

FAQ on the College of Education Tireman Library Gift to University Libraries

1. Where are the Tireman books? I was told all the Tireman books were at Zimmerman Library.

Tireman Library closed on July 30, 2010. *Some* of the Tireman collections are now housed at Zimmerman Library. The University Libraries (UL) received children's literature in the following categories: Easy Readers, Biographies, Children's and Young Adult Fiction and Nonfiction. Additionally, some non-children's literature titles were included in the gift. The books received by the University Libraries are now shelved in Zimmerman Library and in the Center for Southwest Research.

These books have been cataloged and are available for check-out. They are shelved in the new Children's Literature location in the basement of Zimmerman Library. In the coming academic year, they will be integrated with the existing children's literature collection in a new centralized location on the 3rd floor of Zimmerman Library.

The books are shelved by call number using the Library of Congress (LC) Classification System. Fiction titles fall into LC class PZ. Non-fiction titles are shelved by subject using LC subject classification. They may be searched in LIBROS, the library catalog.

Books not received

Textbooks and other associated curricular materials including kits, globes, maps, workbooks, etc. were not transferred to University Libraries. and all associated curricular materials, including kits and workbooks remain at the College of Education in Student Services Room B90. To inquire about Tireman books and other materials not transferred to University Libraries, please contact Leslie Chamberlin, saticoy@unm.edu.

The Anita Osuna Carr Collection of bilingual, bicultural materials is now housed in the Multicultural Education Center (MEC) in the University Advisement and Enrichment Center, Room B41. Dr. Rebecca Blum-Martinez is the Director of the MEC. Requests to view Carr Collection materials should be directed to Dr. Blum-Martinez.

2. What is the advantage of moving Tireman Books to University Libraries?

Access to these collections will be greatly expanded as Zimmerman Library is open later in the evening and on weekends. Tireman books may now be found in the LIBROS catalog, available online, and the books can be renewed online like other library books.

3. How can I contact the former director of Tireman Library?

Tireman Librarian, Leslie Chamberlin has moved to Room 292 in Hokona Hall. Her email address is: saticoy@unm.edu.

4. I am a graduate of the College of Education and was able to check out books from Tireman even though I was no longer a student. Will this privilege be continued by the University Libraries?

You may purchase a Community Borrower's Cards (CBC) for \$35.00 per year at the Circulation Desk of any of the UNM University Libraries branch locations. Alumni Association members with proper authorization from the UNM Alumni Office receive a \$10.00 discount on the price of a Community Borrower's Card.

5. I need access to the Tireman videos, textbooks, and curriculum kits. Where are they?

A small number of videos were transferred to the Fine Arts and Design Library. They are searchable in LIBROS. To inquire about other materials, you may contact Leslie Chamberlin, who has relocated to Room 292 in Hokona Hall. Her email address is: saticoy@unm.edu.

6. I would like to browse the Tireman collection. I don't know what I'm looking for but I'll know it when I see it.

Books received from Tireman Library may be searched in LIBROS and are shelved in the basement of Zimmerman Library. Fiction is shelved in the PZ7 section, primarily by author. Non-fiction is shelved by LC class according to subject. Some labeling from Tireman remains on the books indicating Multicultural or Native American content.

The UL also has a significant existing collection of children's literature. Children's and Young Adult fiction books are located in the PZ 7 section on the 3rd floor of Zimmerman Library, searchable in LIBROS. Non-fiction is shelved in the four University Libraries by subject. The library is in the process of transferring these non-fiction children's titles to Zimmerman Library. Some have already been transferred to the Child. Lit. section in the Basement of Zimmerman while others are still in their original locations. All are searchable in LIBROS, the library catalog. Students and faculty needing to search children's literature from Tireman Library may request assistance at the Zimmerman Information Desk on the 1st floor or speak to a reference librarian.

7. When will the Tireman books be available for checkout?

Tireman books are all now available for checkout. To search for books previously held by Tireman Library, select "Library Catalog" from the University Library home page at elibrary.unm.edu. Select "LIBROS Basic" under the search box. Enter "Tireman Gift" in the KEYWORD field. This search will return all books the UL received from Tireman.

8. Where are Tireman Books shelved?

Children's and Young Adult fiction and non-fiction books are currently shelved in the basement of Zimmerman Library, in the Child. Lit. section, behind the Theses and Dissertations. In the coming academic year, they will be integrated with the existing children's literature collection in a new centralized location on the 3rd floor of Zimmerman Library.

9. I have books checked out from Tireman and I was referred to Zimmerman Library. Can I renew those books over the telephone or online?

Books checked out from Tireman cannot be renewed over the telephone or online. The University Libraries system for cataloging and checking out materials is not compatible with the system used by Tireman Library. If you are a current student and have books checked out from Tireman Library, please bring them to Zimmerman Library Circulation Desk where they will be barcoded and checked out to you.

If you are not a student and have Tireman books checked out that you would like to renew, you have two options:

1. Bring in the books to Zimmerman Library and purchase a Community Borrower's Card (CBC). The books can then be barcoded and checked out to you and you may check out other books.
2. If you do not wish to acquire a CBC Card, please return the books to Zimmerman Library so they can be cataloged and added to the collection.

10. If I have books or other materials checked out from Tireman, can I return them to Zimmerman Library?

Yes, any materials checked out from Tireman Library can be returned to Zimmerman Library.

11. Who can I talk to about the books that the University Library didn't get from Tireman Library?

You may contact, Leslie Chamberlin, who has relocated to Room 292 in Hokona Hall. Her email address is: saticoy@unm.edu.

12. Where can I go now to find curriculum materials and textbooks up for adoption?

You may check the New Mexico Region Review Centers for Instructional Materials website at:

<http://www.ped.state.nm.us/instructionalmaterial/regionalReviewCenters.html>

Or you may contact Tireman Librarian, Leslie Chamberlin, who has relocated to Room 292 in Hokona Hall. Her email address is: saticoy@unm.edu.

13. Other questions about children's books or children's literature research?

Please contact Chris Desai, education outreach librarian, at cdesai@unm.edu.