

## TEACH Act Copyright Notice Requirements

The TEACH ACT requires the following information be displayed within your Distance or Distributed Learning course if copyrighted materials are utilized:

1. A notice to students that materials used in connection with the course may be subject to copyright protection. The notice to students may be a brief statement simply alerting the reader to copyright implications.

*Sample Statement:*

**The materials on this course Web site/televised course are only for the use of students enrolled in this course for purposes associated with this course and may not be retained or further disseminated.**

2. An active link to the University of Hawaii's policy on copyright.

[http://library.kcc.hawaii.edu/main/UH\\_copyright\\_guidelines.pdf](http://library.kcc.hawaii.edu/main/UH_copyright_guidelines.pdf)

3. An active link to more general information copyright sources, such as:

- **Educational Fair Use Guidelines For Distance Learning**

<http://www.utsystem.edu/ogc/intellectualproperty/distguid.htm>

- **American Library Association - Copyright Issues**

[http://www.ala.org/Content/NavigationMenu/Our\\_Association/Offices/ALA\\_Washington/Issues2/Copyright1/Default1964.htm](http://www.ala.org/Content/NavigationMenu/Our_Association/Offices/ALA_Washington/Issues2/Copyright1/Default1964.htm)

- **Legal Information Institute – Copyright an Overview**

<http://www.law.cornell.edu/topics/copyright.html>

- **The TEACH Toolkit – An Online Resource for Understanding Copyright and Distance Education**

<http://www.lib.ncsu.edu/scc/legislative/teachkit/overview.html>

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