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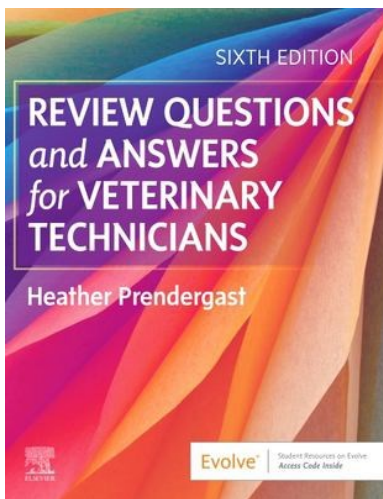
Free Books

Come check out the cart of books that are currently by the front desk in the library. All of the books are free of charge and it's first come first served!

Featured Book of the Month

Review Questions and Answers for Veterinary Technicians

By Heather Prenderghast



Prepare for VTNE success! *Review Questions and Answers for Veterinary Technicians, 6th Edition* provides 5,000 VTNE-style questions that have been reviewed and updated to reflect the latest changes to the Veterinary Technician National Examination. The book begins with multiple-choice questions on basic knowledge, including anatomy and physiology, hospital management, calculations, and terminology. It continues with a Q&A review of core subjects such as pharmacology, surgical nursing, laboratory procedures, diagnostic imaging, and pain management. Written by veterinary technology educator Heather Prenderghast, this review includes an Evolve website allowing you to create customized, timed practice exams that mirror the VTNE experience.

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Workshops

Getting the Most out of Scopus

September 2, 3 pm (Online)

September 13, 4 pm (Online)

Scopus is a multidisciplinary database with strong coverage in sciences, engineering, and social sciences. This workshop will show advanced features of Scopus such as cited reference searching, setting up folders, creating search alerts, and maintaining a Scopus author page. Other search tips will be provided as well.

Excel Charts

September 8, 10 am (Online)

Pivot Tables in Excel allow you to analyze and pull important summary information from large data sets. In this workshop you will learn how to add fields to rows and columns, filters, and values.

Thesis and Dissertation Formatting

September 8, 11 am (Online) (Mac)

September 12, 1 pm (Online)

September 20, 6 pm

September 28, 1 pm

This online workshop covers the submission process for format review and demonstrates how to use the automated templates on Mac computers to format MSU theses and dissertations to the requirements set forth in the Standards for Preparing Theses and Dissertations: 8th edition. These templates were designed to help an author organize and format their document with minimal effort so that their focus can be on the content of their document. Those who have already started writing or have already defended are welcome to bring their current documents (either on flash drive or email attachment) to start the process of placing their content into the template.

Workshops, cont.

Demisifying the Dissertation Process

September 8, 2 pm (Online)

From proposal to defense, this workshop provides strategies for starting and completing your thesis or dissertation.

Online Success! Library Resources for the Online Student

September 14, 6 pm (Online)

September 27, 11 am (Online)

Are you new to online classes? Do you have assignments that require library resources but are unsure where to start? Help is here! Attend this brief but informative session on how to access the library resources most commonly used for distance education classes. You will learn how to search the online databases for journal articles, the online catalog for books, and how to utilize the Interlibrary Loan system to retrieve items not available through electronic access. There will also be time for any specific questions you may have about your library needs. A recording of the workshop will be made available to anyone who is unable to attend.

Developing a Literature Review: An Overview for Graduate Students

September 19, 2 pm (Online)

In this workshop, we'll cover the basics of how to structure and write a literature review, with a focus on the thesis or dissertation review.

The Ethical Lit Review: Are Your Sources Legit

September 22, 3 pm (Online)

Protect your research by using legitimate sources! This online session will discuss the challenges of avoiding retracted research and predatory or hijacked journals. RCR credit is available for this session. A joint session by the MSU Libraries and the Office of Research Compliance and Security.

Questions or Suggestions?

- Email us at dmarshall@library.msstate.edu, call 662-325-1256 or visit the CVM Library [webpage](#).
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Monday – Thursday **7AM – 9PM**

Friday **7AM– 5PM**

Saturday **Closed**

Sunday **2PM– 10PM**

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THE CVM LIBRARY. DRINKS WITH LIDS ARE OK.*

Special Requests

If you have any special requests, in order to limit contact and keep everyone safe, please email any of us and we will do what we can to accommodate you.

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