Thank you, Preeti.

As Preeti said, my name is Marsha Stacey. I'm one of the any librarians and thank you, Preeti and Marilyn, for covering the chat.

If you have any questions as we go along, folks,

type your questions in the chat. They will try to respond. And then I will stop and ask if there's questions and we can field those questions. A couple times during the webinar, too.

This is the Getting Started on the Online Library Webinar and some of your instructors have offered you extra credit for attending this webinar. If you registered, you will receive an email following this presentation, this webinar, with a link to an attendance quiz. Don't worry about that. It's not very hard. Just listen up.

And take the quiz and you'll receive your results by email. And then you can forward that email to your instructor.

So, and if there's any questions as you're going along

About that, we'll try to cover those questions, too, either

I'm here today to give you a tour of the NAI Online Library and the Writing Center and also get you started on your research.
So first question, how do I get to the library? Well, this is my D2L homepage. On your homepage, you should see a link to the Online Library up in the left hand corner.

And you can click on that link, it'll take you directly to the Online Library. There's also a link to Smart Thinking tutoring and this is your free online tutoring service that you get as a student at NAU.

You can get help in many of your classes. And also you could submit a paper for review. You have to pick a couple areas that you want the tutors to look at on your paper. But I've gotten very good results from students who sent their papers to Smart Thinking.

So, try that out sometime. There's a link here and there's one also in the student portal.

You can also go to one of your courses.

And go to course materials.

And there will be a link to the online library in those course materials.

And this is our present online library. And you can also get here by just typing in the browser address box library.national.edu and there's also a link through the student portal to the library. And this is our present library, we're going to be doing a little revising or remodeling of our library.

But you will see similar drop-down menus on our new homepage, where you can get the same resources that I'm going to show you today. So
no worries on that. We’ll come back to these subject tabs a little bit later, but let's scroll down to the

Bottom of the page. You're going to see five squares. There's the Writing Center, a link to the Writing Center here, a link to Learning Express, which is one of our databases and I'll get back to that in a minute.

There's an interlibrary loan form that you can fill out, if you can't find a full text article that you want in our databases. And then there's a link to career support, and a very important page: a link to a page where you can find your librarian.

And this lists are our librarians by subject. Oh, and so if you need some help in a particular area. You can contact that subject librarian.

Let's go back to our homepage of our library.

And let's scroll up here. Let's go back down here and just take a look at Learning Express for a few minutes. We click on Learning Express.

You may have some assignments using this database. So I want to kind of introduce you to it. You will have to sign into the library like you always do with your first name dot last name@national.edu

But, in addition to that, it's going to ask you to register. See, it already knows me. If you're a new user, they're going to ask you to register. This is kind of a special database. And if you click on Register, it's a really simple process.

You put in your first name, last name, choose one of your other emails, not your NAU email. Choose a Hotmail, or Gmail account, and then a pretty simple password that you can write it down somewhere. So you can remember it.
Let’s see, so once you've registered...

And you've logged in, you're able to log in. Okay, there we go. It'll take you back to your homepage and it'll show you some centers and the Job and Career Accelerator. It is one that some courses use and you'll explore some occupations using this center in Learning Express.

The other one that I want to show you. You might have to use PowerPoint or Excel spreadsheets. And if you've never used this - this is a good place for you to come and get some tutorials on how to use those popular software tools.

So here's some tutorials that you can get to, on Excel, PowerPoint, even Word if you need a little refresher course on that.

Any questions on Learning Express? Type them in the chat and we'll see if we can answer them.

Okay, I'm going to go back to the main page of the library.

Okay, let's scroll back up to the top here.

So let's say you need to find some information for a discussion or an assignment or maybe you need to write a whole paper and need peer-reviewed articles.

The place to start is the subject guides. If you click on the subject guides,

If you've looked at them before, we made a few changes here. We've got quite a few more guides than we used to.
And I'm going to show you one of those guides, just to get you started. Show you the criminal justice guide.

And most of those guides are

Organized. All of them are organized with a left directory and they have many of these same categories - find journal articles, find eBooks, maybe some websites, and recommended webinars and videos. So when you get to your subject, you might want to come back here and look at your subject area LibGuide.

The other neat thing that we have. And I'm going to go back to that list of LibGuides. And the other neat thing that you're going to find on this page is what we call the LibAnswers.

