

Use of the Collection of Posters and Small Prints



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Registering for a Reader Pass To be allowed to use this collection of National Széchényi Library, you need to own a valid Reader Pass to NSZL as well as filling in and signing a form containing the researcher's data, his/her aim of research and certifying that the researcher understands and accepts rules and regulations related to research work in the Library. Each calendar year, or in case of a new topic of research, a new form has to be filled in and signed. Reference section and catalogues can be used by readers with a Day Pass, too.

It is forbidden to have food or drinks in the reading room. The same is valid for mobile phones. It is strictly forbidden to make any shot or copy of documents in the reading room by the user's own equipment (such as traditional or digital camera, video recorder, Xerox machine, scanner, etc.).

Copying Service

Photocopy

Photocopy about certain documents of the Collection of Posters and Small Prints can be ordered and made in the reading room. No photocopies are allowed to be made of the following parts of this collection (only digital copies can be ordered): (1) all documents made by reproduced graphics, (2) graphic posters, (3) posters including texts, (4) dime prints, (5) picture postcards issued before 1945.

Digital copy

Photocopies and other digital copies of any material stored in the Collection of Posters and Small Prints can be made only with a special permit of the Head of Department, after filling in a form. Information about actual conditions and valid fees can be found [here](#).

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Publication

National Széchényi Library establishes publication fees in case of reproduced copies made from the stock of the Collection with the aim of publication, dissemination or for use as a commercial. Permit of publication has to be asked for from the Head of Department in every case and in writing. If necessary, a permit of the heir to the copyright has to be asked for, too, prior to asking NSZL's permit of publication.

Reference

In case of publication, it is advised, if possible, to refer to the place where the used document is kept and also to its special reference number (e.g. National Széchényi Library, Collection of Posters and Small Prints, PKG. 1926/12).

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Search in the collection **Electronic catalogues**

Description of the stock of the Collection of Posters and Small Prints comprising approximately 4 million individual library items is in progress. Data related to our documents can be searched for in NSZL's online catalogue for readers.

Documents in NSZL's online catalogue are the following:

- Hungarian graphic posters issued between 1885 and 1949 (in case of complex search, it is advised to write the expression 'graphic posters' as a key word into a separate search field, in addition to the actual search expression);
- Ex libris issued after 1900 (description in progress), legacy of Lenke Diskay;
- International graphic posters (since the end of the 19th century until 1945);
- Small prints (quarto) published between 1712 and 1751 and small prints (octavo) published between 1712 and 1760;
- Small prints and minor prints (1845-1860);
- Special Collection on 1848 and 1849;
- Documents of the 1956 Revolution (posters including text and leaflets);
- Picture postcards issued before 1945 (description in progress);
- Dime novels (18th to 20th centuries);
- Wall calendars (after 2007);
- Exhibition catalogues.

Online databases

- Graphic Poster Collection (1885-1926) of NSZL's Collection of Posters and Small Prints: digital images and data in detail in the Hungarian Digital Image Library;
- A 3,750-piece Piarist collection of postcards included in NSZL's Collection of Posters and Small Prints, digital images and data related to picture postcards dating back to the turn of the century, arranged according to Hungary's settlements and counties, in the Hungarian Digital Image Library;
- The 1956 Revolution Collection of NSZL's Collection of Posters and Small Prints: digital images of posters including text and leaflets, with data in the database of the Hungarian Electronic Library.

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