Interlibrary Loan Lending Policies

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Materials Available for Loan:

- Circulating books (limit of 4 volumes per loan)
- Dissertations and theses (only if a second copy is available)
- Microfilms (limit of 2 reels per loan)
- Videotapes in the regular stacks

Materials Unavailable for Loan:

- Periodicals – both bound and unbound – and newspapers
- Reference materials
- Items on reserve
- DVDs and music CDs
- Items from Special Collections and Archives
- Theses of which we own only one copy
- Items on the New Book Shelf

Loan Period and Renewals:

- 50 days for items not currently in heavy demand
- Subject to recall after two weeks
- Includes mailing time
- No more than one renewal

Fee Schedules:

- ILLINET, ATLA, CATLA, ACTS libraries – no charge
- All other libraries - $20.00 per filled loan request; $10.00 per filled article request
- Invoices are issued with the loan/photocopy. All payments should be made by check or money order in US currency. OCLC’s IFM, IFLA vouchers, international postal coupons, and cash cannot be accepted.
- Lost ILL item - $125 for replacement and $10 for processing

Shipping:

- Loans are shipped via USPS library rate and ILDS (Code: UNI).
- Photocopies are shipped via email, mail, and fax.
How to Submit Requests:

- OCLC (Code: JET)
- Email: united.ill@garrett.edu
- Fax: 847-866-3894
- Phone: 847-866-3870
- Mail: Interlibrary Loan, The United Library, Garrett-Evangelical Theological Seminary, 2121 Sheridan Road, Evanston, IL 60201