

Copyright Matters for School Libraries

Copyright has a decisive impact on libraries' activities. You may not notice it, but copyright exceptions can enable school libraries to do the following:



Lend a book – or an eBook! – to a student



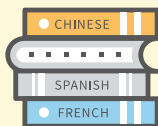
Run a course on spotting fake news using a newspaper article as an example



Help a colleague prepare for a lesson by providing copies to use in class



Encourage students to write a review of a book they have read with quotes



Borrow a book for a student whose first language isn't widely spoken at your school



Hold a story telling session, reading from a popular children's book

However, copyright rules may also prohibit some of these everyday activities from happening. Find out about your local laws, and join IFLA in promoting copyright rules that work for all libraries!

To learn more about copyright limitations and exceptions, visit ifla.org/copyright-issues-for-libraries



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