Brooks Memorial Library
Public Access Computer and Internet Use Policy

Purpose
In its mission to connect people and resources to inspire, inform and empower our diverse community, the Library extends access to information and media by offering public Internet access, public access computers, online research databases, applications, and printing.

Terms of Use
• The Library cannot guarantee the accuracy of information on the Internet.
• The Library does not filter content on public access computers, including in the Children’s Room and Teen Room.
• The Library cannot guarantee the privacy of data or computer usage.
• Patrons assume responsibility for their personal devices.
• The Library’s Behavior Code applies to computer and Internet use.
• Use of library computers for illegal activity will result in loss of library computer access privileges.
• Display of sexually explicit graphics or otherwise offensive material is inappropriate for an open public environment and is prohibited.
• Patrons accept financial responsibility for any damage they cause to library property.

Requirements for Use
• Users must have a current library or computer user card to use the computers.
• Sessions have time limits, which may be extended if no one else is waiting.
• Public Access Computers in the Children’s Room are to be used only by children or adults who are accompanying a child.
• Public access computers in the Teen Room are for ages 13-19 use only.

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