

## UK STANDARD LIBRARY CATEGORIES, VERSION 1.0, DECEMBER 2012

### CHANGES FROM E4L CATEGORY HEADINGS

#### GENERAL

##### Introduction

Some changes of wording to reflect amendments to the scheme and the role played by the UKSLC Codes in EDI messaging

##### Table column headings

'UKSL Category' replaces 'E4L Category Heading' throughout.

'UKSLC Code' replaces 'Shelving code' throughout.

##### UKSLC Codes

Many E4L codes have been amended to provide each UKSL Category with the unique identifier required to support EDI messaging.

### ADULT NON-FICTION (September 2008, corrected October 2010)

#### 6.1 E4Libraries Adult Non-Fiction Category Headings

Renamed as Table 1.1 UK Standard Library Categories – Adult Non-Fiction – Subject

Amendments are as follows:

Heading	Code	Amendment
General		Mapping rules: add new BIC category GTH (Flags, symbols, emblems, logos)
Basic Skills		Category name: to Skills for Life
Computers and IT		Mapping rules: add single-letter BIC code U (General works)
Society		Mapping rules: add single-letter BIC code J (General works)
Law		Mapping rules: add single-letter BIC code L (General works)
Literature		Mapping rules: add new BIC category DB (Classical texts) Mapping rules: add new BIC category FZ (Popular fiction companions)
Popular Science		Category name: to Popular Science and Mathematics
Farming and Country Life		Mapping rules: delete BIC category TTVR (Rural crafts)

Psychology		Mapping rules: add new BIC category GTR (Cognitive science)
Health and Fitness		Category name: to Health and Wellbeing Mapping rules: add single-letter BIC code M (General works)
Food and Drink		Mapping rules: delete BIC category WBQ (Cooking for/with children)
Childcare		Mapping rules: add BIC category WBQ (Cooking for/with children)
Crafts		Mapping rules: add renamed BIC category TTVR (Traditional trades and skills) [formerly Rural crafts]
Art & Design		Mapping rules: add single-letter BIC code A (General works)
History		Mapping rules: add single-letter BIC code H (Humanities - general works)
Biography		Mapping rules: add new BIC category BK (Collected biography)
Gay/Lesbian	GAY	Category removed to Table 1.3 below Code: GLN

## 6.5 E4L Broad Category Shelfmarks

Renamed as Table 1.2 UK Standard Library Categories – Adult Non-Fiction – Broad Subject Categories

Amendments are as follows:

Heading	Code	Amendment
Column heading: Broad Category Shelfmark		Column heading: Broad Subject Category
General	GEN	Code: to GE
Basic Skills	BAS	Category name: to Skills for Life Code: to SK
Computers and IT	COM	Code: to CI
Religion and Belief	REL	Code: to RB
Society	SOC	Code: to SO
Business and Money	BUS	Code: to BM
Language and Literature	LAN	Code: to LL
Science	SCI	Categories included: 'Popular Science' to 'Popular Science and Mathematics' Code: to SC
Technology and Industry	TEC	Code: to TI
Body and Mind	BOD	Category name: to Health and Beauty Categories included : 'Health and Beauty' to 'Health and Wellbeing' Code: to HB

Home and Family	HOM	Code: to HF
Arts	ART	Code: to AR
Sport and Leisure	SPO	Code: to SL
Geography and Travel	TRV	Code: to GT
History and Warfare	HIS	Code: to HW
Biography	BIO	Code: to BI

Insert new Table 1.3 UK Standard Library Categories – Adult Non-Fiction – Audience

UKSL Category	Includes BIC codes beginning	Includes BIC qualifier	UKSLC Code
Emergent Readers	Any except those beginning F or Y	5AX For emergent readers (adult)	ERN
Gay/Lesbian Interest	Any except those beginning F or Y	5S Of specific gay/lesbian interest	GLN

*Note: in any case where both UKSLCs apply they should be cited in alphabetical order of UKSLC Code.*

Note: Emergent Readers is a new UKSL category based on new BIC code 5AX.

## ADULT FICTION (September 2008, corrected October 2010)

### 7.1 E4Libraries Adult Fiction Category Headings

Renamed as Table 2.1 UK Standard Library Categories – Adult Fiction – Genre

Amendments are as follows:

Heading	Code	Amendment
Crime	CRI	Code: to CRM
General	GEN	Code: to GNR
Historical	HIS	Code: to HST
Science Fiction	SCI	Code: to SCF
Graphic novels		Category removed to new Table 2.3
Fiction in Translation		Category removed to new Table 2.3
Short Stories		Category removed to new Table 2.3
Gay/Lesbian	GAY	Category removed to new Table 2.2 Code: to GLF
Add new category		Category name: Fantasy Romance Mapping rules: new BIC category FMR Code: FRM

Insert new Table 2.2 UK Standard Library Categories – Adult Fiction – Audience

<b>UKSL Category</b>	<b>Includes BIC codes beginning</b>	<b>Includes BIC qualifiers</b>	<b>UKSLC Code</b>
Emergent Readers	Any BIC code (not those beginning F and Y)	5AX For emergent readers (adult)	ERF
Gay/Lesbian Interest	Any BIC code (not those beginning F and Y)	5S Of specific gay/lesbian interest	GLF

*Note: in any case where both UKSLCs apply they should be cited in alphabetical order of UKSLC Code.*

Note: Emergent Readers is a new UKSL category based on new BIC code 5AX.

