

DEARBORN PUBLIC LIBRARY

CODE OF CONDUCT

All library patrons will abide by the rules and regulations of the Dearborn Public Library

In order to ensure a safe and dignified atmosphere for all of our patrons and library employees, anyone who violates this code of conduct may be banned from the library premises with suspension of library privileges. In addition, all library users may be required to make available for inspection all bags, briefcases, purses, containers, books and papers.

You may not:

- Carry weapons or dangerous objects, except as permitted by law
- Vandalize or steal library property
- Disregard directions of library staff
- Engage in illegal or reckless behavior
- Remain in the building or re-enter when banned
- Fight, run, roam or horseplay
- Abuse, harass, stare at or stalk other library users or staff
- Talk loudly or make excessive noise
- Sell, solicit, panhandle or loiter
- Distribute leaflets or post notices
- Bring in animals except service animals
- Eat (except during library-approved events)
- Use tobacco products or electronic (smokeless or their equivalent) devices
- Place feet on couches, tables or chairs
- Be without shoes or shirt
- Enter with bicycles, roller blades or skate boards
- Bathe, shave or wash clothes
- Enter if you have neglected your bodily hygiene
- Bring in bulky items that take up excessive space
- Leave children 12 years of age or younger without direct supervision of an adult 18 years of age or older

Violators may be subject to arrest and prosecution.

Dearborn Library Commission
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