MSI Visiting Days 2014 Book Lovers Tour: Because we know you’d never move somewhere without a good book store and library

START at our beloved North Quad, 105 N. State Street and turn left onto Thayer headed toward North University Ave.

1 Hatcher Reading Room, 913 South University (2nd floor): One of the most stunning places on campus, the Hatcher Reading Room houses the graduate library reference collection.

2 The Law Library, 801 Monroe St: The Law Library is internationally recognized as one of the most impressive library spaces in the world. It houses a huge collection, and many stressed out law students.

3 Michigan Union Bookstore, 530 S. State St (basement): In addition to several dining options and study spaces, the official university bookstore is also located in the basement.

4 Dawn Treader, 514 E Liberty: One of many used book stores in Downtown Ann Arbor, Dawn Treader is perhaps best known for their frequent and amazing sidewalk sales- it’s a true Michigan gem.

5 Ann Arbor District Library (AADL), 343 S 5th Ave: An anchor in the Ann Arbor community, AADL’s downtown branch has a large portion of their collection, along with many digital and technological resources for patrons. Interested in library youth services? Check out the impressive teen and children’s section on the first floor.
Crazy Wisdom 114 S Main St.: A bookstore dedicated to the mind and spirit, you’ll find a great collection of books and teas to enrich your life.

Vault of Midnight, 219 S Main St: If you like comic books and graphic novels, this is a must visit bookstore. In addition to a massive collection of comics and graphic novels, they also stock designer toys and board games. They also have an expert staff to answer any questions that may arise.


Common Language Books, 317 Braun Ct: Common Language, a bookstore that specializes in LGBTQ books, is an independent neighborhood bookstore located in Kerrytown.

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