Insert new Table 2.3 UK Standard Library Categories – Adult Fiction – Treatment

<b>UKSL Category</b>	<b>Includes BIC codes beginning</b>	<b>Includes BIC qualifiers</b>	<b>UKSLC Code</b>
Graphic Novels	FX		GRA
Short Stories	FYB		SST
Fiction in Translation	FYT		TRA

*Note: in any case where two or more of the above UKSLCs apply they should be cited in alphabetical order of UKSLC Code.*

## CHILDREN'S AND YOUNG ADULTS

Table 6.1 E4Libraries Children's and Young Adult Category Headings (1)

Early Years category deleted:

<b>Heading</b>	<b>Code</b>	<b>Amendment</b>
Early Years	EY	Delete category

Non-Fiction categories renamed as:

Table 3.2.1 UK Standard Library Categories – Children's and Teenage – Non-Fiction - Age

<b>Heading</b>	<b>Code</b>	<b>Amendment</b>
Non-Fiction 5+	NF5+	Mapping rules: amend 'Begins YQ' to 'Begin YQ (not YQCR)' Mapping rules: add qualifiers 4KHF, 4KSC, 4KTG Code: N5
Non-Fiction 7+	NF7+	Mapping rules: amend 'Begins YQ' to 'Begin YQ (not YQCR)' Mapping rules: add qualifiers 4KHJ, 4KSD, 4KTJ Code: N7
Non-Fiction 9+	NF9+	Mapping rules: amend 'Begins YQ' to 'Begin YQ (not YQCR)' Code: N9

Heading	Code	Amendment
Non-Fiction 11+	NF11+	Mapping rules: amend 'Begins YQ' to 'Begin YQ (not YQCR)' Mapping rules: add qualifiers 4KHN, 4KSF, 4KTP Code: N11
Non-Fiction 13+	NF13+	Category name: Teenage Non-Fiction Mapping rules: amend 'Begins YQ' to 'Begin YQ (not YQCR)' Mapping rules: add qualifiers 4KSN, 4KSS, 4KTR, 4PCJ Code: NT
Add new category		Category name: Older Teenage Non-Fiction Mapping rules: as Teenage Non-Fiction + new BIC qualifier 5X (Explicit content) Code: NTO Note: additional titles can also be added to this category as required by suppliers or library services)

Fiction categories renamed as:

Table 3.3.1 UK Standard Library Categories – Children's and Teenage – Fiction - Age

Heading	Code	Amendment
Fiction 5+	NF5+	Mapping rules: 'Begins YF' to 'Begins YF, YQCR' Code: F5
Fiction 7+	NF7+	Mapping rules: 'Begins YF' to 'Begins YF, YQCR' Code: F7
Fiction 9+	NF9+	Mapping rules: 'Begins YF' to 'Begins YF, YQCR' Code: F9
Fiction 11+	NF11+	Mapping rules: 'Begins YF' to 'Begins YF, YQCR' Code: F11
Fiction 13+	NF13+	Category name: Teenage Fiction Mapping rules: 'Begins YF' to 'Begins YF, YQCR' Code: FT
Add new category		Category name: Older Teenage Fiction Mapping rules: rules for Teenage Fiction + new BIC qualifier 5X (Explicit content) Code: FTO Note: additional titles can be added to this category as required by suppliers or library services

Table 6.2.1 E4Libraries Children's and Young Adult Category Headings (2) Early Years

Renamed as Table 3.1.1 UK Standard Library Categories – Children's and Teenage – Early Years – Booktype

Amendments are as follows:

Heading	Code	Amendment
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Heading	Code	Amendment
Books for Babies	BOB	Code: EB
Picture Books	PIB	Mapping rules: 'YBC (not YBCB, YBCS)' to 'YBC (not YBCB)' Mapping rules: add 'no BIC qualifier prefixed 5A [or] BIC qualifier = 5AB [or] 5AC [or] 5AD' Code: EP
Picture Storybooks	PCS	Delete category (now included within Picture Books)
Early Learning	LRN	Mapping rules: 'YBL (not YBLB1)' to 'YBL' Code: EL

Table 6.2.2 E4Libraries Children's and Young Adult Category Headings (2) Fiction 5+, 7+, 9+, 11+, 13+

Renamed as Table 3.3.2 UK Standard Library Categories – Fiction 5+, 7+, 9+, 11+, Teenage, Older Teenage – Genre

Amendments are as follows:

