• In 1979, a student could earn the minimum wage of $2.90 in Michigan and afford by the end of a workday (8.44 hours) to pay for one credit hour at a cost of $24.50.

• A full load was regarded as 12 credits in a semester, a student could work full time for two weeks and pay for their tuition.

• As of 2015, one full credit at Michigan State University costs $428.75, which would be sixty hours of work, compared to 8.44 hours for one credit in 1979.

• This historical scenario demonstrates an evolution into an environment wherein the student carries a significantly higher financial burden. This increase in tuition costs, compared to minimum wage costs has created a reliance on financial aid and more specifically student loans.
According to the School Library Journal, there was a 23% increase from 2010-2015 in the number of K-12 school libraries offering e-books.

In that same period, the median number of e-book collections per school rose from 32-235 titles.

E-book spending for elementary schools increased from 2.2% - 6.3%, and is expected to increase to 11.2% by 2020.

According to the think tank New America, the Government Accountability Office found that from 2002 to 2012, "textbook prices rose over 82 percent. While this number may not seem like a lot, for the typical community college student, this can amount to nearly a quarter of the cost of attendance."
This is what a $239 textbook, never opened and still in plastic, looks like after being returned to the same bookstore that I purchased it from.  i.redditmedia.com/-/6-Y1G...Reddit
When faculty have decided that they would like to author an iBook, they must follow these steps:

• Complete the online iBook Proposal Form (attaching a sample chapter outline and Table of Contents) during one of four annual calls for proposals.

• The form is then automatically forwarded to the dean of the appropriate college for approval, as well as to the academic editor and library director.

• Once approval from the dean is granted, the faculty member signs the Author Agreement.

• Faculty-authors then meet with the academic editor to review the process and to agree upon a production timeline.
Faculty submit chapters for editing on a rolling basis. Academic editor provides copyediting, copyright compliance, and OER/open-access material to complement faculty-author’s manuscript.

Instructional designer develops intro. media, cover design, and original multimedia for inclusion in the .iba file.

Academic editor and instructional designer work together to develop interactive widgets to accentuate faculty-authored content.

Faculty-authors need to concern themselves ONLY with writing. Academic editor handles all of the layout and formatting within iBooks Author software.

Final review of the file is conducted the month before the start of a new semester, at which point it is uploaded to Canvas’ course materials.
WIDGETS & INTERACTIVITY

• Interactive image widget
• Scrolling side bar
• Pop-over image
• Timelines
• Vocabulary crossword puzzles
• Before & after image
• Image galleries
• Videos & intro media
• Infographics (via infogr.am)
This nation has had 1,054 nuclear tests—the most of any nuclear-armed nation.
The 12 Tribes of Israel, according to the Jewish Virtual Library (2016), are: Reuben, Simeon, Judah, Issachar, Zebulun, Benjamin, Dan, Naphtali, Gad, Asher, Ephraim and Manasseh, which are believed to have grown from the organization of independent tribes, or groups of tribes, forced together for historical reasons.

Throughout your generations, every male among you shall be circumcised when he is eight days old,” (Genesis 17:11-12). Abraham and his wife Sarah had a son named Isaac. Isaac and his wife Rebekah birthed Jacob. Jacob and his wife Rachel then had twelve sons, which came to be known as the 12 Tribes of Israel (formerly known as Jacob). All of this is recorded and told in the sacred narrative, Genesis. Tap on the map above to learn more about the 12 Tribes of Israel.
Across
1. Central figure in Buddhism
4. Teaching of Buddhism

Down
2. Oldest surviving school of Buddhism
3. Suffering
1. The Buddhist community
5. Desire
6. Number of sightings, and number of Noble Truths
Chef’s Knife Nomenclature
Tap on each label to see descriptions of the knife’s components.

- Point
- Spine
- Bolster
- Scales
- Heel
- Handle guard
- Tip
- Edge
- Choil
  The point where the heel meets the bolster
- Tang
- Rivets
- Finger guard
- Butt
Review 2.2 Label the Anatomical Landmarks

Please identify the image that points to the cephalic region.
African Charter on Human and Peoples' Rights
Also known as the Banjul Charter, the charter was adopted in 1979 and promotes and protects human rights and basic freedoms in the African continent.
COMPENSATION MODELS

- Textbook: Fully comprehensive learning tool encompassing all aspects of the course
- Workbook: Supplemental text including but not limited to lab manuals, exercises, and instructional materials
- Open Educational Resources (OER): public domain/Creative Commons/library-licensed content made available publicly

Faculty Awareness of OER

2017 Babson report found that many faculty are still not aware of several aspects of OER, but awareness is steadily increasing each year.
The digital press group meets quarterly to discuss its state of affairs and nominate which iBooks should be chosen for peer review.

- The peer review process, overseen by the library director, is single-blind.

- Once peer-reviewed, the iBooks can be disseminated beyond campus.
• An all-in-one digital subscription giving students unlimited access to course materials each semester for one low price

• Pilot for graduate programs

• Links to learning management systems (LMS)

• Includes educational activities in MindTap: quizzes, videos, flashcards, etc.
VISION

• Reduce the stronghold of big publishing houses on college textbook production and subsequently inflated costs

• Further reduce the university’s carbon footprint

• Partner with other institutions of higher learning to promote best practices and expand our iBook catalog

• Promote digital publishing as the paradigm for educational publishing

• Embrace advances in digital publishing, media, and mobile technology to couple with the hands-on-learning styles associated with emerging generations

• Continue to drastically reduce textbook expenses to Lynn students