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Library Offers No-Cost Academic Assistance

Natchitoches, LA, August 26, 2021 – Did you know live tutors, job search assistance, and academic and career resources are all available from your local library? The only thing you need is your free Natchitoches Parish Library (NPL) card!

Whether you need help with math homework, an English paper, finding a job, or preparing for a test, the NPL's free database, HomeworkLouisiana, can help! With Homework LA, NPL patrons can access free online tutoring and academic resources from Tutor.com. Kindergarten through college, students can get help in math, science, social studies, reading, and English from a live tutor, 7 days a week, from 2 PM until midnight. The HomeworkLouisiana Online Classroom is designed to optimize a one-on-one learning session. This includes real-time chat, an interactive whiteboard, and math tools (drag and drop shapes, commonly used equations, graphing paper, and much more). A student and tutor can also share files or browse educational resources on the web. Students can upload assignments with the snap of a picture and their tutors can start helping you with an assignment right away. Plus, there is even a Parent Coaching option, so adults can get help on explaining their kids' assignments beforehand.

One-on-one, real-time assistance with job searching is also available. You can get help navigating online job sites, completing applications, writing or reviewing resumes and cover letters, and even partaking in practice interviews.

All services can be accessed from a home computer, mobile device, or the NPL computer lab by visiting homeworkla.gov.

Another NPL database, Learning Express, offers several learning centers depending on a user's needs. One of these is the School Center, which includes skill-building resources for classroom and homework success. This is broken up into elementary, middle, and high school assistance. Students can drill down to a specific area they would like help with, such as American History, Geometry, or Word Analogies.

Learning Express also offers the College Admissions Test Preparation Center, where students can practice for important exams like the ACT, SAT, AP Tests, and more. In this center, students can view test prep tutorials, take timed and untimed practice tests, and download up-to-date test prep eBooks for further study. This service is accessible through the NPL's database page at natlib.org.

For more information regarding no-cost academic services, you may visit either library branch location, call 318-357-33280, or message the NPL on Facebook.

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-HomeworkLA logo.jpg

-LearningExpress logo.jpg

About the Natchitoches Parish Library

Knowledge. Connection. Community. The Natchitoches Parish Library serves the public and community through its competent and friendly staff by providing services and programs aimed at meeting the informational, recreational, and educational needs of our patrons. We seek to provide a beneficial and usable collection of information and activities to connect Natchitoches Parish residents to the world.