2012-2013

Annual Committee Report

Committee Name: Learning Resources/Library Committee

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Dates of Meetings: April 23, 2013

Accomplishments:

- Reviewed committee recommendations from October 9, 2012 meeting.
- Discussed library survey results collected during the Fall Semester.
 Library Survey of Online Students
 Student Survey of Library Services (On-site students-Vernon)
- Updated committee on library initiatives: Enrollment in Xerox leasing agreement for Wright Library printers, updating of Research Guides, promotional initiatives.
- Discussed eBook accessibility through mobile devices. Discussed availability of open access eBook websites.
- Updated committee on development of interactive database tutorial serving as QEP pilot project.

Recommendations:

- The committee recommended that the library enable downloading of eBooks with a checkout period of no more than one week in duration.
- The committee also recommended that patrons be given the choice of a 3 or 7 day checkout period for eBooks.

Membership Suggestions:

Agendas, exhibits, and minutes posted to Vernon College website at: http://www.vernoncollege.edu/StandingCommittees/LearningResources.aspx Submitted by: Marian Grona

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