



Sublette County Library Teen Room Policy

The Teen Room at the Sublette County Library was designed as a space for children grades 6 to 12. Children below these age groups are allowed in the area but may not use the computers or gaming system without approval from staff.

Appropriate activities for the Teen Room include: reading, studying, doing homework, and working on school projects, using computers for appropriate recreation, research, and communication. All library policies are in effect in the Teen Room.

The rules listed below will help ensure that teens feel welcomed and comfortable in this space.

- The most important rule in Teen Room is to **respect** each other, library staff and other patrons in word and action. Offensive language will not be tolerated. Vandalism, theft, or damage to library property or to library grounds is a legal matter, and the police will be notified.
- The computers, gaming system and study space in this room are reserved for teens. We ask that you not view any web pages (including music, videos, and chat rooms) that display provocative content. If any content is deemed inappropriate by library staff, you will be asked to browse away from the page. A second incident will result in the loss of computer privileges for the day. **Please protect your own privacy by practicing safe computer and internet practices.**
- The Teen Room should be used only for its intended purposes, therefore, no physical contact, no rough housing, no hitting, and no public displays of affection are permitted. Also, no weapons of any kind are permitted in the library. Any behavior considered aggressive by the staff may result in the police being notified and further actions being taken.
- To maintain the cleanliness of the room, we ask that the food policy be observed: drinks with lids only, no ice cream, and clean up after yourselves.

Violating any of these rules is grounds for being asked to leave the library immediately. Repeat incidents may result in the loss of library privileges.

Parents: The materials available for borrowing in this room are intended for a teen audience. Library staff will not censor a teen/child's selections. Parents are responsible for deciding which items they feel are appropriate for their children.

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