adquisicio_documents) Please feel free to use them!



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# Science and Technology Library

## Introductory guide



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## Locations

The library is divided into different sections:

- **Borrowing and information area** with locker to charge laptops, mobile phone charger, distributor / loader cards for photocopier and area of news and movies on DVD.
- **General room** with books that are not of special collections and reference works (dictionaries and encyclopaedias). You will also find the photocopying / printer facilities (only card or card & coin). With a phone, to contact with the Photocopying service, you can use for solve issues.
- **Special collections room** includes journals, maps, Mathematics, Antoni Reguant Collection, History of Science, Computing History and the Reservation Sections.
- **Room 28** with microfilms, microfiches and personal collections, restricted.
- **plant -1**, the training room, computer room and several places to work in groups.

Most of the collection is in open access except the documents in external deposit. To consult them you must fill a form found in the catalogue when made a search for that document. We bring them to the library from 24 hours following.

Keep a good work environment and therefore all the floor 0 is dedicated to working individually and in silence.

Please leave the books on the trolleys when you have finished.

To keep the library a pleasant place to study you are recommended:

- Not to reserve places if you are not there
- Remain silent
- Switch your mobiles off
- Do not eat, drink nor smoke

## Computer facilities

Our PCs are preferably to access the electronic resources the library is subscribed to, as well as the catalogue and databases and also you can work with word processors and office related software.

Hardware devices borrowing scheme is also available:

- Laptops, with a borrowing scheme limited to the Library grounds for a period of 4 hours and possibilities to connect to internet through the wifi. If you need a Mouse, we can serve you
- the computers of the training room, you must go to the circulation desk to use it for up to 4h

- USB devices can be borrowed for a 7 day period.
- locker to charge the batteries to loan the same day.

The room has several electrified desks and wifi available for users to connect the laptops.

We also loan other objects: calculators, headphones, marker + eraser for blackboards, lectern, mobile phone charger.

## Reproduction of documents

Self-service photocopiers, printer and microfilm reading-reproducing devices and scanners are available. Please, use them according to the current legislation.

## Training courses for users

At the beginning of the academic year welcoming sessions are offered to new students where we explain who the library is organized. During the academic year you can attend other training sessions to learn about available resources: Information sources, bibliographic manager , Trobador +... and others. You can view it and sign up for at [www.uab.cat/biblioteques/cursos](http://www.uab.cat/biblioteques/cursos)

## Documentary information



Please contact the librarian at the issue desk if you need any help or use the information service of the UAB libraries [Pregunta@](mailto:Pregunta@) aims at providing users with personalized attention to solve any doubt related to the operation and use of the library services and resources, as well as helping users in their search for information for their studies or research. It can be accessed from the home page of the Library Service or directly at [www.uab.cat/libraries/pregunta](http://www.uab.cat/libraries/pregunta)

## Catalogue of the UAB libraries

[www.uab.cat/libraries/catalog](http://www.uab.cat/libraries/catalog)

You can use the catalogue to find out:

- The books we have,
- Which library they are in,
- Their location (section, room, ...) and
- Whether they are available, on loan, reserved or reference only books.
- Which is the bibliography of a subject and which copies are
- Consult the data on your loans and make arrangements as renovation and reserves (My Account option)