

## **Guide to Reading UEB**

[The following is the short list of signs given on a reference sheet for braille readers, to be included in books, etc. In this print version the signs have been reordered according to meaning, rather than being listed in braille order, as in the braille version.]

## **New Signs**

```
full-stop or decimal point.

live ellipsis ...

dash —

open inner single quote '

close inner single quote '

open inner double quote "

close inner double quote "

open round bracket (

close round bracket )

open square bracket [

close square bracket ]

open transcriber note
```

```
asterisk *
commercial at sign @
i degree sign °
percent sign %
pound sign £
dollar sign $
::: plus +
equals =
∷ iii minus –
fraction line, e.g. iii half ½
: space in group of numbers
acute accent
grave accent `
circumflex accent ^
diaeresis accent
iii ii macron, long vowel ⁻
• subscript
superscript
italic symbol
italic word
```

italic passage

italic terminator

boldface symbol

boldface word

boldface passage

boldface terminator

grade 1 symbol

grade 1 word

grade 1 passage

grade 1 passage terminator

Contractions not used: ally, ation, ble, by, com, dd, into, o'clock, to.

Contractions or words no longer sequenced: and, for, of, the, with, a.

Grade 1 indicator not routinely required before abbreviations.

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