



OPEN EDUCATIONAL RESOURCES

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Agenda

- What is OER
- SUNY OER Initiative
- Where can I find OER resources and support
- Incentives
- Questions?

Open Educational Resources

Open Educational Resources(OER) are teaching, learning, and research resources that reside in the public domain or have been released under an intellectual property license that permits their free use and repurposing by others (a Creative Commons License).

An OER course

- ❖ At least 51% of the material must be OER
- ❖ Doesn't mean that there is no cost to student
- ❖ However, free doesn't always mean OER, either

SUNY OER Initiative

\$4 million

- Given to SUNY to distribute to campuses

\$20 thousand

- Each campus receives investigate/implement OER

\$8 per student enrolled in OER high enrollment-gen ed course

\$15 per student if all sections of the course are OER

INCENTIVES

Faculty
incentives to
adopt

Training and
support
available

3 year
commitment
to teach
course OER

Where can I find OER?

- <http://open-nys.org/> - SUNY created website
- <https://textbooks.opensuny.org/> - SUNY Open Textbooks
- <https://openstax.org/> Open textbooks
- [Lumen Learning](#) – full courses and more - \$10/student paid by SUNY this year
- **WITH HELP FROM YOUR LIBRARIAN!**



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information!

Watch for
more
information in
the Daily
Eagle!



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