Carey S. Thomas Library Global Learning Policy

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The Carey S. Thomas Library of Denver Seminary provides applicable resources and services for Denver Seminary students designated as Global students. Delivery of library materials to Global students may take the form of: (1) E-mail, where journal articles, chapters, or essays are scanned and e-mailed to students; (2) EBooks, which are downloaded directly by the students. (3) Library Electronic reserves on Moodle

Library Services

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- All Denver Seminary students are eligible to access any electronic database available through Denver Seminary and Carey S. Thomas Library. Remote access to electronic databases is provided with remote access usernames and passwords. For access information, see our <u>Remote Access</u> page.
- All Denver Seminary students are eligible to borrow any EBooks available through the Carey S. Thomas Library. Generally, EBooks are available for a 7-day checkout.
- Global students may borrow up to 26 general collection books from the Denver Seminary Library (including libraries at branch campuses if located within 50 miles of their residence) for up to six weeks at a time. Reserve items may also be checked out, based on the rules in place at each library. Global students are personally responsible for returning any borrowed materials to the library.

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