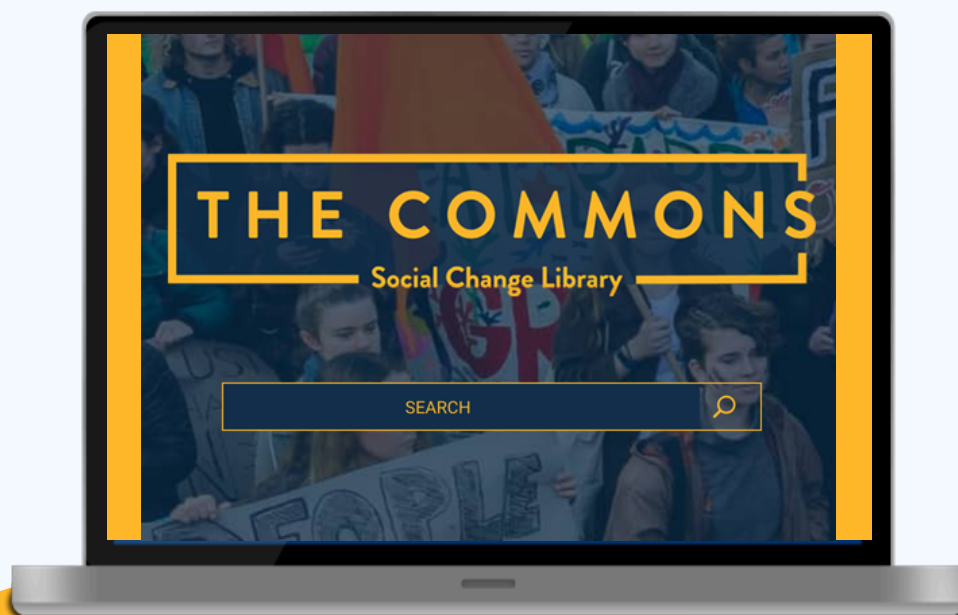


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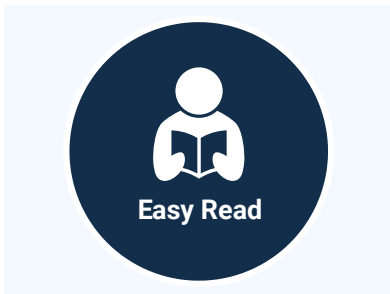


# How to use this guide



The Commons librarians wrote this guide.

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We wrote this guide in an easy to read way.

We use pictures to explain some ideas.

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Contact details are at the end of this guide.

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You can ask for help to read this guide. A friend, family member or support person may be able to help you.

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# What is the Commons Library?



The Commons Library is a website.

[www.commonslibrary.org](http://www.commonslibrary.org)

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The Commons is free to use.

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The Commons is different from other libraries.

You do not need a library card to get information from the Commons.

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The Commons has friendly librarians who can help you find what you need.

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## Information to make the world better



The aim of the Commons Library is to help people make the world better.

For example

- making things fairer for people
  - looking after the environment.
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The information in the Commons comes from people who make the world better.

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There are many different ways to make change in the world.

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The Commons has information about all these ways like:

- speaking out
  - taking action
  - working in groups
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## Different ways to learn



There are different ways to learn on the Commons Library website.

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Information might be in:

- an article
  - a video
  - a podcast
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There are also:

- training guides
  - interviews
  - easy read articles
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The Commons librarians add new information every week.

<https://commonslibrary.org/links/>

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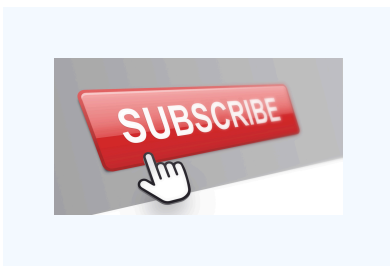
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