

# DEMCO BOOK REPAIR

- Torn page – glue rip & place between two sheets of wax paper
- Cut page – use clear magic tape or glue Japanese tissue paper to page & place between two sheets of wax paper
- Removed page –glue edge, insert & place between two sheets of wax paper (use rubber bands or weights)
- Loose hinge (pages coming apart from cover) – use clothe tape or pressure sensitive hinge tape
- Broken hinge –Remove old hinge. Brush glue on one side of single-stitched binder tape & set on spine until dry. Use wax paper on spine. Brush glue on other side, align edge of cover & insert wax paper in cover (use rubber bands or weights).
- Cover removed – same as broken hinge, but with double-stitched binder tape (use correct width).
- Damaged spine – Fastape book repair tape (2” wider & longer than book). Insert heavy paper (book width) on tape with ¼” wide filament tape. Diagonal cuts at corners (cut slit for hinge, fold back ends & mount tape to book)
- Ripped end caps – use book wing precut Fastape
- Ripped corners – use pre-cut ready-corners by Fastape
- These notes were taken from Demco Book protection & repair (book & video) (1-800-279-1586 or 1-800-356-1200) [www.demco.com](http://www.demco.com)
- Use Norbond Liquid Plastic Adhesive (book binding glue).
- The local librarian was a great help.