



WESTLAND DISTRICT LIBRARY

Expected Standard of Behaviour in the Library

Westland District Library is a Council facility provided for all residents and visitors to use and enjoy, so it is important to show respect and consideration to others using the library.

What do we expect from you?

- Respond to all reasonable requests from library staff
- Respect the rights of others. Unlawful, noisy, offensive and threatening behaviour is not tolerated in or around the library
- Leave the library and its contents as you found them, so others can enjoy them
- Watch your possessions at all times – the library is a public place and is not responsible for any theft that may occur
- Leave animals outside, except if they are needed to assist a person with a disability
- Avoid injury to others and leave bicycles, scooters, skateboards etc. outside, clear of the entrance and preferably in the bike stand
- All large backpacks and strollers to be left in the foyer area
- Keep the entrance and exit, aisles, doorways and fire exit routes clear at all times

What happens if expectations are not met?

- Unacceptable behaviour by a library user may result in the withdrawal of library privileges
- You may be asked to leave the library
- If an individual's behaviour is threatening or frightening to other library users or library staff, the Police will be contacted to provide assistance.