



Guide to the Joint Fiction Reserves

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INTRODUCTION

The Joint Fiction Reserves (JFRs) exist to preserve and make available for public library borrowers out-of-print works of fiction.

Three Joint Fiction Reserves exist in the United Kingdom (UK) and Ireland: the English JFR, the Irish JFR and the Scottish Fiction Reserve.

- The initial set of allocations for the English JFR, involving libraries in the South East, was drawn up in 1946. A second set of allocations involving the rest of the country was drawn up in 1962. The English JFR has 100 participating libraries.
- The Irish JFR, established in 1965 and covering the Republic and the North, has 24 participating libraries.
- The Scottish Fiction Reserve was set up in 1955 and involves all 32 Scottish public library authorities.

The Scottish Fiction Reserve is not covered in detail in this *Guide*, but introductory information can be found on page 15.

The English and Irish schemes operate in a similar way: participating libraries aim to acquire all new fiction published within a particular alphabetical allocation and to make this available for interlibrary loan.

This *Guide* contains the latest available details of these alphabetical allocations and the addresses to which interlibrary loan requests should be made. It supersedes the *Guide to the Joint Fiction Reserves*, 2nd Edition (1999).

The regulations for the operation of the English JFR are included here for the guidance of participating libraries, together with some recommendations for good practice.

ENGLISH JOINT FICTION RESERVE

Regulations and Recommendations for Good Practice

1. The allocation of books to different libraries in the Regional Joint Fiction Reserve is on an alphabetical basis by authors' names. When the JFR was set up, libraries agreed to collect all new books within their allocations and to accept offers of discards. (Allocations are as given in this Guide.)
2. One copy of all new fiction in the allocations, including translations into English and reprints where the work is not already represented, should be purchased for the Reserve. It is essential that these works are visible on the Library OPAC and, where possible, on a national union catalogue such as UnityUK.
3. Coverage normally extends to all fiction items published in the UK. This includes romantic fiction and erotic fiction. No critical criteria should usually be applied in selection.
4. Junior fiction is included within the scheme and should be purchased. It may be limited to items with text or with more than 32 pages. Teenage/young adult fiction should be collected under the junior fiction allocation.
5. Graphic novels aimed at adults should normally be collected.
6. Large print editions should be purchased even where the title is already held in a standard edition.
7. Other reprints and new editions of titles already held need not be purchased unless they contain substantial new textual material.

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8. Hyphenated authors' names should be collected under the initial of the first part. Collections with an editor should be acquired under the editor's name, those without under the title.
9. Books acquired for the JFR should be identified as such and preserved for indefinite future use. Ideally, items should be allocated directly to the Reserve rather than relying on transfer of used copies.
10. The scheme is open to all readers throughout the UK and Ireland in any kind of library. There are no restrictions by type of fiction or purpose on what may be borrowed. Applications for loan should be made directly to the library holding the item.
11. The JFR must not be used to alleviate supply problems of popular in-print titles. Some libraries have a stronger policy and routinely decline to lend any in-print material. Nevertheless, in general JFR requests for in-print material are permitted.
12. Requesting libraries may approach lending libraries in their own Region as a first resort (subject to any restrictions imposed by the holders of the stock); if unsuccessful they approach the JFR stock-holder and then locations in other Regions.
13. Requests must include the requesting library's BL customer code and a request reference number unless alternative arrangements already exist, such as within regions or between users of the same ILL management system. Requests should also include details of the cost schemes to which the requesting library belongs, where appropriate.
14. Fiction discards should first be offered to the appropriate library within the scheme (see below).

Standing Order Purchase

A standing order with a library supplier for all relevant items appearing in BNB is regarded as the best means of acquisition. However, where this is done it is essential that the supplier provides separate notification of items supplied for the JFR so that statistical records may be kept.

Junior Fiction

Alternative sources for junior fiction are the Irish JFR and the Yorkshire Libraries and Information Headquarters at Wakefield where an A-Z out-of-print Junior Fiction collection is maintained.

Discards

Offering and accepting discards for the JFR has not been sufficiently emphasized in the past, and should be encouraged. It is a useful means of retrospective collection and gap-filling and can also provide valuable duplicate copies at minimal cost.

Problems and Queries

Any problems or queries regarding the Joint Fiction Reserves should be addressed to your regional representative to Conarls, of whom details are available from the Conarls website: <http://www.conarls.org/>.

Schedules

For historical reasons, the English JFR has three schedules. Schedule 1 was the first, drawn up in 1946, and involves libraries in the South East of England. A revised schedule was drawn up in 1988 involving some additional libraries; it was agreed at the time that it was not viable to perform a wholesale retrospective transfer of stock, hence the second schedule operates parallel to the first. Schedule 3 was drawn up in 1962 and involves libraries from the rest of England.

Schedule 1: Alphabetical Allocations for Material Published before January 1988

Applications to libraries in this schedule should be clearly marked 'SPECIAL FICTION REQUEST' or 'SPECIAL REQUEST CHILDREN'S STORY'.

