Welcome to Weis Library!

Part 2: Print Collections • Special Collections

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Weis Library has over 700,000 print and digital information resources to meet the research needs of students, faculty, and staff.
The library’s print resources are grouped into several distinct collections within its building.
The library’s major print collections include the:

- Reference Collection
- Circulating Collection
- Periodicals Collection
The **Reference Collection** contains books like dictionaries and encyclopedias that can be used in the library, but cannot be borrowed by students, faculty, or staff.
The **Circulating Collection** includes all the fiction and nonfiction books that students, faculty, and staff are permitted to borrow from the library.
The **Periodicals Collection** contains print copies of the journals and magazines to which the library has subscriptions.
Weis Library also maintains three special collections:

- Heritage Room
- Curriculum Library
- Music Library

A special collection is a library of information resources focused on a specific subject or discipline.
The **Heritage Room** is a special collection of books, journals, and other publications that were written by or about Seventh-day Adventists.
The Curriculum Library is a special collection of books, textbooks, and children’s literature to support education majors and teaching professionals.
The **Music Library** is a special collection of music scores and recordings that is located in the Music Building and supports the academic programs of music students and faculty.
For more information on the topics covered in this presentation, please see:

**About Weis Library**

**The Margaret J. von Hake Adventist Heritage Room**

**Education Databases & the Curriculum Library**

**Music Databases and the Music Library**

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