Linking to Library Resources in Pilot

Why should you link to library resources instead of posting the PDF for your students?

Subscription and licensing agreements require students and faculty to use their own credentials to access resources.

Each time a student or faculty member uses the ezproxy link it counts a use of your journal or resource. The library uses these counts when we have to make decisions about journal, database, and resource renewals. If you post the PDF, we can count only one use of the article/journal/resource. If you post the link, we count a use each time your students click the link. That adds up to many uses for important resources.

How do you link to library resources in Pilot?

- See Pilot Resource Center Creating a Link: http://blogs.wright.edu/learn/pilotrci/creating-links/
- Combine the WSU EZProxy prefix and the resource’s stable or persistent URL

**WSU EZProxy Prefix**
http://ezproxy.libraries.wright.edu/login?url=

**stable or persistent URL from resource (example below)**
http://rave.ohiolink.edu/ejournals/article/320355556

**SAMPLE URL:**

THE URL MUST CONTAIN THE EZPROXY PREFIX TO ALLOW OFF-CAMPUS ACCESS FOR YOUR STUDENTS.

- Select the check box, Open in New Window.

What kinds of library resources may I link to from within Pilot?

Link to the full text of articles, ebooks, images, multimedia, and other library resources to your Pilot course page.

Examples include:

1. WSU Catalog Resources including ebooks
2. OhioLINK Catalog Resources including ebooks
3. EBSCO Database Articles
4. Electronic Journal Center (EJC) Articles
5. JSTOR Articles
6. Kanopy Streaming Films
7. Films on Demand Videos
8. Clinical Key Resources
9. Journals@Ovid Articles

- Each example is illustrated with a sample link below
- If you have questions or need assistance, please contact your subject librarian.
  https://libraries.wright.edu/staff/subject-lib
1. WSU CATALOG RESOURCE – exception: use the circled stable URL, do not add a proxy prefix

Use this link in pilot:

https://catalog.libraries.wright.edu/record=b3908478~S5

2. OhioLINK CATALOG RESOURCE – exception: use the circled stable URL, do not add a proxy prefix

Use this link in pilot:

https://olc1.ohiolink.edu/record=b30575358~S0
3. EBSCO DATABASE ARTICLE – use the EBSCO permalink, do not add a prefix, the permalink contains the EZproxy URL

Note: EBSCO Permalinks have already added the WSU libraries proxy URL preface. Do not add a prefix to the link.

Use this link in pilot:
4. ELECTRONIC JOURNAL CENTER (EJC) ARTICLE – use the proxy prefix - add the circled stable URL

Use this link in pilot:


5. JSTOR ARTICLES – use the proxy prefix - add the circled stable URL

Use this link in pilot:

6. KANOPY STREAMING FILMS – use the proxy prefix - add the circled Share link

Use this link in pilot:

7. FILMS ON DEMAND STREAMING VIDEO – use the Films on Demand Embed/Link without adding a proxy prefix

Use this link in pilot:

8. CLINICAL KEY RESOURCES – use the proxy prefix - add the Elsevier Clinical Key durable URL

Note: links copied from the browser address bar do not provide access to the content needed by your students.

Step 1: Select Resource Center from the Clinical Key footer at the bottom of the page

Step 2: Select Implementation from the left menu

Step 3: Scroll to Durable URLs. Download the appropriate spreadsheet.

Step 4: Find the resource title and copy the address

Step 5: Use the proxy prefix - add the Elsevier Clinical Key durable URL

Use this link in pilot:

This sample link is to the book Robbins and Cotran Pathologic Basis of Disease.
9. Journals@Ovid Articles – use the proxy prefix - add the circled Ovid Jumpstart URL

View the article pdf then select *Email Jumpstart*.

Use this link in pilot: