



# Helen Hall Library

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## Conduct Policy

The mission of Helen Hall Library is to provide comprehensive information resources and services linking the League City community to the world of ideas. To provide an atmosphere that is conducive to accomplishing this mission, the Library Board of Helen Hall Library endorsed the following policy on January 12, 2012, for the comfort and protection of the rights of all those using and working in the library. We ask your cooperation in helping us provide a safe and pleasant environment for all our patrons and staff.

The following actions are unacceptable in the library:

- Using the library for other than its intended purpose, including: loitering, sleeping, changing clothes, bathing (except for washing hands or face), shampooing, shaving, washing clothes or utensils, preparing meals or food, or personal grooming, unless it is considered appropriate for an approved activity.
- Selling and/or soliciting for any purpose
- Smoking or using other tobacco products
- Possessing and/or using alcohol, illegal drugs or weapons
- Engaging in any sexual behavior
- Not complying with the [Helen Hall Library Internet Use Policy](#).
- Engaging in any activity that is prohibited by law or interferes with others' use of the library
- Harassing, cursing or verbally abusing patrons or staff
- Entering restricted areas of the library
- Engaging in any behavior that endangers one's self or others, including such things as running, shoving, climbing, or fighting
- Damaging or defacing library materials or property
- Disturbing others with loud talking, excessive noise or loud music
- Leaving children seven years old and younger unattended by a responsible person, who is 13 years of age or older – For more information see [Policies in the Youth Services Area](#).
- Leaving minors after the library is closed – Police may be called to ensure their safety until a responsible adult picks them up.
- Bringing animals or pets into the library that are not service animals or part of library programming
- Wearing inappropriate attire

Patrons will be warned once and/or requested to leave if the unacceptable behavior continues. Suspension of library privileges for a determinate or indeterminate period of time or legal action may occur if a patron is found to have engaged in unacceptable or unlawful behavior on library property.

Endorsed by the Helen Hall Library Board on January 12, 2012

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