

# IT252 – DATABASE SYSTEMS

## Lab Assignment 2 – DDL Constraints

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### 1. Primary Key

```
> ALTER TABLE borrow_request ADD PRIMARY KEY (id);
```

### 2. Foreign Key

```
> ALTER TABLE borrow_request ADD FOREIGN KEY (user_id) REFERENCES  
user(id);  
> ALTER TABLE borrow_request ADD FOREIGN KEY (book_id) REFERENCES  
book(id);
```

### 3. Unique

```
> ALTER TABLE borrow_request ADD UNIQUE (id);
```

### 4. Not Null

```
> ALTER TABLE borrow_request MODIFY user_id int NOT NULL;  
> ALTER TABLE borrow_request MODIFY book_id int NOT NULL;
```

### 5. Null

```
> ALTER TABLE borrow_request MODIFY status VARCHAR(25) NULL;
```

### 6. Default

```
> ALTER TABLE borrow_request ALTER status SET DEFAULT  
'requested';
```

### 7. On Update

#### a. Cascade

```
> ALTER TABLE borrow_request ADD FOREIGN KEY (user_id)  
REFERENCES user(id) ON DELETE CASCADE ON UPDATE CASCADE;
```

**b. No Action**

```
> ALTER TABLE borrow_request ADD FOREIGN KEY (book_id)
REFERENCES book(id) ON DELETE NO ACTION ON UPDATE NO
ACTION;
```

**c. Set Null**

```
> ALTER TABLE borrow_request ADD FOREIGN KEY (genre_id)
REFERENCES genre(id) ON DELETE SET NULL ON UPDATE SET NULL;
```

**d. Set Default**

```
> ALTER TABLE borrow_request ADD FOREIGN KEY (admin_id)
REFERENCES admin(id) ON DELETE SET DEFAULT ON UPDATE SET
DEFAULT;
```

**Note:** As per the official MySQL docs, SET DEFAULT: This action is recognized by the MySQL parser, but both InnoDB and NDB reject table definitions containing ON DELETE SET DEFAULT or ON UPDATE SET DEFAULT clauses. Hence you won't see the change as shown in the screenshot.

## 8. On Delete

**a. Cascade**

```
> ALTER TABLE borrow_request ADD FOREIGN KEY (user_id)
REFERENCES user(id) ON DELETE CASCADE ON UPDATE CASCADE;
```

**b. No Action**

```
> ALTER TABLE borrow_request ADD FOREIGN KEY (book_id)
REFERENCES book(id) ON DELETE NO ACTION ON UPDATE NO
ACTION;
```

**c. Set Null**

```
> ALTER TABLE borrow_request ADD FOREIGN KEY (genre_id)
REFERENCES genre(id) ON DELETE SET NULL ON UPDATE SET NULL;
```

**d. Set Default**

```
> ALTER TABLE borrow_request ADD FOREIGN KEY (admin_id)
REFERENCES admin(id) ON DELETE SET DEFAULT ON UPDATE SET
DEFAULT;
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