If you're working on an assignment at midnight, and you need an answer about how to do something in the library, click on LibAnswers.

And we have some of the most popular questions that we received over here in the left hand side. But you can also just type your question in: like I can't log into the library.

And it'll come up with this, this question and answer for you that will help you. If we haven't answered the question, if it doesn't appear in our FAQs, then submit a question here. It's a form you can fill out, submit the question, and we'll get back to you just as soon as we can.

Okay, let's go back to our pages. Subject Guides.

Scroll down to webinars.
Oops. Library webinars, and I have prepared a LibGuide for this webinar. So if you have questions, you can come back and use this.

Getting Started with the NAU Online Library LibGuide anytime. There's something that, oh gosh, I remember what she said - something about peer-reviewed articles, click on the link to the LibGuide.

You can refer back to this at any time. So you can use Google for quick answers. I mean, like, who's the cast of Criminal Minds, in the cast of Criminal Minds, but Google, you have to sift through all of those ads that are disguised as articles.

And are any of those things you find online. Are they credible or reliable?

Do you really want to use them in your homework?

You can be sure the information that you get from the Online Library is credible, is reliable, and you can use it in your assignments, your discussions. We recommend it. In fact, for example, some of you may be choosing a topic for your paper.

So we have a couple of databases here for that. And I'm going to click on the first one, the SIRS Issue Researcher.

And this database lays, has topic pages that lay out the viewpoints, the arguments on both, or maybe there's even more sides to an issue. Current events usually, current topics, that you're going to hear about in the news.
And there's some real popular ones up here at the top in the pictures. The middle column, if you scroll down the topics that they have, are laid out in alphabetical order.

So if you have a topic you like, you can see if you can find it in the list. There's also some broad subject categories over here in the left. You can choose one of those you're interested in and see what the topics are under that.

Also, if you are thinking about a topic or you've got a keyword, you can type it into the box up here, and it'll search for you.

And this is a good place to explain that our databases don't like complete sentences.

So try to think of the most important words that you want to find in an article here on SIR Researcher and just type the keyword or keywords in, not a whole sentence.

So I'm interested in driverless cars and I see that there's a topic here - “driverless vehicles.” I can click on the picture or I can scroll down here and find it in the list. It'll be the same. I’ll show you how you can do this - driverless vehicles. I'm going to click on that.

And this is a main category. So they have a summary of this topic with the question.

Do the benefits of driverless vehicles outweigh the risks?

And they give you an introduction. Driverless vehicles, also called autonomous vehicles and self-driving vehicles, are vehicles that can operate without human intervention.
Wow. I see some synonyms there. So words that mean the same thing as driverless cars. So I want to keep track of those because those are important. You might want to vary your searches as you go along.

Supporters argue: they tell you the positions. Here are the arguments in favor of driverless vehicles.

Critics argue these are the negative arguments - arguments against using driverless vehicles. So they kind of give me some really good ideas that I can use. This is background information.

And then they'll make an affirmative statement of each position. Driverless vehicles have many benefits and they talk about - they give the examples. Driverless vehicles pose too many risks - they give you the counter arguments.

And I've read - I went back and read all six of these articles. Now these aren't peer-reviewed articles - they're news articles, but they're highly credible and they're going to give you ideas

On what you should look for in peer-reviewed articles, if that's the requirement for your paper or your class. And the first one I read is here - The Driverless Future is Still Far Off.

It's a very credible argument from The Baltimore Sun newspaper. Fairly recent and what's really interesting here - it gave me the information here - is it defined self-driving.

and driverless and driver assistance. And that's something that's really important in your own writing. You want to make sure that you explain what you're talking about to your audience. They may not know what these different terms mean.

So that's a good thing to look for when you're looking for sources, too. Do they have some definitions that I can use?
The other article I read is: “Driverless Cars Make Me Nervous. Then I Tried One.” I clicked on this.

And I read through this. It is about somebody's personal account of using a semi-driverless car.

And if I scroll down, here is a paragraph that really, really resonated with me. Technology Creates an Opportunity to Save Lives. Computers don't get drowsy, drunk, or distracted by text messages, and they don't have blind spots.

