

Public Computing in the ISU Library System

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All public computers in the University Library system provide access to the e-Library, the Internet, MS Office, FileZilla, QuickTime, RealPlayer, Adobe Reader, JMP, and WinZip. All computers have USB ports and either CD-ROM or DVD-ROM drives. Other special features or intended uses are highlighted below.

Room/Location	# of devices	Special features	Printing available?
PARKS LIBRARY – LOWER LEVEL			
Library Computer Lab (Room 32)	20 PCs	SciFinder Scholar.	PCs are networked to the laser printer in room 32, and to a photocopier in the Learning Connections Center on Floor 1.
Corridor, North/South	2 PCs		
Media Center	10 PCs	8 PCs have read-only Kurzweil software.	PCs are networked to the laser printer in the Media Center and a photocopier in the Learning Connections Center on Floor 1.
PARKS LIBRARY – FLOOR 1			
Lobby (south of the "glass wall")	44 PCs		PCs are networked to laser printers in the Lobby, and to a photocopier in the Learning Connections Center on Floor 1.
Learning Connections Center (north of the "glass wall")	32 PCs	8 PCs have oversized monitors. Some PCs have access to specialized databases.	PCs are networked to laser printers (both B&W and color) and a photocopier in the Learning Connections Center on Floor 1.
Library Classroom 134 (north of Learning Connections Center)	48 PCs		PCs are networked to B&W laser printers in the room, as well as the color laser printer and the photocopier in the adjoining Learning Connections Center.
Multimedia Production Studios	4 PCs, 4 Macs	Hardware and software to convert analog to digital in a wide variety of formats, including audio, video, etc. Networked to laser printers in the Learning Connections Center on Floor 1. Details available in notebooks located by the stations.	
Disabilities Workstations (Room 188A & 188B)	2 Disabilities workstations	Details regarding the Disabilities Workstation are available at: www.lib.iastate.edu/services1/other/disab.html	
Room 198 (this room houses the collection of books with "PZ" call numbers)	36 PCs	Zip drives on 8 PCs at south end of room.	PCs are networked to laser printers in room 198, and to a photocopier in the Learning Connections Center on Floor 1.

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PARKS LIBRARY – FLOOR 2			
Periodical Room	2 PCs		PCs are networked to the laser printer in the Floor 2 Stacks, and to a photocopier in the Learning Connections Center on Floor 1.
Bookstacks	12 PCs		
Corridor, East/West	6 PCs		
PARKS LIBRARY – FLOOR 3			
Bookstacks	11 PCs		PCs are networked to the laser printer in the Floor 3 Stacks, and to a photocopier in the Learning Connections Center on Floor 1.
PARKS LIBRARY – FLOOR 4			
Special Collections	1 PC		PCs are networked to the laser printer outside Special Collections on Floor 4, and to a photocopier in the Learning Connections Center on Floor 1.
Study area just outside Special Collections	2 PCs		
Bookstacks	1 PC		
PARKS LIBRARY – TIERS 1, 2, 3, 4, 5, 6, 7			
One PC per tier (on the west wall)	7 PCs		Each PC is networked to a specific public laser printer (based on proximity), and to a photocopier in the Learning Connections Center on Floor 1.
BRANCH FACILITIES AND LIBRARY STORAGE BUILDING			
Design Reading Room	5 PCs		All PCs are networked to onsite laser printers and/or photocopiers.
Physical Sciences Rdg Room	5 PCs	SciFinder Scholar.	
Veterinary Medical Library	10 PCs		
Library Storage Building	1 PC		

Note for LAPTOP USERS: Wireless data access is available throughout most of the Parks Library and branches. In Parks Library, electrical outlets can be found in carrels along the west wall on Lower Level and on Floors 2-4. On Tiers 1-7, many carrels on the east wall have electrical outlets built into their overhead lamps. Some study tables on Floor 1 (Learning Connections Center), Floor 2 (Periodical Room), and Floor 3 have built-in electrical outlets. Laptops can enable printing to selected printers in Parks Library by installing the PaperCut client via <https://www.sitelicensed.iastate.edu/software/windows/PRINT>. For a list of printer queue names in the ISU Library system, see http://www.lib.iastate.edu/services1/other/laser_printing.html.