A-BAI	Wandsworth
BAJ-BEL	Southwark
BEM-BOR	Tower Hamlets
BOS-CAP	Southwark
CAQ-CHD	Kensington and Chelsea
CHE-COL	Lewisham
COM-CRH	Islington
CRI-DEL	Hammersmith and Fulham
DEM-DRY	Greenwich
DRZ-FOZ	Hackney
FR-GN	Hammersmith and Fulham
GO-GRE	Camden
GRI-HOY	Islington
HOZ-KEL	Kensington and Chelsea
KEM-L	Lambeth
MA-MAY	Lewisham
MAZ-OZ	Westminster
P-PIC	Tower Hamlets
PID-RNZ	Camden
ROA-RZ	Southwark
S-SS	Essex
ST-THI	Tower Hamlets
THL-TRD	Hackney
TRE-WEB	Wandsworth
WEC-WI	Westminster
WJ-Z	Greenwich

Schedule 2: Alphabetical Allocations for Material Published from January 1988

Applications to libraries in this schedule should be clearly marked 'SPECIAL FICTION REQUEST' or 'SPECIAL REQUEST CHILDREN'S STORY'.

A-AL	Wandsworth
AM-AZ	Barnet

BA-BAI	Barking and Dagenham
BAJ-BEL	Southwark
BEM-BR	Bedford
BS-CAP	Slough
CAQ-CHD	Kensington and Chelsea
CHE-CN	Bexley
CO-COL	Brent
COM-CRH	Bromley
CRI-DEL	Hammersmith and Fulham
DEM-DO	Greenwich
DP-DZ	Croydon
E	Hackney
F	Buckinghamshire
G	Hertfordshire
HA-HN	Islington
HO-HZ	Enfield
I	City of London
J	Ealing
K-KEL	Kingston upon Thames
KEM-KZ	Lambeth
L	East Sussex
MA-MAL	Lewisham
MAM-MAY	Havering
MAZ-MN	Harrow
MO-MZ	Hillingdon
N-O	Westminster
P-Q	Surrey
R-RNZ	Camden
ROA-RZ	Redbridge
S-SS	Essex
ST-SZ	Tower Hamlets
T-THZ	Hounslow
TI-TRD	Merton
TRE-TZ	Richmond upon Thames
U-V	Waltham Forest
W	Kent
X-Z	Sutton

Schedule 3: Alphabetical Allocations for All Material

A-C (junior)	Lancashire*
AA-AE	Lancashire*
AF-AK	Oldham
ALA-ALK	Tameside Supporting Library
ALL-ALZ	Wirral
AM-AP	Salford
AQ-AR	Sefton
AS-AT	Wigan
AU	Trafford
AV-AW	Lancashire*
AX-AZ	Cheshire†
BA-BAK	Salford
BAL-BAN	Sefton
BAO-BAR	Oldham

*Lancashire County Library & Information Service has 18 different allocations inherited in the local government reorganization of 1974 and since that date has collected fairly comprehensively within A-C.

†Cheshire Libraries had a hiatus in collection from 1974 to 2007. Alternative sources for titles published during this period are Barnet, Lancashire, Wandsworth and the Irish JFR.

BAS-BAV	Cheshire†
BAW-BAZ	Tameside
BBA-BEK	St. Helens‡
BEL	Rochdale
BEM-BEQ	Bury
BER	Tameside
BES-BEZ	Oldham
BFA-BIL	Bolton
BIM-BLH	Lancashire*
BLI-BLO	Oldham
BLP-BOR	Lancashire*
BOS-BQZ	Wigan
BRA-BRH	Bury
BRI-BRO	Lancashire*
BRP-BRZ	Wigan
BSA-BUQ	Lancashire*
BUR	Bolton
BUS-BZ	Cheshire†
CAA-CAL	Douglas Isle of Man
CAM-CAQ	Lancashire*
CAR	Wirral
CAS-CGZ	Lancashire*
CHA-CHD	Wirral
CHE-CHZ	Bolton
CIA-CNZ	Stockport
COA-COK	Cheshire†
COL	Lancashire*
COM-CON	Salford
COO-COP	Sefton
COQ-COR	Cheshire†
COS-COZ	Rochdale
CPA-CRH	Tameside
CRI-CRZ	Cheshire†
CSA-CZ	Lancashire*
D-DAVIES	Sunderland
DAVIF-DEAN	Cumbria
DEAO-DIL	Durham
DIM-DOS	Darlington
DOT-DUL	Gateshead
DUM-DZ	South Tyneside
E-ELK	Newcastle upon Tyne
ELL-EZ	Northumberland
F-FAN	Cumbria
FAO-FAT	Redcar and Cleveland
FAU-FISG	Cumbria
FISH-FLO	Redcar and Cleveland
FLP-FORD	North Tyneside
FORE-FORS	Newcastle upon Tyne
FORT-FRAN	Redcar and Cleveland
FRAO-FRAZ	Cumbria
FRB-FZ	North Tyneside
GAA-GAI	Lincolnshire
GAJ-GDZ	Nottinghamshire
GEA-GHZ	Suffolk
GIA-GIK	Cambridgeshire
GIL	Norfolk
GIM-GNZ	Lincolnshire

‡St. Helens have ceased acquiring material for the JFR, although a small number of titles in their allocation are kept in store. Alternative sources are Lancashire, Southwark and the Irish JFR.

