

Rules of Conduct

In order to ensure safety and security and to provide a suitable environment for library use, the following guidelines for conduct have been approved by the Library Board of Trustees.

The following are **not permitted** in the library:

- eating and drinking, except in conjunction with Library functions,
- weapons,
- use of tobacco,
- begging, soliciting or sales,
- animals except service animals,
- abusive, threatening or obscene language,
- loud talking,
- disruptive behavior,
- running,
- interference with another person's use of the library or with library personnel's performance of their duties,
- lying on furniture, putting feet on furniture or moving furniture other than chairs at tables.
- use of **Cell Phones**

Damage, destruction or theft of library property is prohibited. Parents are liable for all acts of minors. Those who commit any of these crimes will be prosecuted to the fullest extent of the law.

Shirt, shoes and appropriate clothing are required.

Persons under the influence of drugs or alcohol are not permitted in the library; police will be called.

Persons who pose a health or sanitation risk will be asked to leave.

Children under the age of 8 must be under the direct supervision of a responsible adult (age 18 or older).

Use of the telephone will be at the librarian's discretion and for emergencies.

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