Heading	Code	Amendment
General	GEN	Code: to YGN
Classics	CLA	Code: to YCL
Adventure	ADV	Code: to YAD
Horror	HOR	Code: to YHO
Fantasy / Magic	FAN	Mapping rules: 'YFH' to 'YFH [not YFHR]' Code: to YFA
Science Fiction	SCI	Code: to YSF
Families	FAM	Code: to YFM
Animals	ANI	Code: to YAN
Humorous	HUM	Code: to YHU
Romance	ROM	Code: to YRO
Sport	SPO	Code: to YSP
School	SCH	Code: to YSC
Historical	HIS	Code: to YHI
Short Stories	SHO	Category removed to new Table 3.3.4 Code: to YSH
Graphic Novels	GRA	Category removed to new Table 3.3.4 Mapping rules: add 'includes UKSLCs Fiction 11+, Teenage, Older Teenage' Code: to YGN
Traditional	TRD	YTR
Reluctant Readers	RER	Category removed to new Table 3.3 Category name: to High Interest / Low Reading Age

		Code: to YHF
Add new category		Category name: Fantasy Romance Mapping rules: new BIC category YFHR Code: YFR

Insert new Table 3.3.3 UK Standard Library Categories – Children's and Teenage – Fiction – Audience

UKSL Category	Includes BIC codes beginning	Includes UKSLC	Includes BIC qualifier	UKSLC Code
Early Reader	YF (not YFW)	Fiction 5+		YER
Developing Reader	YF (not YFW)	Fiction 7+		YDR
High Interest/Low Reading Age	YF	Fiction 5+, 7+, 9+, 11+, Teenage, Older Teenage	5AR For reluctant readers (children)	YHF
Reading Scheme	YQCR	Fiction 5+, 7+, 9+, 11+, Teenage, Older Teenage		YRS

*Note: these audience-based UKSLCs are mutually exclusive and only one category from this group will be added to any record.*

Note: Early Reader, Developing Reader and Reading Scheme are new UKSL Categories.

Insert new Table 3.3.4 UK Standard Library Categories – Children's and Teenage Fiction – Treatment

UKSL Category	Includes BIC codes beginning	Includes UKSLC	UKSLC Code
Graphic Novels	YFW Graphic novels / comic strip fiction	Fiction 11+, Teenage, Older Teenage	YGR
Picture Books for Older Readers	YBC Picture books YFW Graphic novels / comic strip fiction – Tintin, Asterix etc.	Fiction 5+, 7+, 9+	YPO
Short Stories	YFU Short stories	Fiction 5+, 7+, 9+, 11+, Teenage, Older Teenage	YSH

*Note: UKSLC 'Short Stories' may be used in conjunction with either of the other two UKSLCs above. In any such case the UKSLCs should be cited in alphabetical order of UKSLC Code.*

Note: Picture Books for Older Readers is a new UKSL category.





Table 6.2.3 E4Libraries Children's and Young Adult Category Headings (2) Non-fiction 5+, 7+, 9+, 11+, 13+

Renamed as Table 3.2.2 UK Standard Library Categories – Non-Fiction 5+, 7+, 9+, 11+, Teenage, Older Teenage – Subject

Amendments are as follows:

Heading	Code	Amendment
General	GEN	Code: to YGE
Study and Revision	STU	Code: to YSR
Supernatural	SUP	Code: to YSU
Religion and Belief	REL	Code: to YRE
People and Places	PEO	To two new categories 1. Category name: to Geography Mapping rules: to 'YNM, YRW, YQQ' Code: to YGY 2. Category name: to Society Mapping rules: to 'YXZ (not YXZG, YXZR, YXZW); YQN (not YQNP); YQJ (not YQJP)' Code: to YSO
Work and Industry	WOR	Category name: to Work and Money Mapping rules: add 'YNPK (Money)' Mapping rules: add new BIC category 'YQY (Vocational subjects & skills) ' Code: to YWO
Personal Issues	PER	Mapping rules: add new BIC categories YQJP (Psychology) and YXV (Careers guidance) Code: to YPE
Languages	LAN	Mapping rules: 'YQC' to 'YQC (not YQCR)' Code: to YLA
Science, Maths and Technology	SCI	Code: to YSM
Nature	NAT	Code: to YNA
Animals	ANI	Mapping rules: delete YNNA (Dinosaurs & Prehistoric Life) Code: to YAM
Leisure	LEI	Mapping rules: 'YNP' to 'YNP (not YNPK)' Code: to YLE
Art	ART	Code: to YAR
Music and Entertainment	MUS	Code: to YME
Sport	SPO	Code: to YST
Literature	LIT	Mapping rules: add new BIC categories YNL (Literature, books and writers) and YQD (Drama studies) Code: to YLI

Humour	HUM	Code: to YHM
Poetry	POE	Code: to YPY
History and Warfare	HIS	Code: to YHY
Reluctant Readers	RER	Category removed to new Table 3.2.3 Category name: to High Interest / Low Reading Age Code: to YHN
Add new category		Category name: Prehistoric Life Mapping rule: YNNA Code: YPR

Insert new Table 3.2.3 UK Standard Library Categories – Non-Fiction 5+, 7+, 9+, 11+, Teenage, Older Teenage – Audience

<b>UKSL Category</b>	<b>Includes BIC codes beginning</b>	<b>Includes BIC codes beginning</b>	<b>Include BIC qualifier</b>	<b>UKSLC Code</b>
High Interest/ Low Reading Age	Begins YN, YR, YX	YQ (not YQCR)	5AR For reluctant readers (children)	YHN