

Instruction to printer	Mark	Examples	
		In the text	In the margin
Character or word to be deleted	∂	Council and and Parliament	∂ ∂ H
Characters to be corrected	1 1 1 1 1 1 1 1	There are several errors to correct here.	e l l or e l x 2 o l c f
Group of characters to be corrected	H H H	Letters to be corrected.	ed H
Character or word to be added	k	A word is missing.	is k
Text to be added	k	1. January 12. December	k <u>out see copy</u>
Transpose characters or words	∩ or ∪	These letters are transposed.	∩
Move words or groups of words	○ →	To move one or lines or paragraphs, this mark is used. <u>more words</u>	∩
Transpose lines	⌋	<u>Transposed.</u> <u>These lines are</u>	⌋
Add space between words	∟ or ±	A space is missing here.	∟ # ±
Reduce space between words	↕	These spaces are too big.	<u>equal spacing</u>
Close up	∩	A space is wrong here.	∩
Delete and close up	↕	Council	↕ or ∂
Delete and keep space	±	An action plan	±
Add space between lines	— < #	These lines are too close together	— < #
Reduce space between lines	— >	These lines are too far apart.	— >
Text to be raised or lowered	~ ~ ~	This line is very uneven.	~ ~ ~
Text to be aligned (move to the right)	∩	The first line of text is too far to the left.	∩
Text to be aligned (move to the left)	∪	The second line of text starts too far to the right	∪
Text to be centred	[]	This text should be centred	[]
Create new paragraph	∩	... line. A new paragraph should begin here.	∩
Text to run on (no new paragraph)	∩	... line. No new paragraph here.	∩
Take back to previous line	∪	This hyphen should be avoided	∪
Take forward to next line	∩	This hyphen is badly placed.	∩
Change to italic	—	<u>Ad infinitum</u>	<u>ital.</u>
Change italic to roman	○	<u>Status quo</u>	<u>rom.</u>
Change capitals to lower case	○	<u>UNESCO</u>	<u>l.c.</u>
Change to capitals or small caps	≡ =	Robert <u>burns</u> , <u>AD</u> 1759-96	<u>caps</u> <u>s.c.</u>
Change to bold face	○	This word is <u>important</u>	<u>bold</u>
Superior character required	^	The Court's judgment (/).	1 /
Inferior character required	v	CO /	2 /
Stet (let original text stand)	This correction <u>was</u> in error	✓

NB: — A correction made in the text must always have a corresponding mark in the margin; otherwise it may be overlooked when the corrections are made.

— Where instructions or comments are written in the margin, they must always be encircled to show that they are not to be printed.

— Where there are several mistakes in one word, it is better to rewrite the whole word, especially if the word has no more than three or four letters.