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## **WIRELESS INTERNET**

The internet is a global electronic network on which anyone can communicate any content. The Dundee Library does not condone, endorse or assume responsibility for any content found or any communication made on the internet.

The Dundee Library maintains an internet filtering mechanism for use on all computers. The filtering mechanism will only block access to the three categories of content specified by the Federal Children's Internet Protection Act (CIPA). The Dundee Library has responsibility to protect the first amendment rights of its patrons, including minor patrons by not inhibiting constitutionally protected speech, including images, language and video that may be controversial or unappealing to community members.

## **ACCESS BY MINORS**

Parents or guardians must assume responsibility for deciding which library resources are appropriate for their own children in internet use. The PARENTS ARE RESPONSIBLE FOR INFORMING THEIR CHILDREN ABOUT MATERIAL THEY MAY NOT USE. Library employees and volunteers cannot act in place of parents or guardians in restricting access to resources, to included internet accessed materials.

The Dundee Library has taken measures to assist in the safe and effective use of resources by all minors.

- To address the safety and security of all minors when using e-mail and other direct electronic communications, as well as unauthorized disclosure, use and dissemination of personal identification, the Dundee Library urges minors and their parents or guardians the following guidelines:
- Never give out identifying information such as home address, school name or telephone
- Let parents or guardians decide personal family information, such as marital status, or financial information which will be revealed.
- Never arrange face -to -face meetings without parent's or guardians' approval.
- Never respond to messages that are suggestive, obscene, threatening or make one
  uncomfortable. Tell a parent, guardian, or Library staff if such a message is received. Have a
  parent, or guardian report the incident to National Center for Missing and Exploited Children via
  www.cybertipline.com or call 1.800.843.5678 if child pornography transmission.
- Remember the online people may not be who they say they are.
- Remember the everything that is read online may not be true.
- Don't open email files or website pages sent to you by people or organizations you don't know or trust.

- 2.To address the issue of unauthorized access, including" hacking "or other unlawful activities by minors online, minors and all other users of the Dundee Library are hereby advised that any unlawful activity is strictly prohibited.
- 3. Create an introductory web page (splash) for wireless internet access which requires a patron to verify that he/she will accept the Library terms for using that access. Unless the patron agrees to this verification, he/she will be blocked from using the Library 's wireless internet connection.
- 4. Prohibited Library activity. Any user of electronic services is strictly prohibited from any illegal activity:
  - Hacking
  - Harassing or invading other privacy.
  - Attempting to degrade re disrupt the network performance.
  - Commercial use of the network.
  - Sending SPAM or unsolicited advertising of any kind.
  - Copyright law violation, including downloading copyrighted works without the owners permission.