



MEMORANDUM

To: University Community

From: Office of the Provost

Date: May 14, 2020

Re: Free Shipping from Barnes & Noble Bookstore

We have received multiple inquiries from you concerning bookstore operations during remote teaching mode. Please be advised that although our Barnes & Noble on-campus bookstores remain closed due to the COVID-19 restrictions, they are fully operational for online orders at <https://fiu.bncollege.com/shop/fiu/page/find-textbooks>. At this time, Barnes & Noble is offering FREE shipping on all purchases within the United States. As always, e-books, digital materials, used and new textbooks for rent and sale are available. For book rentals, a FREE return shipping label will be included. Additionally, Barnes & Noble stores at FIU continue to offer school supplies and FIU merchandise. The dedicated FIU Barnes & Noble staff continues to ensure accessibility and affordability of course materials.

Feel free to share this information with your students. Any questions may be addressed directly to Barnes & Noble at FIU via email: [fiubook@fiu.edu](mailto:fiubook@fiu.edu) or by phone: 305-348-3923.

A friendly reminder that textbook and instructional materials adoptions for Fall 2020 must be submitted via the new Adoptions & Insights Portal (AIP) at <http://go.fiu.edu/adopt> by the institutional deadline of **July 3, 2020**. We will support you with multiple reminders prior to that deadline. For any questions or concerns on textbook adoptions and affordability options in general, please contact the Chair of the Textbook Affordability Task Force, Gitta Montoto, at [gmontoto@fiu.edu](mailto:gmontoto@fiu.edu).