And it goes on to talk about how once airlines were automated, this reduced the crashes. Those are really good ideas that I want to keep in my mind as I search along. And I’m also going to look for negative type arguments, because

A good writer always looks for the counter arguments and tries to minimize those. Especially if I'm going to be a proponent of driverless cars, I want to minimize or try to find evidence that minimizes the risks of using those vehicles.

Okay, this article talks about the driving ban on cars in India where there's a fear that

people will be out of jobs. Also the hackers that could interfere with the operation of these vehicles. So, these, this has given me a lot of ideas that

that I want to look for.

Okay, I'm going to go back to my LibGuide.

Here we go. There are two other databases that have really good ideas for topics: NBC Learn, which has a lot of videos. Also, Points of View Reference Center.
But I still need some background information. I don't know that much about these driverless vehicles. So I'm going to go to our Credo General Reference, it's a great place to find -

What it actually pulls from lots of specialty encyclopedias, so you could call it a Mega Encyclopedia

If Credo doesn't come up the first time you click on it - sometimes it'll give you a little error message. Just go back

To the link. That's the LibGuide or if you're on the database proper and just click it again. It'll come through. It came through for me. So it's a little wonky sometimes. I'm going to type driverless

Cars.

In my search bar.

I'm going to do a basic search.

I come up with kind of an interesting article here. The first one. Will You Climb In ...

Click on that link.

There's actually a diagram of how a Chevy Bolt works.

That's very interesting. It'll explain more - it gives me more background.
There's also some more information about

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How driverless cars came about.

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And then there's a little paragraph on the argument. What's the argument for driverless cars?

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And here's one that's really interesting to me. They also note that autonomous cars would be a boon to the disabled, the elderly, not to mention the cyclists and pedestrians who make up a large share of global victims. Ah.

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There's a great argument, okay I'm in favor of but I'm going to keep that one in mind, too.

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One kind of fun thing with Credo is I can take this word, and I could make a mind map.

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And a mind map helps you understand where driverless cars fit in the scheme of things. It gives you some related terms like this “intelligent transportation system.” I read that in one of those other articles.

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What is that? It might be something you want to explain to your audience. So, so this is kind of a fun thing. It gives you kind of a unique perspective on your topic.

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Preeti, do we have any questions that I could answer? Okay, that sounds great.

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At this point, I have a pretty good rough draft for my thesis statement— that's my affirmative statement of my position on driverless vehicles.

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I'm going to start off with driverless cars will result in improved commuting, changed lives for the disabled and elderly,
And reduced air pollution. That's just my draft. Now I've got to go out and I've got to look for peer-reviewed articles on this topic.

On these three things, I want to find articles that are going to back up my arguments.

And peer-reviewed articles are those articles that are written by experts in a particular field. And then they were reviewed by other experts to make sure that the writers have used good research methods.

So I'm going to go to find journal articles here.

And I have set up some search boxes for some general databases.

The EBSCO databases. And as you can see, it knows me, so I'm going to use the first search here: “driverless cars.” Now, let's see. I'm going to search the EBSCO databases for peer-reviewed articles. We've already got it limited here: full text and peer reviewed.

So they can just click that.

And we're going to search

See what they come up with

Okay, pretty good search results. I want to make sure that I have the most recent articles. You can see the full text is checked and scholarly peer-reviewed is checked.

I want to limit my results to more recent articles. Let's go five years. So I want to limit it, I'm going to move the slider to 2013.
And it's updating for me.

And this is great. I have 27 articles, but you know what? I want to focus on, to start with, to start with the benefits or the advantages of using these kind of cars. What this is going to do for me when I do this search, it is going to come up with articles that talk about driverless cars.

The word benefits or the word advantages is going to show up in that same article. I’m given a couple choices here, but the word and means the article has to have both driverless cars AND all those other words. So I’m going to do my search again.

And that limits quite a bit. But now I can be more focused in my research and what I'm going to do is I'm going to read through the titles and the subjects here.

Oh gosh, driverless okay. Autonomous vehicles. There we go, that looks good - intelligent transportation systems. These are the subjects that the people that have put databases together have given.

Automated privacy challenges - kind of a legal topic. Well, I might come back to that.

Autonomous drones. No, I don't think so. I don't think we're talking about that today.
Impacts of autonomous vehicles on consumer time-use patterns. That talks about commuting - commuters. That might be interesting. I might come back. I'm going to go through my articles and look at those things. Go back to the ones that are of interest to me.

