Errata for *Braille Formats: Principles of Print-to-Braille Transcription, 2016*

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This list of errata contains known corrections and clarifications that should be made to the publication *Braille Formats: Print-to-Braille Transcription, 2016* as posted in 2017.

Please keep in mind:

- The corrections or clarifications in this listing do not change the practices prescribed in the 2016 Braille Formats publication.
- Each notation is identified by page number and section number. They are presented in the order that they appear in the publication.
- Minor errors or typos that do not change meaning or clarify intent have not been listed here.

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**Section 2**

Location: P. 2-3 §2.3.4a

Error: Place the book title, grade level, edition name or number, subtitle, and series name, in that order, on the first line or lines of the title page.

Correction: Place the book title, series name, grade level, subtitle, and edition name or number, in that order, on the first line or lines of the title page.
Location P. 2-3, §2.3.4d

Error: Some title pages are very dense with text, and there may not be enough space for each item to begin on a new line. The series name and edition may be placed on the same line as the title and grade level or subtitle, separated by semicolons.

Correction: Some title pages are very dense with text, and there may not be enough space for each item to begin on a new line. Items may be combined as needed on one or more braille lines. Separate items with semicolons.

Location P. 2-39, Sample 2-13

Error: Exploration

Exploration

Correction: UNIT 1 Exploration

UNIT 1 Exploration

Section 3

Location: P. 3-4, §3.4.2

Error: List the technical symbols on the Special Symbols page.

Correction: 3.4.2 should be removed completely, there are no longer partially technical works requiring symbols to be listed on the Special Symbols page.
Section 8
Location: P. 8-26, Sample 8-13

Error: The first character on lines 14-16 are brailled as a dot 5 and they should be brailled as a dot 4.

14 % % % % % % % % Text
15 % % % % % % % % LRS USK RHIDUS
16 % % % % % % % % Remain is organizing ito

Correction:

14 % % % % % % % % Text
15 % % % % % % % % LRS USK RHIDUS
16 % % % % % % % % Remain is organizing ito

Section 11
Location: P. 11-18, §11.11.1, Sample 11-20

*Please note only the Braille Formats 2016 Online HTML version did not contain the incorrect page number 11-44. Only the pdf versions were incorrect.

Error: (See Sample 11-20: Bar Graph Information Converted to a Table on page 11-44.)

Correction: (See Sample 11-20: Bar Graph Information Converted to a Table on page 11-45.)

Location: P. 11-38, Sample 11-13

Error: Note: This sample is technical foreign language French.

Correction: Note: This sample is technical foreign language Portuguese
Location: P. 11-51, Sample 11-24

Error: Line 15 begins in cell 3 and should begin in cell 5.

14 Vice President: John Adams
15 **aghi**

Correction:

14 Vice President: John Adams
15 **aghi**

Section 18

Location: P. 18-8, §18.6.5, Example 18-8

Error: Blank line between the transcriber's note and the 3-1 paragraph.

Correction:
Location: P. 18-11, §18.18.3, Example 18-11

Error: The dot 5 of the horizontal line mode indicator is missing after the arrow symbol in the first two lines.

Correction: Insert the dot 5 of the horizontal line mode indicator after the arrow symbol on the first two lines.

Location: P. 18-11, §18.18.3, Example 18-12

Error: The dot 5 of the horizontal line mode indicator is missing after the three arrow symbols on the fourth line.

Correction: Insert the dot 5 of the horizontal line mode indicator after the three arrow symbols on the fourth line.
Section 20
Location: P. 20-7, §20.6.1c

Error: When the main entry word is followed by punctuation, capitalization, or enclosure symbols, leave one blank cell between it (including respelling and pronunciations) and the definition segment.

Correction: When the main entry word segment is followed by punctuation, capitalization, or enclosure symbols, leave one blank cell between it (including respelling and pronunciations) and the definition segment.