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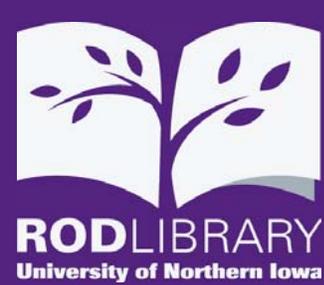
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*Notes For The
Stalled*

Finals Week Stress Busting

Finals week creeps up on us once again. Don't worry, the Rod is here to make the journey slightly less painful. We have a few stress relieving activities planned. May 2 from 1-3 and May 3 from 2-4 La' James International College will be here for a little reflexology. Stress free zones will make a reappearance, and back by popular demand- P.E.T.P.A.L.S. therapy dogs and cats will be in the lobby to listen to all your worst fears. Don't worry- they won't judge. They'll be here Apr 26-28, & May 1-3 from 11am-2pm.



Science Online now available!

Rod Library is now able to provide access to the online format of the journal *Science*, a publication of the American Association for the Advancement of Science which has been requested by members of the University community.

Study Rooms Added

Eight student study rooms, located on the third floor near the main east stairs, are now ready for use (rooms 360-367). Each room is equipped with a table and two chairs, which is the perfect size for individual or small group study or collaboration. You may reserve the rooms for up to 3 hours at a time through Rod Scheduler.



Graduating Student Assistants

UNI Museum is providing positive work experience for students. In the last few years, the Museum has hired a number of student assistants, seven of which have already graduated or will be graduating this May. Six of the seven are pursuing futures with Museums, either by seeking museum jobs, accepting museum jobs, or pursuing a higher degree in museum studies. The Museum staff have been working alongside students to provide opportunities in a variety of museum areas, including basic object conservation, exhibit curation, collections management, donor relations, and program development. This opportunity has been beneficial to both UNI Students and the museum. The students receive hands-on field experience and the staff are able to work with the future generation of museum workers to inspire the love and appreciation for museums. Having the opportunity to work in a museum setting allows these students to see new potential career paths and provides them with valuable skills and experiences once they enter the work force. The experiences the museum provides have led to a waiting list for UNI students that are interested in working or gaining experience in the museum field. Interested in volunteering for the Museum or becoming a Friend of the Museum? Find out more information here: <https://museum.library.uni.edu/join-donate>



Upcoming Events

May 1-3
P.E.T.P.A.L.S.
11am-2pm
Learning Commons

May 2
La' James
Reflexology
1-3pm
Learning Commons

May 3
La' James
Reflexology
2-4pm
Learning Commons

May 17
Friends of the
UNI Museum Sale
Learning Commons
9am-3:30pm