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Wayne State graduation rate improvement best in nation

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Focusing on boosting graduation rates began in earnest in 2011, when the university launched a Student Retention Initiative, investing more than \$10 million in student success over the following five years.

The latest federal data on college graduation rates reveals that Wayne State University is the fastest-improving university in the nation among public universities with more than 10,000 students. Wayne State's graduation rates have nearly doubled between 2011 and 2017, increasing from 26 to 47 percent according to the Integrated Postsecondary Education Data System (IPEDS).

Gains have been particularly pronounced among first-generation, low-income and minority students.

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Thursday, April 19th
12 PM—2 PM



Friday, April 20th
10 AM—1 PM

Located on the second floor of the Undergraduate Library

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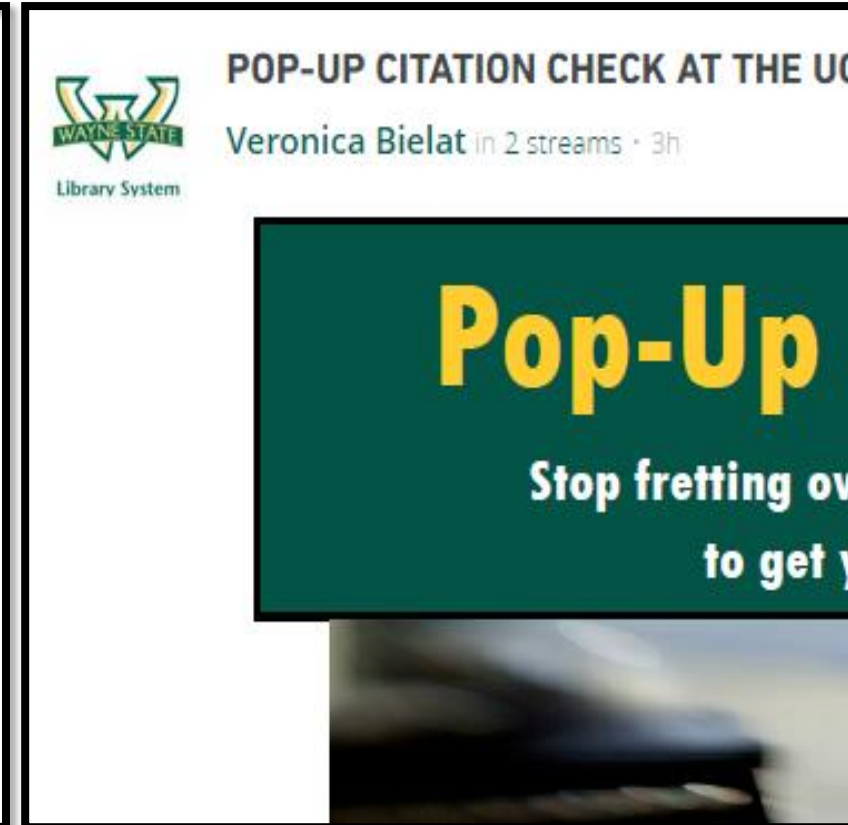
Email Lists



