Telling your Library SDG Stories: some resources to get started

Irish resources

- **Ireland's SDGs Data Hub**: developed by the Central Statistics Office and Ordnance Survey Ireland, the Geohive is Ireland's hub for exploring data and Ireland's progress. For example, one of its interactive maps sets out the average distance to a public library from anywhere in Ireland.
    https://irelandsdg.geohive.ie/

- **Data Protection Commission – *Children's data and parental consent***: included in this paper is a section on using children's data and parental consent in the context of schools.
    https://www.dataprotection.ie/sites/default/files/uploads/2023-04/DPC_ChildrensData_ParentalConsent.pdf

- **Irish Copyright Licensing Agency – Understanding Copyright**: introduces copyright, setting out its basic principles; includes a short video.
    https://www.icla.ie/understanding-copyright

- **Irish Copyright Licensing Agency – Copyright FAQs**: sets out a range of copyright FAQs according to different themes, including *general*, *terms/phrases*, and *user type* (e.g., educational).
    https://www.icla.ie/understanding-copyright/copyright-faqs

- **Intellectual Property Office of Ireland – Copyright (FAQs)**: some practical FAQs on copyright including registering and copyright on the Internet.
    https://www.ipoi.gov.ie/en/understanding-ip/help-guidance/faqs/copyright/

Some key IFLA resources

- **IFLA Storytelling Manual**: the manual links to additional resources while also setting out the elements necessary for telling your SDG story. Examples are provided as well as tips on writing, taking photos and making videos. There is also a checklist to aid your preparation.
    https://repository.ifla.org/bitstream/123456789/19/2/sdg-storytelling-manual.pdf

- **IFLA Storytelling Flowchart**: a handy visual to help you identify when you are ready to submit your SDG story.
    https://repository.ifla.org/bitstream/123456789/297/3/sdg-storytelling-flowchart.pdf

- **IFLA Library Map of the World – SDG Stories**: an interactive map of library SDG stories. Stories can be accessed by clicking on a country, on a specific SDG icon, or through a keyword search. A link to submit your SDG stories is also provided.
    https://librarymap.ifla.org/stories/sdg/0

- ***Access and Opportunity for All: How Libraries contribute to the United Nations 2030 Agenda***: this document provides an overview of how libraries support the SDGs, including examples for each SDG and recommendations for policymakers on engaging with libraries to action the SDGs.
    https://repository.ifla.org/bitstream/123456789/243/1/access-and-opportunity-for-all.pdf

UN resources

- **UN Sustainable Development Goals**: here you will find background and up-to-date information on the SDGs, e.g., the SDG of the month, SDG Book Club, as well as reports, news and tips on actioning the goals.
    https://www.un.org/sustainabledevelopment/

- **UN Sustainable Development Goals Communications Materials**: this webpage provides a variety of materials that can be downloaded, including SDG icons, each with an information/promotional pack.
    https://www.un.org/sustainabledevelopment/news/communications-material/