Accessibility Statement - Subject Guides

Introduction

The University of Brighton provides a suite of Subject Guides to support the discoverability of subject and other library related resources. These subject guides run on software called LibGuides from the company Springshare. Content is created and maintained by library staff at the University of Brighton.

How accessible are Subject Guides?

You should be able to:

- Change the text size using your browser or text size settings
- Zoom in up to 300% without the text spilling off the screen
- Navigate most of the website using just a keyboard
- Listen to most of the website using a screen reader (including the most recent versions of JAWS, NVDA and VoiceOver)

We've also made the website text as simple as possible to understand.

Most images which convey information have alt.text to describe them.

Additional ARIA labels have been added where appropriate.

Synchronized captions or a transcript are provided for most non-live video.

Known accessibility problems

- There are some images missing appropriate alternative text.
- There are some examples of text having an insufficient contrast ratio.
- There are some videos which do not have captioning at this time.

How we tested this website

This website has been tested by Library Services using wave.webaim.org and the WAVE Web Accessibility Evaluation Tool.
What are we doing to improve accessibility?

Library Services will:

- Fix contrast issues
- Add in missing alternative text
- Aim to provide captioned videos or provide a transcript alternative where needed

What to do if Subject Guides don’t meet your accessibility needs

Contact us and we will work with you to find a suitable alternative means to share the information, for example arranging a one to one meeting with a subject librarian.

To provide feedback or report a problem please email us eresources@brighton.ac.uk