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POLITICAL SCIENCE AND SOCIOLOGY  
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sociology

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political science

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PR and Advertising

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Psychology

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Journalism

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Secondary Education (Social Science)

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Public Relations & Advertising

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Music Performance

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BFA Acting

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Education

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Business Management

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## 6. What is your preferred method of obtaining your course textbooks?

### Other:

Borrow from library using I-Share

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Borrow from library

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I-share and library rentals

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I rent book from the library.

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If they are not available on ISHARE, I buy them online.

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Ishare

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Borrow from Library

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I-share from the library

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In addition to renting

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Torrent Site or Project Gutenberg if they are older books, or older editions online if I must

## 7. What motivates the decision to obtain your textbooks?

Other:

If I absolutely need them for the course

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I dont

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need for class

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The absolute chepeast

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## 10. Why do you obtain your textbooks the way you do?

It saves the most money while I can still get the material I need for classes.

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It's the least expensive way.

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Very simple, cheaper, and more convenient. As soon as I am done with them, I ship them for free back and receive more money back then I would from the bookstore.

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Convenient and cheap!

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It's convenient because the bookstore is close to me.

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Cheaper than bookstore

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It's free.

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It's easiest to get the books from the bookstore but sometimes when I can I opt for the cheaper versions on Amazon. The most convenient part about the bookstore is that it is on campus, they know exactly which versions of the book I need and they take them back (even if they don't pay me back very generously)

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Because it is connected to campus connect and super quick and easy.

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It really comes down to price; I'm always looking out for the best deals. In my experience, I've found that Amazon tends to have the lowest prices on books. I also tend to shop from there because I currently have an Amazon student account, which gives me free shipping on a lot of items.

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Much cheaper option

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Prices. In my opinion they are not used enough for me to purchase them. I only buy if I will use them after the course.

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It's cheap and I can always resell them if I don't use them/write in them.

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Because I need them for class.

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I would rather get them on Amazon, but I end up renting from the bookstore because I need them by a certain time.

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I buy used and International Editions to save \$50-100 per book.

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Because textbooks can be very expensive and as a college student I don't have the luxury of buying them all.

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It quick, cheap, and easy. I can also give them back and not have to figure out how to get rid of them if they aren't buy backs.

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It simply costs less online.

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Cheaper than the school's prices

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I obtain my textbooks the way I do because of convenience as well as pricing, the campus bookstore prices tend to be pricier than Amazon.

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hopefully it's cheaper than the bookstore

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easy, cheap

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it's the easiest/cheapest

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it works

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Campus bookstores are way overpriced and rip you off when trying to sell them back. Buying/selling online makes more economical sense.

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Sheer convenience

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It is the easiest way for me

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No reason

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So I can save da \$\$\$

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Because more often than not they are less expensive than buying them from the bookstore. Plus, I have two day shipping with Amazon, whereas the bookstore takes a week or so.

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It is cheaper.

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Because it is cheaper than buying them from DePaul's bookstore.

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Because it's convenient and it saves me money.

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Because ISHARE is free. When that's not possible I search for it at my home library, if not, I check amazong and chegg and go with whatever is cheaper. It's all about the money.

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I go for the cheapest price primarily but will buy them for more expensive prices if I need them sooner.

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Easy pick up. Avoid stress

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To save money. I can sell them back to the DPU bookstore even if they were bought online.

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Save money by borrowing

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free of charge or very cheap

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Amazon is a lot cheaper than the DePaul bookstore and I can sell the books back easily for a higher price than the bookstore

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Convenience

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Financial Aid

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I buy some books from the bookstore if I need them immediately, the price is not much higher than I can find online, or I will use it for multiple quarters. I buy them online if I find a cheaper book and have time to ship it to myself before I need it.

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Barnes noble prices are not student friendly

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Because I hardly ever need textbooks. The last textbook I bought was Winter Quarter of Sophomore year. They're really expensive no matter where you get them.

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cheaper

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It is convenient and you get it on the spot.

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My limited budget requires that I spend the least amount possible on textbooks, so I try to rent them when possible.

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Because it's cheap and usually fast.

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I don't like to pay the bookstore unless I have to.

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Because it saves me the most money. I don't buy books unless I absolutely cannot get by without them for my courses, and when I do I try to find the best deal.

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It's cheaper and faster.

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because i feel like i have to for the class. if i didnt think textbooks were necessary for class i would NEVER buy/rent/check them out.

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Because its more cost efficient.

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Convenience.

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It is so much cheaper than the bookstore and I don't mind if the books are used.

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Cheaper and I don't want them after I use them.

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it's cost effective

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Because this is 2012

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The school bookstore is too expensive!

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Cheaper

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Because it's cheaper than buying them from the bookstore and it's easily accessible.

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It's easy.

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It is the cheapest option I have found so far.

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Renting usually offers better prices to rent compared to buying them from the bookstore. You are able to return them without having to go to the bookstore wait in line for a minimum refund from the book.

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to save money

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Convenience

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I look at the price value and try to get the cheapest option which is usually online.

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Convenience

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because I don't plan early enough ahead to buy them online

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Because I'm cheap and I like to be prepared.

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Because it is cheapest

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its cheap and easy

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Cuz of my Swagger! I buy books online because I think it's more price effective. I look for deals and always buy used books to save money. Also, I will wait to buy until the first day of class because I've bought too many books that were never needed.

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Whether or not I need them for the class is the reason I wait a little longer than normal before I purchase off of Amazon.

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It's usually cheaper than the bookstore and I enjoy keeping the books for the future.

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Cheaper than the campus bookstore. Buying online allows me to get the same material for usually half the price.

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Price

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sometimes i have to buy them at the bookstore, but i hate that because they are so expensive. if i have time i get them off of amazon because they are cheaper.

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convenient, fast, and comparable prices

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It's usually much cheaper than the bookstore's offerings.

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I got way too frustrated ordering books using chegg and amazon

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I pay for all of my expenses up here (rent, utilities, groceries, etc.), including textbooks. I want to buy my textbooks I need, but without having to spend too much extra money.

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If we don't need it right away, then I buy it online. If we need it immediately, I will buy it from the bookstore.

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It cost the least amount of money possible.

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Convenience

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I choose ordering them on amazon because, even with shipping, the prices are far lower than at the bookstore.

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They are usually cheaper online (new or used) and getting them mailed right to me is convenient.

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It's convenient to just buy from the book store.

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I wait and see if the books are really required, despite what the syllabus might say.