

## **PATRON RULES OF CONDUCT**

The following behaviors are not permitted in the library:

1. Eating or drinking at computer stations or near other electronic equipment.
2. Smoking.
3. Talking loudly, running or engaging in other disruptive or noisy activities.
4. Bringing animals into the library, except those needed to assist a person with a disability.
5. Misusing the restrooms (e.g. bathing or doing laundry).
6. Sitting on a table or placing feet on furniture.
7. Bare feet.
8. Following or staring at others with intent to annoy.
9. Interfering with another person's use of the library or with the library personnel's performance of their duties.
10. Leaving a child under the age of 9 unattended in the library without the supervision of an adult.
11. Carrying a weapon into the library unless authorized by law.
12. Damaging or stealing library property.
13. Playing audio equipment so others can hear it.
14. Soliciting contributions or signatures.
15. Refusing to leave the library at closing time or in an emergency.

In addition, behaviors in the library are also governed by local ordinances and state and/or federal law.