

- accuracy of online information. Although the Internet provides users with a wide array of excellent information, it also contains information that may be inaccurate, outdated, or personally offensive. Use information found on the Internet only after evaluating its quality.
- v) Patrons who are 17 and older are responsible for determining their need to have the TPM disabled and to make such request of staff.
 - vi) When finished with their session, these patrons must restart their computers to ensure filters are enabled for the next patron. Failure to do this may result in permanent loss of computer privileges.
 - vii) CIPA requires that everyone age 16 and under use computers with the TPM enabled; parents may not authorize that they be disabled for their children. Users should be aware of the limitations of Internet filtering devices. While designed to restrict access to Internet content that could be deemed inappropriate, these systems are no substitute for individual judgment and/or parental involvement and oversight. Filters may block sites which have legitimate research value, as well as allowing some content through which some may find objectionable.

6) COMPUTER USE RULES OF CONDUCT

- a) When current requirements for technology protection measures are satisfied, patrons with Library accounts in good standing may request access to Library computers or the Library's Internet connection.
 - i) Visitors may be granted access to library computers or Internet connection using a temporary guest pass.
- b) Library owned software will be handled by Library staff only.
- c) Computer users will respect copyright laws and licensing agreements.
- d) Users will not make any attempt to gain unauthorized access to local or remote restricted files or networks, or to damage or modify computer equipment or software. Deliberate attempts to circumvent data protection, TPM or filtering software or other security measures are not allowed. Users must restart their machines at the end of every session.
- e) Prompt payment is required when charges for printing (from Internet, word processing document, or any other source) or other fees are incurred. Charges for black copies are 20 cents a page and for color copies are 50 cents a page.
- f) Users must sign up to use public computers and are allotted 30 minutes of use. If a patron is waiting and the present user has been on 30 minutes or more. Users must end their session and leave the terminal or port when asked to do so by authorized Library staff, even if they have not completed their session.