

ALA Core Subject Analysis Committee (SAC)

Report of the liaison from Sears List of Subject Headings

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List of replaced headings

Old term	Replacement term
Actual innocence	Wrongful conviction
Apartment houses	Apartment buildings
Applications for positions	Job applications
Arab Spring, 2010-	Arab Spring, 2010-2012
Bar coding	Barcoding
Blacks	Black people
Blacks—Africa	Black people—Africa
Blacks—Biography	Black people—Biography
Blacks—Canada	Black people—Canada
Blacks—Civil rights	Black people—Civil rights
Blacks—Economic conditions	Black people—Economic conditions
Blacks—Education	Black people—Education
Blacks—Employment	Black people—Employment
Blacks—Folklore	Black people—Folklore
Blacks—France	Black people—France
Blacks—Housing	Black people—Housing
Blacks—Intellectual life	Black people—Intellectual life
Blacks—Political activity	Black people—Political activity
Blacks—Race identity	Black people—Race identity
Blacks—Religion	Black people—Religion
Blacks—Segregation	Black people—Segregation
Blacks—Social conditions	Black people—Social conditions
Blacks—Social life and customs	Black people—Social life and customs
Blacks—Suffrage	Black people—Suffrage

Blacks in art	Black people in art
Blacks in literature	Black people in literature
Blacks in motion pictures	Black people in motion pictures
Blacks in the motion picture industry	Black people in the motion picture industry
Cabala	Kabbalah
Car pools	Carpools
Cellular telephones	Cell phones
Children with mental disabilities	Children with developmental disabilities
Children with mental disabilities	Children with intellectual disabilities
Children with mental disabilities—Education	Children with intellectual disabilities—Education
Children with social disabilities	Socially disadvantaged children
Chinese New Year	Lunar New Year
Collecting of accounts	Debt collection
Crustacea	Crustaceans
Demonic possession	Demoniac possession
Dystopias--fiction	Dystopian fiction
Fanzines	Zines
Female circumcision	Female genital mutilation
First Nations—Relocation	First Nations—Forced removal
Fund raising	Fundraising
Future life	Afterlife
Hearing ear dogs	Hearing dogs
Hearing impaired	Hard of hearing
Human-animal relationships	Human-animal relationship
Internet television	Streaming television
Intifada, 2000-	Intifada, 2000-2005
Islands of the Pacific	Pacific Islands
Japanese Americans—Evacuation and relocation, 1942-1945	Japanese Americans--Forced removal and incarceration, 1942-1945
Japanese Canadians—Evacuation and relocation, 1942-1945	Japanese Canadians--Forced removal and incarceration, 1942-1945
LGBT comic books, strips, etc.	LGBTQ comic books, strips, etc.
LGBT literature	LGBTQ literature
LGBT people	LGBTQ people
LGBT people in the military	LGBTQ people in the military
Manic-depressive illness	Bipolar disorder
Mental retardation	Intellectual disabilities
Native Americans—Relocation	Native Americans—Forced removal
Navajo Indians	Navajo
Nonindigenous pests	Invasive pests
Palestinian Arabs	Palestinians

Parents of gays	Parents of LGBTQ people
People with mental disabilities	People with intellectual disabilities
People with mental disabilities	People with developmental disabilities
People with social disabilities	Socially disadvantaged people
Poor	Poor people
Poor—Canada	Poor people—Canada
Poor—Medical care	Poor people—Medical care
Project Voyager	Voyager project
Rich	Rich people
Shojo-ai	Shoujo-ai
Shonen-ai	Yaoi
Transsexualism	Transsexual people
Unauthorized immigrants	Undocumented immigrants
Voodooism	Vodou
Web-based instruction	Online education

List of canceled headings

Elderhostels
Project Ranger
Raptorex
Shadowpact (Fictional characters)
Telstar project
Troodon
V-chips
Videophone

List of added headings

Term
Anti-fascist movements
Black Lives Matter movement
COVID-19 (Disease)
COVID-19 Pandemic
Crowdfunding
Drag kings
Drag queens
Cryptocurrencies
Gaza Strip
Gender transition
Generation Z
Graphic design
Husband abuse
Masks (Medical)

Memes
Moose
Neurodiversity
Nonbinary people
Pacific Islanders
Sharing
Trauma (Psychology)