Graphic Novels

Please note: The policy for Manga differs from the policy for Graphic Novels.

Bibliographic Record

Do not use serial records or set records for graphic novels—use a monograph record for the individual volume.

Subject Headings

Use the free-floating form subdivision **tv** Comic books, strips, etc. with all topical headings.

650 _ 0 **‡a**Runaway teenagers**‡v**Comic books, strips, etc.

650 _ 0 **‡a**Voyages and travels**‡v**Comic books, strips, etc.

Delete duplicate subject headings that are the same heading with a different subdivision.

Form and Genre Headings

Assign genre headings from the LCGFT as appropriate. Use the following form headings for all graphic novels and comic book compilations:

655 _ 7 ‡aGraphic novels.‡2lcgft

655 _ 7 **‡a**Comics (Graphic works)**‡2**lcgft

Translations/Adaptations

When a translated work has been adapted, enter the work under the person responsible for the adaptation. Make an added entry for the original author.

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100 1_ ‡aHinds, Gareth, ‡d1971-‡eadapter, ‡eillustrator.
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245 10 ‡aGraceling :‡bthe graphic novel /‡cKristin Cashore ; adapted and illustrated by Gareth Hinds.

700 1___‡aCashore, Kristin,‡eauthor.

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100 1 ‡aFolman, Ari, ‡eauthor.
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245 10‡aAnne Frank's diary :‡bthe graphic adaptation /‡cAnne Frank ; adapted by Ari Folman ; illustrations by David Polonsky.

700 1_ ‡aPolonsky, David, ‡eillustrator.

700 1_ ‡aFrank, Anne,‡d1929-1945,‡eauthor.

Titles vs. Series Statements

If the title and numbering is listed in the 245 ‡n/‡p, do not repeat the same information in the 490/8XX fields. Only include a series statement if it differs from the title.

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100 1_ ‡aGaiman, Neil,‡eauthor.
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245 10 ‡aNorse mythology.‡nVolume 2 /‡cstory and words by Neil Gaiman ; script and layouts by P. Craig Russell ; letters by Galen Showman.

[No need for a 490/8XX]

Include series statements if they differ from the title of the work. Search the authority files for the series to determine the appropriate wording, and include the 8XX.

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245 10 ‡aBlackrat's treasure /‡cby Geronimo Stilton.
490 1_ ‡aGeronimo Stilton reporter ;‡v#10
800 1_ ‡aStilton, Geronimo.‡tGeronimo Stilton reporter ;‡v10.
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