Sample

The Driverless City. Let's click on the PDF full text.

And

This looks interesting. And I'm going to read, usually there's like a little -

there might be a larger abstract. This one's pretty short but I always read kind of the summary or abstract that's at the beginning of the article.

"Using a systematic approach today’s engineers could create more environmentally responsible … That's one of my interests.

Safe - again another interest and sustainable transportation systems for the cities of the future. Okay, this one looks like I should read it. So I'm going to read through the introduction. Ah.

An increasingly important question is the need to provide better access to transportation for the elderly and disabled.
I'm going to continue reading this because it looks like it has some information that I could use to support my arguments. Sure enough, they list the benefits of those of autonomous vehicles: fewer accidents, better gas mileage. And my job is going to be to summarize and synthesize this information, and prove my argument to my audience.

So what I want to do is - I probably want to keep this article so I can download it. as a PDF. I can also email it to myself. And the advantage of that is that I can ask it to give me the APA citation to go with this article, but you should always check the citation before you actually use it in your paper. You have to, and that reminds me. I want to remind you that we will have an APA webinar in early January.

So, and we'll help you figure out how to correct these citations if they're not exactly the way they're supposed to be. Sometimes they're very good, the databases, but they don't always get perfect citations. You have to check them.

Okay. Um, I'm going to continue through my list of articles and look for both arguments for driverless vehicles and maybe I might want to change the search and look for disadvantages to.

So, before we go on, does anybody have any questions about EBSCO?
We do have a question.

about: Is there a way to the references that the article used?

Oh, of course. Let's click on this PDF. That's an excellent idea that they will come through in the full text. Let's see if this one's a good one. Let's go back to it.

Let's see. This one may not have them, although we do have the writer in his information. Let's look at another one that's, uh, let's look at another one in our list here.

Okay, let's go to this one, this one might have what we call. Let's see what this PDF

Let's see. Okay.

Some might have footnotes

or they could have the references at the end. It depends on the type of article. This happens to be a law review article so they have footnotes.

Can take a look at those or, let's see. Let's find one with ...

Ah, this one might help us out. Let's see.

It should have them at the end. Yes, this does have all of the references at the end. So look for footnotes or look for references at the end. Okay.
Marsha

I think the student was actually wondering how to reference the article itself. Is there a tool that creates a Reference for you?

Oh yes, the email. Let's look at that's ain APA, you can have it sent to you, so it will give you a reference citation and you can find a citation right down here. Okay.

In the citation format, here's your APA one that the database gives you. And like I said earlier, make sure you want to check that against our APA resources to make sure that is correct.

You did answer the question for the student.

Okay.

And I'll show you how to do that. And the next set of databases to

Oh, also really quick.

If you can show how to show students how to find the permalink.
Ah, yes. That's a good idea. I should have stayed in there. Let's see. We'll try this one. If you go to the right hand side, there's a little link here.

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And if you click on that link, you will be given a permalink up at the top of the page - right there. So you have printed. You can also download it. You could email it to yourself, put it into a folder, you'd have to create your own folder in

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EBSCO

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And the citation and you have a permalink right there.

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Okay, great. Good questions. Excellent.

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Okay, let's go back to

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the results list and find my

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There we go. Okay.

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Let's go to the ProQuest databases. They are ...

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They work the same. They look a little different. I'm going to try some synonyms here. Let's give the database a little harder job. And I'm going to use some parentheses

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like I did. Driverless or that word autonomous and I hope I can spell it.

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I wanted to pull up either driverless or autonomous
And I want to know about the benefits or advantages.

So let's see what comes up. We'll show you what that search looks like.

Here I put the words in parentheses because I want it to look for driverless. The database. Look for driverless or autonomous.

And I also want to find in the same articles, the words benefits or advantages. But I'm keeping these together in parentheses, so it knows either this one or this word. This word or this word.

And this - we've set the ProQuest search box to search for full text or peer reviewed. Also, the check marks don't show up. But we have set it up so that when you use that search box you will get peer reviewed and full text articles. I do have to - I want to limit it again to the last five years, because I want more recent articles.

And I look at the titles. Again, this looks very

Here’s a possible article to read: The autonomous car - a blessing or a curse for the future of carbon, of low carbon mobility.

Implications of autonomous vehicles for planners perspective.

Driverless vehicles: opportunity for further greenhouse gas emission reductions. Very good. This is another one of my topics. I’ll probably really want to take a close look at this one.
So I'm going to click full text PDF

So I want to read it right now.

And it has a longer

abstract, but this is a really good thing to take a look at first. You want to kind of weed out those articles you don't really want to

read. Fully automated driverless vehicles will likely drastically change the way people and goods are transported, implicating land use and transportation.

They would not only provide a convenient means of transportation to many, but also become an effective tool

To reduce transportation related greenhouse gas emissions. Yes, that's definitely one of the arguments I want to make.

So I'm going to be reading this article, and I go through the whole thing. I'm going to read the introduction. Now, some people say, well,

I don’t want to read all the scientific data from how they created this. If you’ve got a very scientifically-based article, try to read the abstract, the introduction, go to the conclusions

if they have some. Look at the end and then see what their conclusions are. Then go back and work your way through the scientific information. What's important is you understand what the results of their tests were.

That's what's the important part of it. And how they conducted their tests and some of the details. Maybe you're not a big statistician or
whatever, but you will understand, you need to read these articles three, maybe more times, to truly get the information out of them.

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And again, I'm going to synthesize and I'm going to summarize this information for my audience.

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And again, you can download the PDF. You can email it to yourself.

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With the citation.

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And you can check the citation here. So I'll open that up so you can see. Here's their citation. Again, make sure you check it against our APA resources. Come to our APA webinar. Learn all about it, but check the citation to make sure it's correct.

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Um, if you would like the permalink to this article, click on abstract details, scroll down,

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and you will find the document.

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Right here.

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Right there.

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Any questions about this database. We doing pretty good.

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Okay.

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Somebody gave me the thumbs up. That's kind of nice.

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One more place you can find things. I know we're getting cut kind of long here, but there's a lot of information to cover.

Um, let's go to ebooks. Somebody says, I don't want to read a whole book. Well, you don't really have to read a whole book.

I'm going to show you how. Let's go to E-books Central.

And this is the largest provider of eBooks that we have. Click on E-books Central.

Timed out. Well, I need to refresh that page. Good.

Not quite sure how that happened. There we go. Okay.

And I got a search box here. And again, it knows me it'll save my searches. So I'm going to use that same search that I used in the ProQuest databases. I really like it – it has synonyms in there to look for. I'm going to search.

And I can limit over here to the left.

Limit to the last five years here. So it doesn't have any to 2018 books. Autonomous vehicle technology guide for policymakers. I'd like to see what they have to say here. I can read this article, this book, online. So I click read online.

Folks are playing - looks like that family’s playing Scrabble in the car as they drive down the street.
Okay, and I can scroll through the book and I also can go look at the information on the side. And these little bars will tell you how many hits I'd had on my particular search terms. So I look at the summary first.

And it'll actually pop-up over on the right hand side. The first line tells me autonomous vehicle technology offers a possibility of fundamentally changing transportation.

Equipping cars and light vehicles with this technology will likely reduce crashes, energy consumption and pollution, and reduce the cost of congestion. Right on target with my topic.

So this looks interesting. I can scroll up also to the table of contents.

Always useful.

And see what the chapters actually talk about.

Kind of a preview. Ah, what are autonomous and automated vehicles? Good place for definitions.

The promise and perils of autonomous vehicle technology. “Promise” would be advantages and “perils” will be disadvantages. OK.

And I'm going to scroll down the left hand column, and I'll probably open up Chapter One and take a look at that.

Okay.

Probably this looks like it'd be a great chapter, kind of as an introduction. Gives me some information. Chapter Two.
Here’s a lot more hits. The promise and perils. So Chapters One and Two look like what I really need to read in this book.

Okay, again, I’m going to summarize this information and use it to prove my arguments in my paper.

What else do you, any other, any questions that anybody would have about eBooks, or any of the databases or go on.

I am going to go back to the online library. Let’s see.

I kind of got lost in the library. Kind of got lost a little bit here.

On the homepage. You might have problems - you’re going along, you’re using the library - you’ve got a question. I showed you how to find the LibAnswers. You could also go to our tutorials. This is in the orange tab.
And we've made quite a few little short tutorials that will help you use the library. Find peer-reviewed articles, use keywords and subject terms. Also how to use those Boolean operators. That's what AND and OR are called and also use the one NOT.

