



POUGHKEEPSIE PUBLIC LIBRARY DISTRICT

TEEN ROOM & COMPUTER USE AGREEMENT

Use of the Teen Room at Adriance Memorial Library is intended for patrons 13 – 18 years old. Please check the boxes below, indicating you have read and understand each element. Each teen and parent or caregiver must sign this form.

As per the Library District's Patron Code of Conduct, patrons may not loiter in the halls, stairwells, or elevator of the Library. This is a public library. Please use language appropriate for the environment, even in private conversations.

TEEN ROOM USAGE

- Teens must present their library card or school ID to staff in order to enter the Room.
- Teens are welcome to read, talk in a normal voice, use the computers, or play games in the Room.
- Please keep noise at a reasonable level. Disturbing groups will be given one warning to lower their voices. After that, the entire group will be asked to leave the Library.
- Use of the Teen Study Room is for quiet study. Please use this Room for homework or quiet group activity.
- Covered drinks are allowed in the Room. The only food allowed is that provided by the Library District.
- Check out any books or magazines from the Teen Room at the Express Check-Out Desk in the Children's Room, at the main Check Out Desk (Noxon Street lot entrance) on the Ground Floor, or at the Express Check Out Desk on the Main Floor (Reference & Information Desk).
- Teens are responsible for their behavior and for any damages that occur due to misuse.
- Any vandalism, destructive behavior, or illegal activities will result in police action as well as suspension of privileges.
- Parents will be held responsible for any damage done by their children.
- Underage siblings of teen patrons are not allowed in the Room unless accompanied by a parent.

COMPUTER USE

- Computer access requires a valid Library District library card.
- There can be a maximum of two people on a computer at one time in the Room.
- You will use your own headphones on the computer. The Library District will not provide headphones or earbuds.
- WiFi is available for your own laptop computer. You are responsible for the safety and security of your own computer equipment as well as for complying with Library District use guidelines.
- The computers might be turned off because of a program or an event.
- You must agree not to alter, even temporarily, the computer set-up.
- Individuals are asked to be considerate about accessing potentially controversial information and images. Lack of consideration could lead to suspension of library computer privileges.

Teen Name: _____ Library Card Barcode: _____ School ID

Please note the following:

- For the safety and security of all teens, we request that you carry your school-issued photo ID, driver's learning permit, or driver's license when attending functions in the Library.
- Teens must supervise younger siblings who may not be eligible for entry in to the Teen Room but are in the Library.

Teen Name (printed)

Parent/Caregiver Name (printed)

Teen Signature

Parent/Caregiver Signature

Date

Date

Telephone

Telephone