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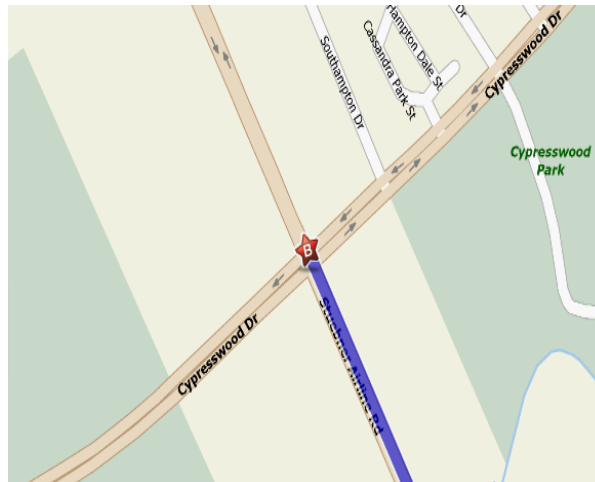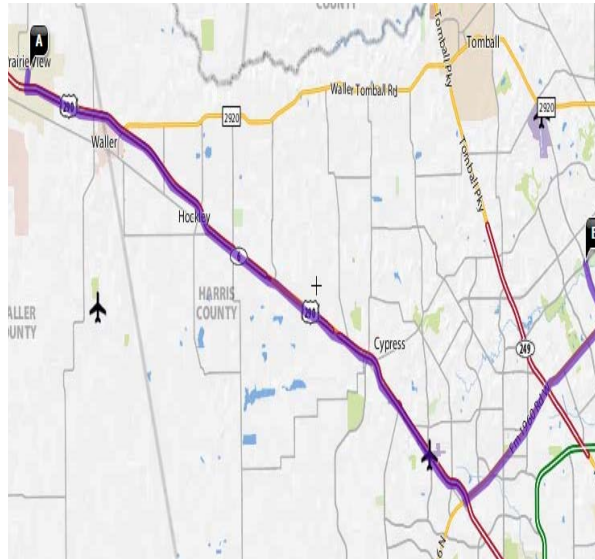*713-790-7280*
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Directions from Prairie View A&M University to Northwest Campus:

- From Williams St/FM 1098 take the 290 E ramp
- Continue on 290 E approximately 25.5 miles
- Turn left onto TX-6
- TX-6 becomes FM 1960
- Turn left on FM 1960 onto Stuebner Airline Road
- End at Stuebner Airline Road and Cypresswood Drive

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John B. Coleman Library

Distance Library Services @ Northwest Campus

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http://www.pvamu.edu/pages/3664.asp

What is Distance Library Services

The John B. Coleman Library extends library services to off campus students and faculty at the Northwest Campus and to the students enrolled in Prairie View A&M University Dallas courses.

Distance Library Services include:

- Professional library staff trained in online and distance education technology and resources

- Reference assistance (face-to-face at the Northwest campus and through the **"Ask a Librarian"** email **http://www.pvamu.edu/pages/3640.asp**)

… For Students

Students can access reserves material from anywhere in the world 24/7.

The Eres electronic reserve system allows faculty to download required readings into a online format easily accessible from the Coleman library website:
http://pvamu.docutek.com

- Access to reserves and document delivery (through the interlibrary loan and Eres (online reserves system)
  http://pvamu.docutek.com

- Instruction sessions and workshops including: how to use the library catalog and how to search journal databases; copyright and plagiarism; citation styles; grant research and grant proposal writing

- Northwest Campus includes a computer lab and small library with check out privileges
  Please call for office hours: 713-790-7282

Remote Access to Databases

The John B. Coleman Library has many databases which due to licensing restrictions limit access to campus IP addresses only . You must have a valid student ID.

Students must update their student information every semester with the library staff to continue access to library resources.

Faculty and staff remain in the system and do not need re-verification. For more information please check the website:
http://www.pvamu.edu/pages/3585.asp

… For Northwest Campus Faculty

Instruction Sessions
Available for Your Class

- How to use the Library Catalog. How to find books, journals and other resources that the library owns
- Library Use policies
- Searching basics for general interest databases, ProQuest, EbscoHost, JStor etc.
- Subject specific databases
- Citation styles APA, MLA, and other citation styles
- Newspaper, magazines vs. journals. Differences between primary and secondary sources
- Evaluating resources: Online resources and traditional resources evaluation
- Locating full-text when you only have a citation: E-Journals searching and locating a particular item through a citation
- Building a search strategy: Broadening or narrowing a search through building search blocks; identifying keywords. Boolean logic
- Copyright and Plagiarism: Ethical use of information
- Grant research and proposal writing

Please contact the Distance Services Librarian to schedule an instruction session.
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