Physical Handouts



Campus Sharing

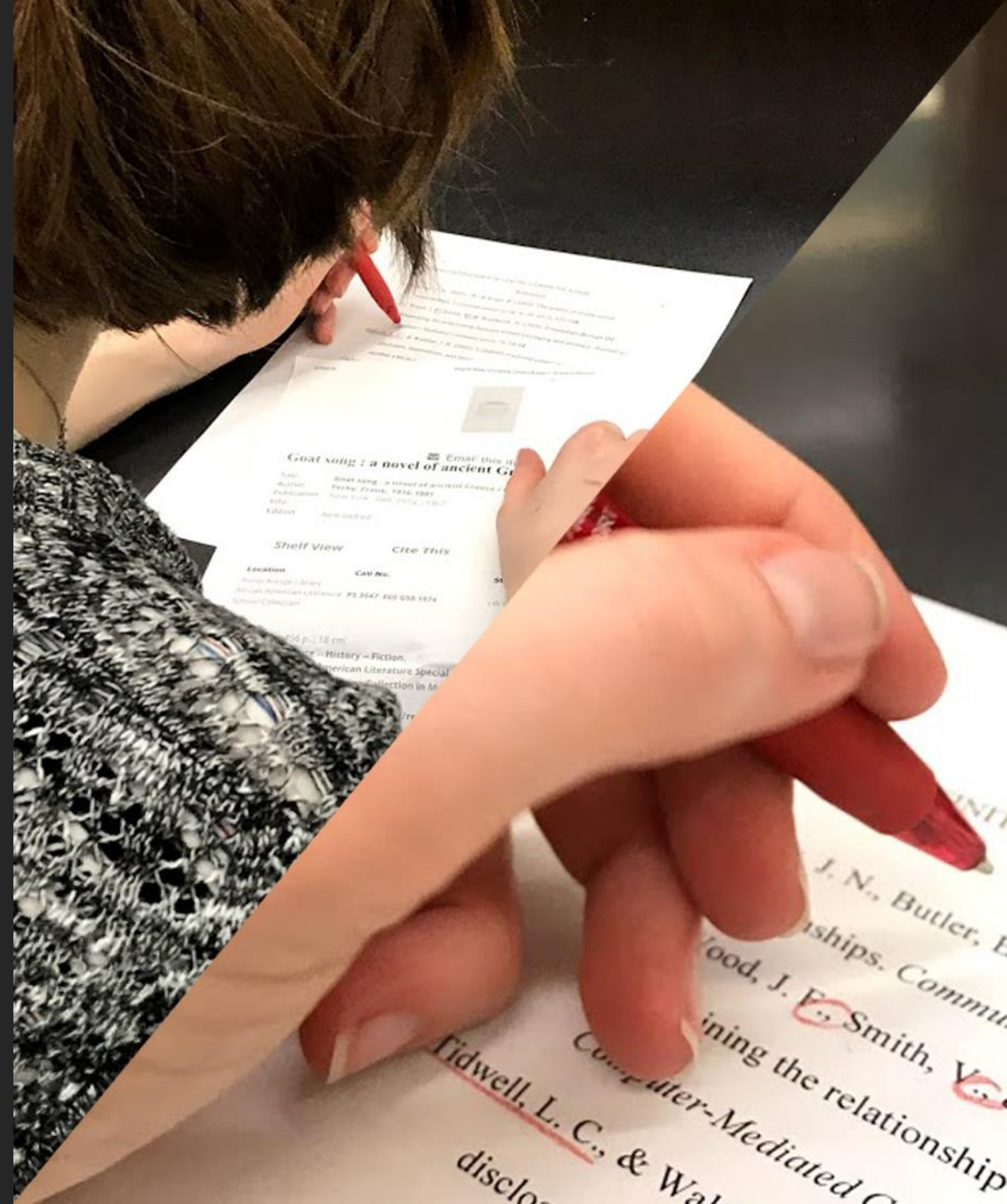


Feedback

14 Students

Suggested
Days/Times

Marketing Ideas





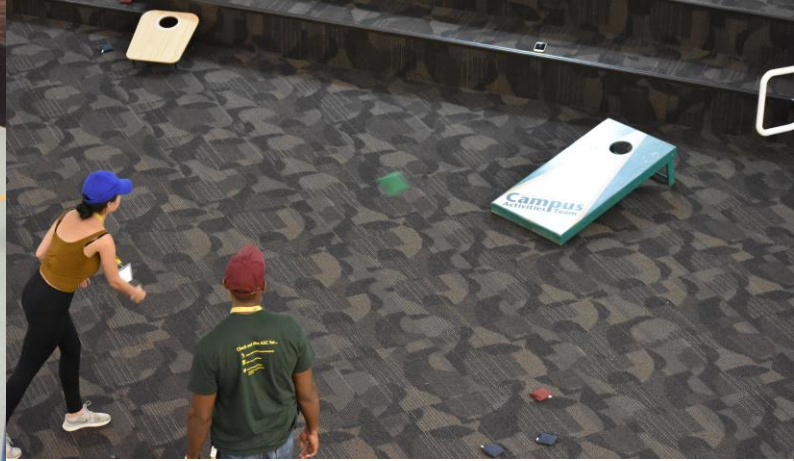
GAME NIGHT



We Had A Plan!