GOA-GOM	Cambridgeshire
GON-GOO	Suffolk
GOP-GOZ	Nottinghamshire
GPA-GRAN	Lincolnshire
GRAO-GREZ	Norfolk
GRF-HAK	Lincolnshire
HAL	Northamptonshire
HAM	Derby
HAN-HARC	Lincolnshire
HARD-HARZ	Leicestershire
HAS-HAT	Peterborough
HAU-HAZ	Northamptonshire
HBA-HEA	Nottinghamshire
HEB-HEM	Suffolk
HEN-HEP	Rutland
HEQ-HET	Nottinghamshire
HEY-HEZ	Derby
HFA-HIG	Cambridgeshire
HIH-HIL	Derby
HIM-HIR	Leicestershire
HIS-HIZ	Derby
HJA-HOK	Suffolk
HOL	Lincolnshire
HOM-HUD	Nottinghamshire
HUE-HUL	Norfolk
HUM-HUN	Cambridgeshire
HUO-HUZ	Northamptonshire
HVA-IMZ	Derby
INA-IZ	Suffolk
JAA-JAL	Norfolk
JAM	Lincolnshire
JAN-JAZ	Derby
JBA-JEM	Northamptonshire
JEN-JIZ	Nottinghamshire
JJA-JOO	Leicester
JOP-JOZ	Derby
JPA-JZ	Northamptonshire
K-KAZ	Dudley
KB-KEL	Staffordshire
KEM	Telford and Wrekin
KEN	Solihull
KEO-KIM	Warwickshire
KIN-KNZ	Staffordshire
KO-KZ	Stoke-on-Trent
L-LAM	Wolverhampton
LAN-LAQ	Warwickshire
LAR-LED	Staffordshire
LEE-LEV	Dudley
LEW-LEZ	Birmingham
LIA-LOD	Staffordshire
LOE-LOR	Worcestershire
LOS-MAC'B	Warwickshire
MAC'C-MAC'D	Sandwell
MAC'E-MAC'K	Wolverhampton
MAC'L-MAC'N	Birmingham
MAC'O-MAL	Worcestershire
MAM-MARN	Staffordshire
MARO-MARZ	Shropshire
MAS-MAX	Worcestershire
MAY-MAZ	Staffordshire
MEA-MER	Coventry

MES-MIL	Sandwell
MIM-MIZ	Dudley
MJ-MOO	Herefordshire
MOP-MOR	Walsall
MOS-MUQ	Shropshire
MUR-MZ	Sandwell
N-S	YLI HQ
T (junior)	Dorset
TA-TI (adult)	Plymouth
TJ-TZ (adult)	Bristol
U-V (junior)	Gloucestershire
U-V (adult)	Bristol
W (junior)	Wiltshire
W (adult)	Devon
X-Z (junior)	Isle of Wight
X-Z (adult pre-1997)	Hampshire
X-Z (adult post-1997)	Portsmouth

Addresses

<i>Authority & BLDSC Code</i>	<i>Address to which to send requests</i>
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Barking and Dagenham
QS/P19
BA-BAI (≥1988)

Central Library
Barking Learning Centre
2 Town Square
BARKING
Essex
IG11 7NB
Tel: (020) 8724 8720
Fax: (020) 8724 1316
bob.metcalfe@lbbd.gov.uk

Barnet
QS/P33
AM-AZ (≥1988)

Bibliographic Services Centre
3 Stapylton Road
BARNET
Hertfordshire
EN5 4QT
Tel: (020) 8359 4055
Fax: (020) 8359 4019
bsc@barnet.gov.uk

Bedford
QS/P-4
BEM-BR (≥1988)

Bedfordshire's Libraries' Hub
Inter Library Loans
Bedford Borough Council
Borough Hall
BEDFORD
MK42 9AP
Tel: (01234) 228 314
Fax: (01234) 228 318
interlibraryloans@bedford.gov.uk

Bexley
QS/P82
CHE-CN (≥1988)

Technical Services Unit Interlending
Footscray Offices
Maidstone Road
SIDCUP
DA14 5HS
Tel: (020) 8309 4172
Fax: (020) 8309 4142

