



Library of Things Policy

Overview

The Library of Things is a collection of items not traditionally included in the library. They intend to complement the Beardsley Library's mission to provide resources to enhance the quality of life in our community by encouraging lifelong learning.

Borrower Criteria

A patron in good standing with a library card may borrow from The Library of Things.

Borrowers under 18 must have parent or guardian signatures.

The patron agrees to return the borrowed item in the same condition as issued or agrees to pay for the loss, theft or damage to the item.

The borrower shall not make any modifications or alterations to the item.

If a patron allows others to borrow materials using their card, those materials are the sole responsibility of the card owner.

Circulation.

An item from the Library of Things may be borrowed for **one week** with certain items allowed one renewal.

Some Library of Things materials will have an **overdue fine of \$1.00** up to the cost of full replacement.

Items are **first come first served**; items cannot be placed on hold through our catalog.

Library of Things items will not be shared via delivery with other libraries. All items are Library of Things items must be borrowed from and returned directly to the Beardsley Library circulation desk during normal hours.

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The Beardsley Library has the right to refuse a loan at any time.



Library of Things Liability Waiver

By this WAIVER AND RELEASE, I assume any risk and take full responsibility and warranty of any and all claims of personal injury and death or damages due to my use of the Beardsley Library's "Library of Things" item(s).

By Borrowing a Thing, I agree:

- To abide by the Beardsley Library's Library of Things lending guidelines
- To pay an overdue fine if item is returned late.
- To pay full repair and /or replacement costs.

(Initial here) _____ I acknowledge that the library is not responsible for any injury, loss or damage that may occur from use.

Name: _____ Date: _____

Signature: _____

Staff Initials: _____

If under 18 years old:

Consent and signature of Parent/Guardian on minor's behalf: _____

Print: _____

Date _____ Phone number: _____

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