Accessing Electronic Resources from Off Campus

UNCP students, faculty, and staff accessing electronic resources from off campus will need to have a library account and a Personal Identification Number (PIN). A library account is automatically created for all UNCP students. Information about PINs is available at www.uncp.edu/library/electronic/pin.html.

Electronic resources (databases) are listed by title and subject at www.uncp.edu/library/electronic/. Students are encouraged to use the subject pages, which lists all electronic resources by subject.

You will then see a login screen (UNCP should use the login on the right side of the screen). All library-related login screens (with the exception of Interlibrary Loan) contain three login boxes. Put your first or last name (not both) in the first box. Enter your University ID (your Banner number) in the second box, and enter your PIN in the third box and click the Submit button. The database should then open.

Many electronic resources provide full-text articles, as well as article citations, which contain important identifying information (such as author, title, and publication information) but not the actual article. Most databases provide a link (e.g., Check for full text availability) that allows you to search for the full text of an article. Assistance locating full-text articles is available from the Reference Desk at 910.521.6656.

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