Info Meeting: Welcome Back Week Game Night

- Date: September 11, 2018, 7-10 PM
- This will be an open library activity in the evenings. Our target audience is students who live on or near campus.
- Student Success Outcome: A recent review of educational attainment interventions concluded that the three competencies that best support student success are 1. A sense of belonging, 2. A growth mindset, and 3. Personal goals and values. **This activity will encourage social integration and build a sense of belonging.**
- Proposed Assessment: Students will swipe in for activities and receive a follow up survey.



What did students say?

- It was a lot of fun in general! There were a lot of people that joined too so it made people feel like this was a real thing.
- It was very open and people were able to freely choose any activity and didn't need to stay super quiet, despite it being a library.
- The games and **meeting new people**. I thought the escape room was really creative!





THE ESCAPE ROOM

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Staged The Room



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Created a Fake Collection

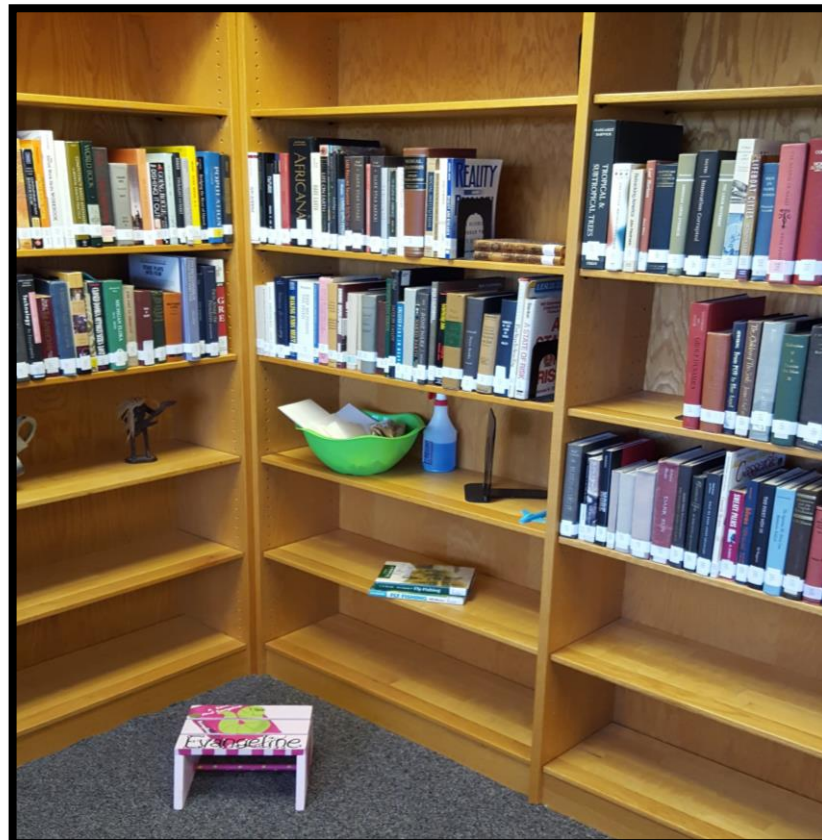


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Info Sharing and Service Promotion





12 Groups

100+ Participants

**Fastest Time:
Three Minutes**

**Total Cost:
\$0**

ACTIVITY: YOU'RE IN THE ESCAPE ROOM

You're participating in a group assignment and just finished consulting with a Librarian. She had to leave but allowed you to stay in her office to finish your conversation.

As you are about exit, you realize that the door is locked.

You noticed she locked her keycard in the lockbox in the middle of the room. Solve the riddles and questions to find the key to access the card.

THANK YOU AND QUESTIONS

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