The Etna Library

Internet and Computer Use Policy

Access

The Etna Library offers public-access computers and 24/7 wireless access in a mixed-age public environment to meet the information technology needs of the community.

You do not need a library card to use the public access laptop or computer. Sessions may be limited if patrons are waiting; courtesy is expected and appreciated.

Downloading for the purpose of installing programs is not allowed.

The Etna Library does not use blocking or filtering software to limit access to Internet sites. However, there is the option of using filtered search engines (which are not under the control of the library) that provide access to pre-selected sites.

Parents or other legal guardians are responsible for their children's use of the Internet in the library, just as they are for their use of materials in the library's collections. We urge parents to supervise their children's use of the Internet.

You may not use the library's computers for any illegal purposes including unauthorized access, software piracy, or transmission of copyrighted materials without approval. You are expected to engage in responsible, ethical use of the Internet which includes not sending, receiving, or displaying text or graphics which may reasonably be construed as obscene or objectionable to library users or staff around you.

WiFi Access

24/7 wireless access is available at the Etna Library. You are responsible for your own computer. Users should be aware that WiFi networks are not secure, and all necessary precautions should be taken to protect their equipment and data.