

Internet Use Agreement

By using the Wellington City Council Public Internet Access service you agree to use it according to these terms and conditions -

Our facilities are not to be used to access or create unacceptable material.

This means you are not permitted to use the Public Internet PCs for illegal activities, including creating material or accessing websites with explicit content which may reasonably be considered to be objectionable as defined under the Film, Videos and Publications Act 1993, available on request to staff. These include websites which

- o Contain pornographic material
- o Depict acts of torture, cruelty, violence or bullying
- o Promote exploitation for sexual purposes
- o Promote or encourage criminal acts or acts of terrorism
- o Represent any class of society as being inherently inferior to other classes

In addition, due to the display nature of the public internet screens, and the presence of children and other vulnerable persons who may view screens, a higher standard of suitability than the Act will be applied, in accordance with Wellington City Libraries' Displays policy, available on request to staff.

Our facilities are not permitted to be used to engage in anti-social behaviour such as bullying or harassing people, nor conduct any illegal business.

Your code slip is non-refundable and Wellington City Council takes no responsibility for lost, stolen or damaged code slips.

There is copyright in most types of content on the Internet. That it is available online does not automatically give anyone the right to download, copy, store or share it, unless the author or copyright owner has

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Users found to be copying, downloading or uploading materials outside these permitted acts will be banned from using computers in our facilities.

Parents & Guardians of children 15 and under please note.

You should accept these terms on behalf of your child. Your child may accept these terms in your absence however the Council still requires you to accept responsibility for their actions and ensuring they use it in a legal and responsible manner, as per the Summary Offences Act 1981, available on request to staff.

Kids - We want you to have fun using these computers and please keep to the rules.

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