

GOETHEANUM LIBRARY

LIBRARY FEES AND CHARGES

As a privately owned institution (by the General Anthroposophical Society) the Goetheanum Library is funded through membership fees and donations. Making its collections available to the interested public, particularly for research purposes, requires qualified staff and a suitable infrastructure. Because considerable financial means are needed to provide this, the library is unable to offer its services free of charge.

Borrowing

Per item	CHF 3.-
Annual library card	CHF 60.-

Concessions

Per item	CHF 2.-
Annual library card	CHF 40.-

Proof is required when concessions are claimed. Concessions are available to students, schoolchildren, OAPs, the unemployed, those in training, military or civil service, and Goetheanum staff.

Free admission

for holders of a Goetheanum Student Pass or Goetheanum Pass, members of the Goetheanum Leadership (as well as Executive Council and section office staff and research assistants to the various section leaders), Goetheanum Documentation staff and voluntary library staff.

Mailed items (inside Switzerland)

Administrative fee per item	CHF 10.-
plus borrowing fee per item and P&P	

Fines for overdue items

First notification	CHF 5.- per item
Second notification	CHF 10.- per item
Third notification	CHF 20.- per item

Photocopying and research requests

Handling fee (for every half hour or part half hour)	CHF. 30.-
Plus P&P and charges per copy	

A4 single/double-sided	CHF 0.20/0.40
A3 single/double-sided	CHF 0.40/0.80
Colour A4/A3	CHF 1.- /2.-

Replacements

We charge a minimum of CHF 100 per unreturned item (or the actual cost of the item should its value exceed this amount) plus an administrative charge of CHF 60. The same charges apply to lost items.