



Norton Public Library

Norton Public Library Wireless Access Policy

The Norton Public Library is pleased to provide public wireless internet access, both inside and outside the library. By using this service, the user agrees to abide by the following.

- The library cannot guarantee a secure connection to the Internet via a wireless environment. Patrons use the wireless service at their own risk and are advised to use the latest anti-virus, spyware and other standard protection software to prevent unauthorized access to their own wireless device. The library is not responsible for any damages or interferences with patron devices resulting from use of the wireless network.
- Patrons are reminded not to leave their computers unattended. The library is not responsible for a patron's personal belongings left unattended.
- Power outlets and charging stations are available but library staff reserves the right to disconnect a user's device in extenuating circumstances.
- Due to periodic maintenance, heavy usage and unforeseen downtime, the library does not guarantee wireless access availability or signal strength at any specific time.
- Library staff cannot assist with laptop or wireless device configuration. The library cannot accept the liability of handling patron equipment.
- The library is not responsible for any loss of data or damage to patron equipment.
- Printing is only available via our wired library computers at this time.

Internet Use Policy

Patrons of all ages are expected to use the library's computers and internet resources in a responsible manner for educational, informational, and recreational purposes. As with other library resources, restriction of a child's access to the Internet is the responsibility of the parent or legal guardian. Parents and caregivers are encouraged to learn about the Internet and help their children to use it safely and wisely.

Unacceptable uses of the library's internet include:

- Using the internet for illegal purposes
- Viewing or transmitting threatening, harassing, defamatory or obscene materials
- Unauthorized accessing of remote computer systems
- Invading the privacy of others
- Violating software licenses and copyright laws

Any violation of the above may result in loss of privileges or expulsion from the library.

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