

21st Century Academic Library Fair Dealing Worksheet

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Case specifics:

21st Century Academic Library digitizes its (purchased) copy of a single-edition textbook printed in 2000 and makes the resulting ebook available via its CDL program. The print copy is made uncirculating and transferred to off-site storage.

Historically, the print textbook has only been used occasionally, when a student selects one of ten listed research essay topics in a fourth year anthropology class.

The textbook has been out of print for many years but is available as an ebook via a licence agreement. The annual cost for the ebook licence is much higher (\$1000) than other ebook licences for similar academic works (~\$100-\$300). The original print textbook sold for \$75 and it is usually possible to find used print copies from resellers for between \$10-\$100.

Second Step of Fair Dealing Determination: Assessment of Six Factors

Factor and your notes	Fair	Not Fair	Weighting (rank, %)
Purpose of the dealing			
Character of the dealing			
Amount of the dealing			
Nature of the work			
Alternatives to the dealing			
Effect of the dealing on the work			

