



CODE OF CONDUCT

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By entering the library, you agree to follow the Code of Conduct and library policies. We appreciate your cooperation.

The following is not allowed on library premises:

- Smoking (including electronic cigarettes) and the use of other tobacco products, cannabis, or hemp in the building or within 50 feet of the library and its entrance.
- Bare chests/bare feet/swimsuits/headwear that obscures the face, except as a religious obligation or for medical/health reasons
- Bicycles outside of designated bike racks
- Interfering in a manner that affects patron's safe or proper use of the library and its programs (e.g. blocking aisles/exits, causing disruption to others, impeding staff carrying out their duties)
- Loud voices/noises, and other disruptive behavior.
- Sleeping or bedding of any kind. Customers who appear to be sleeping will be woken to confirm their safety.
- Pets (other than service animals as defined by the ADA)
- Audio without headphones- The volume of which may not extend beyond the headphones.
- Misuse of bathrooms; failure to obey library signage
- Engaging in actions that create risk of safety for employees and customers
- Unattended items. CCPL IS NOT responsible for lost or stolen personal belongs or equipment (computers, phones)
- Open beverages of any kind

Local, state and federal statutes prohibit the following conduct in public spaces:

- Violence or threat of violence
- Public indecency
- Soliciting
- Theft or vandalism
- Unattended children ages 7 or under
- Unattended vulnerable adults
- Disorderly conduct
- Illegal drug use or paraphernalia
- Harassment or threatening language (both in-person or virtually, e.g., email, phone, social media, etc.)
- Loitering
- Intoxication
- Trespassing into staff areas
- Criminal mischief

Alcohol and weapons (see staff for further details) are not permitted on library premises except when allowed by law. Library staff have the right and responsibility to enforce the code of conduct. Those who fail to follow Library Rules may be asked to leave and have their library privileges suspended.