## **Internet Policy**



Parents or Guardians, not the library or its staff, are responsible for Internet information selected and/or accessed by their children. Only parents and guardians may restrict their children, and only their children, from access to the Internet resources available through the Library. Whenever possible the Library staff will be present to assist but may not be constantly supervising the user. Parents are advised to supervise their children's Internet sessions.

The primary purpose of the Internet use will be given to those using it to acquire information for educational purposes. This will be decided at the director's discretion.

Not all sources on the Internet provide accurate, complete or current information. You need to be a good information consumer, questioning the validity of the information you find.

Using the library's Internet Access computer for illegal or unethical purposes is prohibited.

Parents may sign a form denying internet access for their child who is less than 18 years of age.

Since the library's Internet Access computers are located in a public area which must be shared by library users of all ages, backgrounds, and sensibilities, individuals are asked to consider this when accessing potentially controversial information and images. Library staff cannot consistently and effectively monitor the public's use of the Internet. Yet the library reserves the right to ask individuals to discontinue the display of information or images that in the staff's judgment is inappropriate.

Anyone making excessive noise, being disruptive or using the computer and/or software in an abusive manner will have their computer privileges revoked for a time determined by the Library Director.

Patrons may not use personal software or alter or attach equipment to the library's hardware.

Absolutely no food or drinks near the computers.

Time Limits: One hour per day, unless it the computer is being used for homework, then it is up to the librarian's discretion for longer. If someone is waiting and the patron is not doing homework the limit is 30 min.

## All Policies included are to be updated each year or whenever necessary.

Signed by the Delhi Public Library Board of Trustees

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