<p>Birmingham BH/P-1 LEW-LEZ MAC'L-MAC'N</p>	<p>Interlending (PJFR) Central Library Chamberlain Square BIRMINGHAM West Midlands B3 3HQ Tel: (0121) 303 4543 Fax: (0121) 303 4372 interlending@birmingham.gov.uk</p>	<p>Buckinghamshire QS/P11 F (≥1988)</p>	<p>Interlending County Library Walton Street AYLESBURY Buckinghamshire HP20 1UU Tel: (01296) 382 256 Fax: (01296) 382 274 interlending@buckscc.gov.uk</p>
<p>Bolton QL/P-7 BFA-BIL BUR CHE-CHZ</p>	<p>Interlibrary Loan Services Support Services, Room G14 Central Library Castleton Street BOLTON BL2 2JW Tel: (01204) 338 341 Fax: (01204) 338 128 ill@bolton.gov.uk</p>	<p>Cambridgeshire QE/P52 GIA-GIK GOA-GOM HFA-HIG HUM-HUN</p>	<p>Roger Ascham Site Ascham Road CAMBRIDGE CB4 2BD Tel: (01223) 718 381 Fax: (01223) 718 380</p>
<p>Brent QS/P70 CO-COL (≥1988)</p>	<p>Inter Library Loans Neasden Library, Ground Floor 277 Neasden Lane LONDON NW10 1QJ Tel: (020) 8452 1943 Fax: (020) 8450 7625</p>	<p>Camden QS/Q13 GO-GRE (<1988) PID-QZ (<1988) R-RNZ</p>	<p>Interlibrary Loans Holborn Library 4th Floor 32-38 Theobalds Road LONDON WC1X 8PA Tel: (020) 7974 6297 Fax: (020) 7413 6304 ill@camden.gov.uk</p>
<p>Bristol QW/P-7 TJ-TZ (adult) U-V (adult)</p>	<p>Support Services Central Library College Green BRISTOL BS1 5TL Tel: (0117) 903 7237 Fax: (0117) 927 9858 ill@bristol-city.gov.uk</p>	<p>Cheshire QL/P-4 AX-AZ BAS-BAV BUS-BZ COA-COK COQ-COR CRI-CRZ</p>	<p>Interlibrary Loans Bibliographical Services 91 Hoole Road CHESHIRE CH2 3NG Tel: (01244) 606 046 Fax: (01244) 606 014 sheila.houldin@cheshire.gov.uk</p>
<p>Bromley QS/P10 COM-CRH (≥1988)</p>	<p>Inter Loans Section Central Library High Street BROMLEY BR1 1EX Tel: (020) 8460 9955 Fax: (020) 8313 9975 interloans@bromley.gov.uk</p>	<p>City of London QS/Q10 I (≥1988)</p>	<p>Interlibrary Loans Bibliographic Services Section Guildhall Library Aldermanbury LONDON EC2P 2EJ Tel: (020) 7332 1112 Fax: (020) 7600 3384 interloans@cityoflondon.gov.uk</p>
<p>Bury QL/P10 BEM-BEQ BRA-BRH</p>	<p>Interlibrary Loans Resource Services Department Textile Hall Manchester Road BURY Lancashire BL9 0DG Tel: (0161) 253 6019 Fax: (0161) 253 6003 ill@bury.gov.uk</p>	<p>Coventry QM/P-6 MEA-MER</p>	<p>Collection Development Unit Smithford Way COVENTRY CV1 1FY Tel: (024) 7683 2332 Fax: (024) 7683 3163 interlibrary.loans@coventry.gov.uk</p>
<p>Bury QL/P10 BEM-BEQ BRA-BRH</p>	<p>Interlibrary Loans Resource Services Department Textile Hall Manchester Road BURY Lancashire BL9 0DG Tel: (0161) 253 6019 Fax: (0161) 253 6003 ill@bury.gov.uk</p>	<p>Croydon QS/P18 DP-DZ (≥1988)</p>	<p>Interlibrary Loans Central Library Katharine Street CROYDON CR9 1ET Tel: (020) 8760 5400 Fax: (020) 8253 1004 ill@croydon.gov.uk</p>

