How to find the textbooks you will need for classes

Please note, there is no bookstore on the Marion campus. Once you schedule your classes, you can follow the steps outlined below to find out which textbooks you will need for each class.

STEP 1: from your Buckeye Link page, select My Class Schedule:

STEP 2: from this page, select the term, then "Continue".

STEP 3: from My Class Schedule, select the section number next to each course (please note, if you see a link for "Buy Marion Books" as displayed in the screenshot below, you will simply be linked to textbooks.com. You will still need to identify the ISBN number and other information for each book before navigating to that site to purchase or rent books.)
STEP 4: Find the textbook information listed in the "Notes" section for each individual course.

Now, you can use the ISBN number to search for the most affordable textbook option and use whatever vendor you choose.

Some courses may list a Carmen Book as the textbook option. In this case, a deeply discounted price has been negotiated with the publisher and you will have access to the book electronically through Carmen. You will be billed for the textbook through your OSU Statement of Account. Here is an example of how a Carmen Book will be listed in the Notes section for a course: