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TEXAS TECH

# A QUICK NOTE FROM THE LIBRARIES

## Preserving the Legacy of the Ranching Southwest

The Southwest Collection/Special Collections Library at Texas Tech is home to one of the **largest ranching archive in the world**. These records tell the powerful story of ranching in Texas and the American Southwest—stories that shaped the land, the people and our way of life.

Our collection includes historic ranches like the **Matador, 6666, JA and Mallet**, and we're proud that researchers, writers and filmmakers from around the globe come here to learn from what we've preserved.

There is still more history to protect. We're always seeking new ranch records and stories, especially from counties not yet represented in our archive.

### You can help.

If you or someone you know has ranching records—or if you'd like to support the preservation of ranching history through a gift—please contact us. Your support ensures these stories are never lost to time.

Let's keep the Southwest alive—**one story, one brand, one record at a time**.



## H E B



Since 2022, H E B has generously partnered with the University Libraries and provided **Fuel for Finals** - water and snacks for students to refuel while studying in the Library, which is open 24/7 during fall and spring finals.

## PODCAST STUDIOS



Thanks to generous donors **Todd and Linda Smith**, the Library offers two reservable podcast studios, each with the equipment and software needed to record, edit and produce professional quality podcasts. The service is free for all Texas Tech students, faculty and staff.

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## DMS EQUIPMENT



The Library's **Dynamic Media Services** located on the second floor offers a variety of equipment for checkout, including digital cameras, GoPro cameras, microphones, lighting kits, projectors and much more.



# ENHANCED STUDY SPACES



**In response to students' requests for more comfortable study spaces,** the Library has added versatile pieces with charging capabilities in several public areas, including the Croslin Room, ground floor and fifth floor stacks.

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