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Ramsden Square
BARROW IN FURNESS
LA14 1LL
Tel: (01229) 894 370
Fax: (01229) 894 371
barrow.library@cumbriacc.gov.uk
- Darlington**
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Public Library
Crown Street
DARLINGTON
County Durham
DL1 1ND
Tel: (01325) 349 639
Fax: (01325) 381 556
bibservices@darlington.gov.uk
- Derby**
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HIH-HIL
HIS-HIZ
HVA-IMZ
JAN-JAZ
JOP-JOZ
- Derby City Libraries
InterLibrary Loans
Central Library
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DE1 1HS
Tel: (01332) 255 389
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requests@derbyshire.gov.uk
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Devon
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Tel: (01392) 384 301
Fax: (01392) 381 979
requests.team@devon.gov.uk
- Dorset**
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T (junior)
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DT1 1XJ
Tel: (01305) 224 452
Fax: (01305) 224 862
ill@dorsetcc.gov.uk
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- Interlibrary Loans
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- Dudley**
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- Dudley Library Interlibrary Loans
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Tel: (01384) 814 747
Fax: (01384) 815 543
ill.educ@dudley.gov.uk
- Durham**
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- Arts, Libraries & Museums
County Hall
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County Durham
DH1 5TY
Tel: (0191) 383 3598
Fax: (0191) 384 1336
interlibraryloans@durham.gov.uk
- Ealing**
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J (≥1988)
- Interloans Library Support Centre
Library and Information Service
Ealing Central Sports Ground
Horsenden Lane
SOUTH GREENFORD
Middlesex
UB6 8AP
Tel: (020) 8810 7664
Fax: (020) 8810 7651
- East Sussex**
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L (≥1988)
- Bibliographic Services
County Library
Brooks Road
LEWES
East Sussex
BN7 2BY
Tel: (01273) 475 580
Fax: (01273) 475 580
- Enfield**
QS/P25
HO-HZ (≥1988)
- Library Resource Unit
Town Hall
Green Lanes
Palmers Green
ENFIELD
N13 4XD
Tel: (020) 8379 2700
Fax: (020) 8379 2761
- Essex**
QS/P27
S-SS
- Interlending Department
Essex Libraries
Goldlay Gardens
CHELMSFORD
CM2 0EW
Tel: (01245) 284 981
Fax: (01245) 492 780
interlending.ly@essexcc.gov.uk

Gateshead QN/P12 DOT-DUL	Central Library Prince Consort Road GATESHEAD Tyne and Wear NE8 4LN Tel: (0191) 433 8400 Fax: (0191) 477 7454 ill@gateshead.gov.uk	Havering QS/P92 MAM-MAY (≥1988)	Havering Central Library St Edwards Way ROMFORD RM1 3AR Tel: (01708) 432 384 Fax: (01708) 432 391
Gloucestershire QW/P20 U-V (junior)	Bibliographic Services Quayside House GLOUCESTER Gloucestershire GL1 2HY Tel: (01452) 425 036 Fax: (01452) 425 042 ill@gloucestershire.gov.uk	Herefordshire QM/P11 MJ-MOO	Interlibrary Loans Department Shirehall HEREFORD HR1 2HY Tel: (01432) 260 686 Fax: (01432) 260 744 libraryacquisitions@herefordshire.gov.uk
Greenwich QS/Q-9 DEM-DO DP-DRY (<1988) WJ-Z (<1988)	Plumstead Library Library Support Services 232 Plumstead High Street LONDON SE18 1JL Tel: (020) 8317 4466 Fax: (020) 8317 4868	Hertfordshire QS/P34 G (≥1988)	Central Resources Library New Barnfield Travellers Lane HATFIELD Hertfordshire AL10 8XG Tel: (01707) 281 509 Fax: (01707) 281 548 interlibraryloanslibrary@hertscc.gov.uk
Hackney QS/Q11 DRZ-DZ (<1988) E FA-FOZ (<1988) THL-TRD (<1988)	Stock Exploitation Unit Rose Lipman Library De Beauvoir Road LONDON N1 5SQ Tel: (020) 7923 4949 Fax: (020) 7923 7233 hackneylibraries.stockservices@hackney.gov.uk	Hillingdon QS/P91 MO-MZ (≥1988)	Hillingdon Central Library 14-16 High Street UXBRIDGE Middlesex UB8 1HD Tel: (01895) 250 712 Fax: (01895) 239 794
Hammersmith and Fulham QS/Q12 CRI-DEL FR-GN (<1988)	Interlending Department Central Library Shepherds Bush Road LONDON W6 7AT Tel: (020) 8753 3822 Fax: (020) 8753 3815	Hounslow QS/P37 T-THZ (≥1988)	Bibliographical Services Hansworth Library 2-12 Hampton Road West FELTHAM Middlesex TW13 6AW Tel: (020) 8894 2550 Fax: (020) 8894 2459 interloans-hct@laing.com
Hampshire QW/P22 X-Z (adult >1998)	County Library 81 North Walls WINCHESTER Hampshire SO23 8BY Tel: (01962) 826 646 Fax: (01962) 856 615 libsill@hants.gov.uk	Isle of Wight QW/P23 X-Z (junior)	Library Headquarters Somerton Industrial Estate 5 Mariners Way COWES Isle of Wight PO31 8PD Tel: (01983) 203 880 Fax: (01983) 203 899 iwill@iow.gov.uk
Harrow QS/P94 MAZ-MN (≥1988)	Interlibrary Loans PO Box 4 Civic Centre Library HARROW HA1 2UU Tel: (020) 8424 1901 Fax: (020) 8424 1971 sharon.cotton@harrow.gov.uk	Islington QS/Q15 COM-CRH (<1988) GRI-HOY (<1988) HA-HN (≥1988)	Interlending Section Central Library 2 Fieldway Crescent LONDON N5 1PF Tel: (020) 7527 6966 Fax: (020) 7527 6968

<p>Kensington and Chelsea QS/Q16 CAQ-CHD HOZ-KEL (<1988)</p>	<p>Interlending Department Central Library Phillimore Walk LONDON W8 7RX Tel: (020) 7361 3053 Fax: (020) 7361 2976 interloans@rbkc.gov.uk</p>	<p>Leicestershire QE/P47 HARD-HARZ HIM-HIR</p>	<p>Interlibrary Loans 929-931 Loughborough Road ROTHLEY Leicestershire LE7 7NH Tel: (0116) 267 8024 Fax: (0116) 267 8039 nlewin@leics.gov.uk</p>
<p>Kent QS/P40 W (≥1988)</p>	<p>Bibliographic Resources ILL Kent Libraries and Archives Gibson Drive Kings Hill WEST MALLING Kent ME19 4AL Tel: (01622) 605 251 Fax: (01622) 605 221 inter.library.loans@kent.gov.uk</p>	<p>Lewisham QS/Q18 CHE-COL (<1988) MA-MAL MAM-MAY (<1988)</p>	<p>Lewisham Library Service Interlibrary Loans Library Resources Centre 305-315 Hither Green Lane Lewisham LONDON SE13 6TJ Tel: (020) 8698 5286 Fax: (020) 8695 9510 libraryresources@lewisham.gov.uk</p>
<p>Kingston upon Thames QS/P41 K-KEL (≥1988)</p>	<p>Kingston Libraries Acquisitions Department Surbiton Library Annexe Ewell Road SURBITON Surrey KT6 6AG Tel: (020) 8547 6432 Fax: (020) 8547 6411 rbklaser@rbk.kingston.gov.uk</p>	<p>Lincolnshire QE/P44 GAA-GAI GIM-GNZ GPA-GRAN GRF-HAK HAN-HARC HOL JAM</p>	<p>Library Service Lexicon House Stephenson Road, Off Station Road LINCOLN LN6 3QU Tel: (01522) 552 866 Fax: (01522) 552 858 libloans@lincolnshire.gov.uk</p>
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<p>Lancashire QL/P-3 A-C (junior) AA-AE AV-AW BIM-BLH BLP-BOR BRI-BRO BSA-BUQ CAM-CAQ CAS-CGZ COL CSA-CZ</p>	<p>Book Deliveries Bowran Street PRESTON PR1 2UX Tel: (01772) 534 052 Fax: (01772) 534 200 interloans@lancashire.gov.uk</p>	<p>Newcastle upon Tyne QN/P-2 E-ELK FORE-FORS</p>	<p>City Library, ILL Department Level 4, Charles Avison Building 33 New Bridge Street West NEWCASTLE UPON TYNE NE1 8AX Tel: (0191) 277 4166 inter.library.loans@newcastle.gov.uk</p>
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Northamptonshire QE/P46 HAL HAU-HAZ HUO-HUZ JBA-JEM JPA-JZ	NLIS Library Research Centre Booth Meadow House PO Box 259 Museum Way Riverside Park NORTHAMPTON NN3 9HW Tel: (01604) 773 936 Fax: (01604) 773 939 interloans@northamptonshire.gov.uk	Redbridge QS/P39 ROA-RZ (≥1988)	Interlending Department Central Library Clements Road ILFORD IG1 1EA Tel: (020) 8708 2426
Northumberland QN/P10 ELL-EZ	County Library Beechfield MORPETH Northumberland NE61 1TA Tel: (01670) 534 527 Fax: (01670) 534 513	Redcar and Cleveland QN/P22 FAO-FAT FISH-FLO FORT-FRAN	Resource Services Coatham Road REDCAR Cleveland TS10 1RP Tel: (01642) 492 253 Fax: (01642) 492 253 resource_services@redcar-cleveland.gov.uk
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Sutton QS/P56 X-Z (≥1988)	Interlending Department Central Library St. Nicholas Way SUTTON Surrey SM1 1EA Tel: (020) 8770 4759 Fax: (020) 8770 4777 sutton.rsd@sutton.gov.uk	Waltham Forest QS/P67 U-V (≥1988)	Interlibrary Loans Waltham Forest Public Library Pimp Hall, 48 Kings Road Chingford LONDON E4 7HP Tel: (020) 8529 8291 Fax: (020) 8524 8358 interloans@walthamforest.gov.uk
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Worcestershire QM/P41 LOE-LOR MAC'O-MAL MAS-MAX	Worcestershire County Council Cultural Services Sherwood Lane Lower Wick WORCESTER WR2 4NU Tel: (01905) 426 600 Fax: (01905) 748 619 illlib@worcestershire.gov.uk
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IRISH JOINT FICTION RESERVE

Introduction

The Irish Joint Fiction Reserve Scheme was established in 1965 and is administered by An Chomhairle Leabharlanna on behalf of the Committee on Library Co-operation in Ireland (COLICO).

The Reserve consists of adult fiction held in reserve for interlending purposes. The allocations of the Reserve among the twenty-four participating libraries in the scheme are based on the letters of the alphabet, with each participant collecting and holding fiction by those authors which come within the letter or letters allocated. Additions to the Reserve are by direct purchase and by transfers of fiction between libraries.

Rules and Regulations

1. Materials requested through the Irish Joint Fiction Reserve must be out-of-print.
2. Material will be lent at the discretion of the holding library.
3. The receiving library will be responsible for safekeeping and will determine whether to pass the book to its reader.
4. All libraries are encouraged to offer withdrawn fiction to the appropriate holding library. Transport funds to a maximum value of €100[§] per authority will be refunded by An Chomhairle Leabharlanna, on receipt of an appropriate invoice and details of transferred books.
5. Applications should be made using appropriate form and entry format.
6. Libraries should endeavour to respond to requests within 14 days of receipt.
7. Use of the scheme indicates a willingness to accept and to comply with these regulations.

Back-up Libraries

In the event of a library not being able to satisfy a request, the request should be forwarded to one of the two back-up libraries, and the requesting library informed that this has happened. For libraries in the **Republic of Ireland**, requests should be sent initially to:

Dún Laoghaire/Rathdown Public Library Service HQ
1st floor, Duncairn House
Carysfort Avenue
Blackrock
County Dublin
Tel: Dublin (01) 278 1789 / 278 1790 / 278 1791
Fax: Dublin (01) 278 1792

For libraries in **Northern Ireland**, requests should be sent initially to:

Belfast Education and Library Board
Belfast Public Libraries
Central Library, Royal Avenue
Belfast BT1 1EA
Tel: Belfast (028) 9024 3233
Fax: Belfast (028) 9033 2819

In the event of no satisfactory response from either of the two back-up libraries, the request will be returned to the originating library. At this stage the originating library should consider making use of the English JFR.

Schedule of Allocations

A	Western Education and Library Board
B-C	Belfast Education and Library Board
D	North Eastern Education and Library Board
E	Westmeath County Library
F	Western Education and Library Board
G	North Eastern Education and Library Board

[§]Restricted to 10 authorities per year.

HA-HH	Southern Education and Library Board
HI-HZ	South Eastern Education and Library Board
I	Western Education and Library Board
J	South Dublin County Libraries
K	Kildare County Library
L-M	Dublin City Libraries [†]
N	Limerick County Library
O	Limerick City Library
PA-PK	Kilkenny County Library
PL-PZ	Clare County Library
Q	Wexford County Library
R	Wicklow County Library
S	Cork City Library
T	Meath County Library
U	Kerry County Library
V	Roscommon County Library
W	Fingal County Libraries
X	Laois County Library
Y	Tipperary Joint Libraries Committee
Z	Laois County Library

Fiction in the Irish Language

Galway County Library Headquarters

Short Stories (collections by different authors)

Donegal County Library

Addresses*Authority &
BLDSC Code**Address to which to send requests*

Belfast ELB BL/C-3 B-C	Interlibrary Loan Department Belfast Education and Library Board Ground Floor Royal Avenue BELFAST BT1 1EA Tel: (028) 9050 9167 centrallending.belb@ni-libraries.net
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Clare ZN/P50 PL-PZ	Interlibrary Loan Department Clare County Library Mill Road Ennis County Clare Tel: (065) 684 6350 Fax: (065) 684 2462 mailbox@clarelibrary.ie
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Cork CO/P-2 S	Interlibrary Loans Department Cork City Library 56-61 Grand Parade Cork Tel: (021) 492 4900 Fax: (021) 427 5684 libraries@corkcity.ie
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[†]The stock of items published prior to June 1987 is incomplete due to fire damage.**Donegal**

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Interlibrary Loan Department
Central Library
Oliver Plunkett Road
Letterkenny
County Donegal
Tel: (074) 912 4950
Fax: (074) 912 4950
central@donegallibrary.ie**Dublin**

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L-M

Interlibrary Loan Department
Dublin City Libraries Administrative
HQ
138-144 Pearse Street
Dublin 2
Tel: (01) 674 4800
Fax: (01) 674 4879
dublinpubliclibraries@dublincity.ie**Fingal**

W

Interlibrary Loan Department
Fingal County Libraries
P.O. Box 174
County Hall
Main Street
Swords
County Dublin
Tel: (01) 890 5520
Fax: (01) 890 5599
libs@fingalcoco.ie**Galway**

GA/P-1

Irish language

Interlibrary Loan Department
Galway County Library HQ
Island House
Cathedral Square
Galway
Tel: (091) 562 471
Fax: (091) 565 039
info@galwaylibrary.ie**Kerry**

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Interlibrary Loan Department
Kerry County Library
Moyderwell
Tralee
County Kerry
Tel: (066) 712 1200
Fax: (066) 712 9202
info@kerrycolib.ie**Kildare**

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Interlibrary Loan Department
Kildare County Libraries
Riverbank
Newbridge
County Kildare
Tel: (045) 431 109
Fax: (045) 432 490
colibrary@kildarecoco.ie

Kilkenny ZN/P16 PA-PK	Interlibrary Loan Department Kilkenny County Library NIB 6 Rose Inn Street Kilkenny Tel: (056) 779 4160 Fax: (056) 776 3384 info@kilkennylibrary.ie	South Dublin J	Interlibrary Loan Department South Dublin County Libraries Unit 1 The Square Industrial Complex Tallaght Dublin 24 Tel: (01) 459 7834 Fax: (01) 459 7872 libraries@sdblincoco.ie
Laois ZN/P17 X Z	Interlibrary Loan Department Laois County Library County Hall Portlaoise County Laois Tel: (057) 867 4315 Fax: (057) 867 4381 library@laoiscoco.ie	South Eastern ELB ZN/C-4 HI-HZ	Interlibrary Loan Department South Eastern Education and Library Board Main Street BALLYNAHINCH BT24 8DN Tel: (028) 9756 6442 Fax: (028) 9756 4282 ballynahinchlibrary@ni-libraries.net
Limerick City ZN/P20 O	Interlibrary Loan Department Limerick City Library The Granary Michael Street Limerick Tel: (061) 407 510 Fax: (061) 411 506 citylib@limerickcity.ie	Southern ELB ZN/C-5 HA-HH	Interlibrary Loan Department Southern Education and Library Board 1 Market Street ARMAGH BT61 7BU Tel: (028) 3752 4072 armaghlibrary@ni-libraries.net
Limerick County ZN/P19 N	Interlibrary Loan Department Limerick County Library 58 O'Connell Street Limerick Tel: (061) 496 526 Fax: (061) 318 570 libinfo@limerickcoco.ie	Tipperary ZN/P47 Y	Interlibrary Loan Department Tipperary Joint Libraries Committee Castle Avenue Thurles County Tipperary Tel: (0504) 21102/21555 Fax: (0504) 23442 info@tipperarylibraries.ie
Meath ZN/P24 T	Interlibrary Loan Department Meath County Library Railway Street Navan County Meath Tel: (046) 902 1134 Fax: (046) 902 1463 library@meathcoco.ie	Western ELB ZN/P45 A F I	Interlibrary Loan Department Western Education and Library Board Library Headquarters 1 Spillars Place Irishtown Road OMAGH County Tyrone BT78 1HL Tel: (028) 8224 4821 Fax: (028) 8224 6772 omaghlibrary@ni-libraries.net
North Eastern ELB ZN/C-3 D G	Interlibrary Loan Department North Eastern Education and Library Board 5 Pat's Brae BALLYMENA County Antrim BT43 5AX Tel: (028) 2563 3950 Fax: (028) 2563 3953 ballymena.library@ni-library.net	Westmeath ZN/P22 E	Interlibrary Loan Department Westmeath County Library County Library Headquarters Dublin Road Mullingar County Westmeath Tel: (044) 934 0781 Fax: (044) 934 1322 library@westmeathcoco.ie
Roscommon ZN/P33 V	Interlibrary Loan Department Roscommon County Library Abbey Street Roscommon Tel: (090) 663 7277 Fax: (090) 663 7101 roslib@eircom.net		

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Interlibrary Loan Department
Wexford County Library
Library Management Services
c/o Kents Building
Ardcavan
County Wexford
Tel: (053) 912 4922/24928
Fax: (053) 912 1097
libraryhq@wexfordcoco.ie

Wicklow
R
Interlibrary Loan Department
Wicklow County Library
UDC Offices
Boghall Road
Bray
County Wicklow
Tel: (01) 286 6566
Fax: (01) 286 5811
library@wicklowcoco.ie

SCOTTISH FICTION RESERVE

The Scottish Fiction Reserve, set up in 1955 to ensure the systematic collection and preservation of the works of Scottish novelists, major and minor, operates in a different way from the other schemes. All 32 Scottish public library authorities participate and collect on a basis of local association, each library making itself responsible for authors born in its area or closely associated with it. The allocations of authors to libraries is set out in the *Directory of Authors in the Scottish Fiction Reserve* (ISBN: 0-902220-77-2), revised in 1986 and available from the National Library of Scotland, George IV Bridge, Edinburgh EH1 1EW.

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Alfreton
Derbyshire
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Tel: (01773) 835 064
Fax: (01773) 831 359
liem@derbyshire.gov.uk

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- **The National Library of Scotland Document Supply Team**
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National Library of Scotland
George IV Bridge
Edinburgh
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Fax: (0131) 623 3830
ils@nls.uk

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via Newcastle City Council

- **North West Libraries Interlending Partnership**

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nwlip@lancashire.gov.uk

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- **South West Regional Library Service**

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Somerset
TA20 3NA
Tel: (07504) 047 625
director@swrls.org.uk

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- **Yorkshire Libraries and Information**

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