Choosing a topic. This is like a three-minute video that's excellent. And also finding credible websites. If you're, if you can use, go out and use websites. This is a good one to watch - this little tutorial.

We have some specific database tutorials for you.

And also to help use the library, we have recorded webinars. This one's being recorded, and we have some other ones that we've recorded in the past. And we've made a library guide on that. And if you click on the box, you will be taken to the webinar and you can listen to that.

And we will have transcripts coming later. And there will be quizzes coming later. But we've got these ones that we've done in the past. So you might want to scroll through.

If you use the Nexis Uni database, this is another recorded webinar. We have a Smart Thinking one and we will be replacing these and adding those transcripts and quizzes later.

Okay, I'll go back to the homepage of the library.

The green tab here is AskALibrarian. It's a form you could fill out.

And you can email it in to us. It will go in and we will answer it. Again, we monitor AskALibrarian seven days a week and questions are
answered within 24 hours, typically faster. And so, submit your question and we'll get back to you.

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Also, if you want to look for your subject librarian. We have a link here again to that page. Find Your Subject Librarian.

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Under APA style, we have a tab on that. Everybody's always interested in that APA formatting and style.

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If you've used other people's ideas, like I'm going to use ideas from those articles in my paper, I have to cite to them.

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If you haven't ever used APA before, here's the APA basics tutorial. It's five minutes. It's worth your time to go through there and get an introduction to APA style.

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Both formatting and how to do a Reference page. We have in-text citation examples, reference page examples. And here's

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What you want to call our secret weapon. This is the APA paper fillable template. So if you have to write an APA formatted paper, you can click on this link, download the document, and follow instructions to fill out the title page and start writing your paper.

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We have a new addition - APA in a minute tutorial series, that we're working on. These are short, quick video tutorials on specific APA questions you might have.

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And don't forget that APA webinar. Again, I believe it's January 7th and we'll be sending out information on how to register for that one. And Preeti will be doing that one. So please join us on January 7th.

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The other link under the APA style tab is to the Writing Center.

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And I'm just going to quickly go through this. It's getting kind of late, but the research tab goes over a lot of those things that you probably, if you're writing a paper, you really

Need some help with. This has some great short videos. All of these tabs - these different topics - how to choose a good topic and also links to our databases.

Researching a topic.

Didn't want to work for me today.

There we go. Okay.

What are peer-reviewed articles, a handout on what are peer-reviewed articles. What are credible sources of information. How to find information. Again, short videos, it's worth your while to spend the time on them.

And some more information that we've put in here from the library itself.

Organizing the information. You need an outline to hand in

We've got that. We have outline examples, blank templates. If you have to do an annotated bibliography, we have an example of one of those.

In the writing tab.

What I used, I used under drafting


I listened to some of these videos on how to write a thesis statement. That's kind of how I got my idea for a thesis statement. We also have some handouts that will help you develop your thesis statement.

On the revising and editing page.

There's a checklist of tips. I kind of like this one down here called 12 common errors, an editing checklist.

And there's an APA tab here in the Writing Center, very similar to the one we have in the library.

And if you go to the home of the Writing Center.

You will see a link to the Academic Integrity Policy.

And Askalibrarian. This is the form that you fill out for the questions. And you also have a link here to a page that explains more about Smart Thinking. It'll take you to the link in D2L.

Take you to D2L to get to Smart Thinking and also that link in the NAU student portal to Smart Thinking.

So let's go back to the homepage of the library. Again, if I can find it. It kind of disappears here some days.

Okay.

Let me go back here and then we'll click on the online library.

Everybody, that is what we have today. If you're new to the library. I hope that
this has helped you get started on your research. And if you've used the library in the past, I hope that you've learned a little something new. And remember the homepage here might look a little different, but we're going to have drop-down menus at the top.

And the same resources that you could find in the library. So as a reminder, you will receive a link to an email with the link to the quiz about an hour from now, maybe a little sooner. Who knows - we're not sure quite yet. Check your spam folder. You never know. It might get tossed into spam. Take the quiz and you'll receive an email from them that you can forward on with your results to your instructor.

And if anybody has any questions, we'll open it up to questions right now.

I'll kind of just stay here.

And I'm going to stop recording now.

So, okay.