Study Unit II: Dewey Decimal Classification Scheme

Introduction

In this study unit, we shall learn how to use the Dewey Decimal Classification Scheme to classify library materials.

Learners will be provided with different resources in order to develop further their skills in library classification.

In Semester One, learners were able to understand what DDC is, its history, features and advantages and disadvantages. Therefore, in this study unit, they will have practical sessions on how to classify materials using DDC.

Learning Outcomes of Study Unit II

Upon completion of this study unit, you should be able to classify different library materials using DDC.

2.1. Content of Study Unit II

Several resources have been availed to you so that you can be able to know how to utilize DDC to classify library materials. Read the available resources in order to have a perfect understanding of this important scheme that is used in libraries all over the world.

Practical exercises will be provided every week so that you can practice further and learn more how to classify using this scheme.

The Lecturer will provide all the support you need in order to perfect your knowledge and skills in library classification.