

# LIBRARY UPDATE

Keeping you up to date with what's happening in the Library

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## Library Opening Hours update

**Monday 26th April - Friday 21<sup>st</sup> May:**

Monday-Friday: **09:00–21:00**

Saturdays and Sundays: **09:00–17:00**

<https://www.strath.ac.uk/library/openinghours/>

From Saturday 22<sup>nd</sup> May the Library will revert to summer opening hours.

## Accessing eBooks guidance

The Library has produced guidance for students on using eBooks in the formal assessment period. Colleagues might also find the updated eBooks LibGuide useful: <https://guides.lib.strath.ac.uk/ebooks>

## Library Lounge: Virtual Study Sessions

The Library is offering Virtual study sessions. An alternative way to study with other students in an online managed study environment:

<https://bookings.strath.ac.uk/Home/Course/5713>

## Academic Library Skills Myplace module

Work is under way to develop more topics for the Academic Library Skills Myplace module, including Advanced SUPrimo and Referencing using EndNote Online:

<https://classes.myplace.strath.ac.uk/course/view.php?id=25507>

## Subscriptions Review

Library staff are preparing documentation for the annual review of journal and database subscriptions, and we'll be in touch with Library Representatives soon. Details of the process are available here: <https://www.strath.ac.uk/professionalservices/is/policies/libraryreps/>

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*Library!*

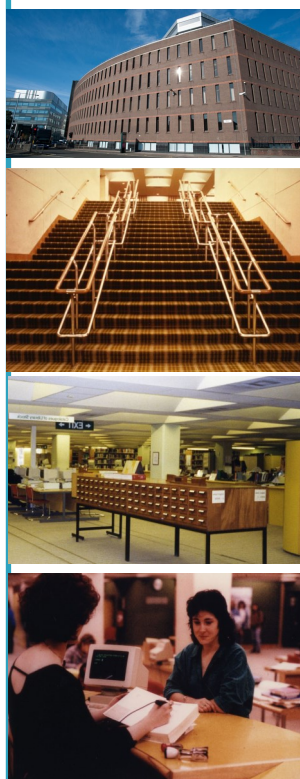
*celebrating 40*

*years in the Curran*

*Building 2021.*

*All photos courtesy of [Strathclyde](#)*

*[Archives:](#)*



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## FreshChat online chat service

Library staff have been engaged with a pilot of a Chat service on the Library webpages. Customers had the opportunity to 'chat' with Library staff Monday-Friday between 11am-3pm. We'll be trialling this service again in the next Academic year.



## Fresh Service Online Support Portal

Just a reminder that everyone can view IT and Library support available in the online support portal.

<https://helpdesk.strath.ac.uk/support/home>

## Integrated Workflow LibGuide

Colleagues in The Scholarly Publications and Research Data team have produced a new LibGuide on the integrated workflow for publications and datasets: <https://guides.lib.strath.ac.uk/integratedworkflow>

## Scottish Election Ephemera collection

Don't throw away leaflets that drop through your door for the forthcoming Scottish Parliament elections. Pass them on to our colleagues in [Archives and Special Collections](#)

## Level 3 Redevelopment

Work on the Level 3 redevelopment is well underway with the work scheduled to be completed in summer 2021. Plans are to include more group study space and new, larger windows to bring in more natural light. A 'wellbeing wall' with messages of support is in place for the formal assessment period.

