

## The Dewey Decimal System

Are you looking for something specific in your library? Confused about where to start? Do you find the non-fiction section to be a bit overwhelming? Never fear! We have an explanation of the layout right here:

<b>000 Computer science, knowledge &amp; systems</b>	<b>500 Science</b>
010 Bibliographies	510 Mathematics
020 Library and Information Sciences	520 Astronomy
030 Encyclopedias and books of facts	530 Physics
040	540 Chemistry
050 Magazines, journals, and series	550 Earth science & geology
060 Association, organizations, and museums	560 Fossils & prehistoric life
070 News media, journalism, and publishing	570 Biology
080 Quotations	580 Plants (Botany)
090 Manuscripts and rare books	590 Animals (Zoology)
<b>100 Philosophy</b>	<b>600 Technology</b>
110 Metaphysics	610 Medicine & health
120 Epistemology	620 Engineering
130 Parapsychology & occultism	630 Agriculture
140 Philosophical schools of thought	640 Home & family management
150 Psychology	650 Management & public relations
160 Philosophical logic	660 Chemical engineering
170 Ethics	670 Manufacturing
180 Ancient, medieval, and eastern philosophy	680 Manufacture for specific uses
190 Modern and western philosophy	690 Construction of buildings
<b>200 Religion</b>	<b>700 Arts</b>
210 Philosophy and theory of religion	710 Area planning and landscape architecture
220 The Bible	720 Architecture
230 Christianity	730 Sculpture, ceramics, & metalwork
240 Christian practice and observance	740 Graphic arts & decorative arts
250 Christian pastoral practice & religious orders	750 Painting
260 Christian organization, social work, & worship	760 Printmaking and prints
270 History of Christianity	770 Photography, computer art, film, video
280 Christian denominations	780 Music
290 Other religions	790 Sports, games, & entertainment
<b>300 Social sciences, sociology, &amp; anthropology</b>	<b>800 Literature, rhetoric, &amp; criticism</b>
310 Statistics	810 American literature in English
320 Political science	820 English & Old English literatures
330 Economics	830 German & related literatures
340 Law	840 French & related literatures
350 Public administration & military science	850 Italian, Romanian, & related literatures
360 Social problems & social services	860 Spanish, Portuguese, Galician literatures
370 Education	870 Latin & Italic literatures
380 Commerce, communications, & transportation	880 Classical & modern Greek literatures
390 Customs, etiquette, & folklore	890 Other literatures
<b>400 Language</b>	<b>900 History</b>
410 Linguistics	910 Geography & travel
420 English & Old English languages	920 Biography & genealogy
430 German & related languages	930 History of ancient world (to ca. 499)
440 French & related languages	940 History of Europe
450 Italian, Romanian, & related languages	950 History of Asia
460 Spanish, Portuguese, Galician	960 History of Africa
470 Latin & Italic languages	970 History of North America
480 Classic & modern Greek languages	980 History of South America
490 Other languages	990 History of other areas

