UNIVERSITY HIGH SCHOOL

Pritzker Traubert Family Library

The Library is central to the High School program. It offers a rich supply of resources, both in support of the curriculum and for the personal growth and enrichment of each individual student. The collection includes approximately 30,000 volumes of books and 80 periodical titles, a strong reference collection, and valuable resources such as a growing collection of ebooks and audiobooks and a rich array of databases. The collection is continually updated to support the curriculum and respond to students’ and teachers’ requests.

Librarians are available at all times to help and instruct students, individually or in groups, with research and recreational reading and to work with teachers to ensure the availability of all necessary resources.

Many teachers bring their classes to the library for orientations and instruction in research and database searching. Desktop and laptop computers are available for the students. The online catalog and databases can be accessed from home at https://www.ucls.uchicago.edu/program/libraries/pritzker-traubert-library

High School students also have access to, and full privileges at, the University of Chicago libraries starting in tenth grade, or with special permission in ninth grade. The depth and breadth of the University of Chicago’s online library resources are available to all High School students from anywhere they have internet access.

For materials not available in the library, students are encouraged and assisted by school librarians in using public libraries, special libraries, and museum collections in the city.