I am the Library Cat. If you PAWS to wonder if I am a panther, a puma, a mountain lion, a leopard, a jaguar, or a tabby, check out my weekly column in the Crimson or find me prowling around the Library, helping out. I help out with LC (Good initials!); ok, Library of Congress Subject Headings. Sets of big red books on every floor. Great for research concepts.

“There are painters who transform the sun to a yellow spot, but there are others who with the help of their art and their intelligence, transform a yellow spot into the sun.”
- Pablo Picasso (1881–1973)

LIBRARY DISPLAYS

A brand-new display is featured in the Evans Library. The first-floor lobby is now home to “Recycling Reality”. This interactive, multi-faceted exhibit highlights the good news and the not-so-good news about recycling. In partnership with Brevard County’s Solid Waste Management Department, the Library is showcasing books, government documents, journals, and so much more on this timely topic. Also included are by-products of blue jeans, money, and plastic soda bottles. By the way, November 15th is America Recycles Day!

Continuing in the Evans Library is a lobby display on “The Arts”. Featured are information resources on musical and visual arts. Touchable wood sculptures by Florida Tech’s own Larry Buist are nearby.

Web counterparts of Library displays are part of a LINK archive at www.lib.fit.edu/pubs/librarydisplays.

DID YOU KNOW?

The Library recycles! Staff members “support the cause” by placing aluminum cans, plastic bottles, newspapers, and paper in containers that are found in its behind-the-scenes areas, such as its staff lounge and its mail room.

PENCIL MADE OF MONEY??!!

Library visitors can obtain a free pencil made from recycled currency by answering one of four questions related to the “Recycling Reality” display. The questions are: 1. Why is recycling important? 2. What ways have you noticed recycling occurring on the Florida Tech campus? 3. How could the Florida Tech campus increase participation in the recycling efforts? 4. How do you personally participate in recycling efforts? After submitting the answer at the Service Desk, participants receive a free recycled-currency pencil.