Copyright law has changed for teachers and schools



changes to Copyright

law in Canada



"Fair Dealing" provision



Opportunities for teaching materials



Fair Dealing Guidelines established





Teachers should know their rights & must know their limits

Teachers may copy short excerpts for students in their class. But – keep them short!

What is a "short excerpt"?

up to 10 per cent of a copyright-protected work

one chapter from a book

a single article from a periodical

an entire artistic work from a copyright-protected work containing other artistic works

an entire newspaper article or page

an entire single poem or musical score from a copyright-protected work containing other poems or musical scores

an entire entry from a reference work (i.e., encyclopedia)

Teachers play a **leadership** role regarding copyright.



YOUR POINT CHECKLIST:

Set an example of respect for copyright with students.

Know and respect the limits of the Fair Dealing Guidelines.

Know your rights and obligations under copyright law. (Have a working knowledge of the users' rights in Copyright Matters!)

Know the "go-to" copyright person at your school.

Know the procedure for seeking advice and obtaining permission.



