

Weekly Dose Following Print

In general follow print when transcribing into braille:

- Accents
- Punctuation
- Capitalization

Facsimile Transcription

Follow print as fully as possible including ornamentation.

Examples of Facsimile Transcription

- When the reader is responsible for editing the text.
- When the reader is studying typography.
- When the reader is studying original manuscripts.

Quick Reminder Do not correct print errors.

Print Ornamentation

Ignore print ornamentation (Used to enhance the appearance of print, some may call it, "eye candy.")

Examples of Print Ornamentation

- Different typefaces or fonts for headings.
- The lowercase of letters with accents in a fully capitalized word.
- Colored type print used for all example words.
- Italics used for all variables in a text.
- Small capitals font used for all Roman numerals.

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