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Dear Member of the Pritzker Class of 2025:

Welcome to the University of Chicago Library, home to a rich research collection available at six campus libraries. The Library holds more than seven million printed books, and the ever-expanding electronic resources currently include over 1 million e-books, thousands of e-journals, and hundreds of databases.

The John Crerar Library is the biomedical and physical sciences library, conveniently located across the street from the Biological Sciences Learning Center, where most of your first year courses are held. I am Deb Werner, the Director of Library Research in Medical Education. I can help you navigate the large range of Library resources. Access to online resources is available through a number of methods:

- John Crerar Library website - <https://www.lib.uchicago.edu/crerar>
- Medicine Research Guide - <http://guides.lib.uchicago.edu/medicine>
- Textbooks for your first year (not comprehensive) - <http://guides.lib.uchicago.edu/MS1>

Be sure to check out the various spaces in our building:




Media Arts Data & Design (MADD Center)

Weston Game Lab
Digital, board, & card games, and virtual reality space

Hack Arts Lab (HAL)
Makerspace with 3D printers, laser cutters, soldering stations, & more

Crerar Library Café



Crerar Library Reading Room



If you have any questions this summer, feel free to contact me at dwerner@uchicago.edu. See you in August!

Best regards,

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