Thank you for considering a gift to the EOU Foundation!

There is no one size fits all to giving to Eastern Oregon University. As a nonprofit organization dedicated to supporting the philanthropic needs of the university, the EOU Foundation has added PayPal and Venmo to the ways you can give through our website.

To donate via PayPal simply click on the “Give Now” button on the website and select PayPal and the option for donating.

To donate via Venmo be sure your mobile app is set to “Enable Mobile Web Purchases” in your settings.

Below are some additional FAQ’s if you receive any errors occur while giving through Venmo.

FAQ’s Donate through your Venmo Mobile Account

I’m getting an error when I connect my browser

First, make sure you have a decent Internet connection. If you’re in a tunnel or everyone in your coffee shop is streaming videos in 4K, try again in a bit. If that doesn’t work you may need to adjust some settings on your device.

For iOS devices:

- Allow Safari to accept cookies from websites you visit. To allow cookies, go to your device’s Settings > Safari > Block Cookies.
- We all value our privacy, but to make purchases with Venmo, you need to turn off Private Browsing in Safari.

For Android devices:

- Allow Chrome to accept cookies from websites you visit. To allow cookies, go to Chrome’s Settings > Site settings > Cookies.
- We all value our privacy, but to make purchases with Venmo, you can’t use Incognito Mode in Chrome.

How can I see the option to pay with Venmo?

It depends on a few things. First, purchasing with Venmo currently only works with some PayPal merchants and only with a browser on your mobile device (Safari for iOS or Google Chrome for Android). Additionally, you must have the latest version of the Venmo app on your device and need to opt in to use Venmo for purchases.

How can I opt in?

To opt in and purchase with Venmo, tap on the ☰ icon at the top of the app, then tap on Settings. In Settings, there’s the Buying section. To use Venmo to pay during checkout, tap Enable Mobile Web Purchase or Connect Browsers.

I am not seeing the Venmo option after opting-in!

Make sure that your browser is connected by heading to Venmo Settings and then to Connect Browsers. If you’re still not seeing the Venmo option, make sure you turn off PayPal OneTouch. For more information about how to change PayPal OneTouch settings, go to www.paypal.com/us/webapps/mpp/one-touch-checkout/faq.

Give us a call if you have questions 541-962-3740!