3D Printing Policy

As a part of the Roddenbery Memorial Library's mission to promote lifelong learning, the library provides 3D printers for patrons to interact with.

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The library currently has one 3D printer. They are available for the public to use, on a first come, first serve basis and as a library staff member is available.

Legal Limitations

The 3D printer may not be used for unlawful purposes, including but not limited to, the following content which is determined to be:

- Prohibited by local, state, or federal law.
- In violation of another's intellectual property rights.

Supervision of the use of the 3D printer by library staff does not constitute knowledge or acknowledgement of any intended use of the 3D product, and the library specifically disclaims any knowledge thereof. Patrons use 3D objects they produce at the library at their own risk.

- The library reserves the right to refuse to print salacious items.

Physical Limitations

Due to limited staff and hardware resources, the library does not guarantee specific delivery times.

Prints are handed over AS IS. If your print requires rafts or support structures, you will be responsible for removing these.

Patrons are also responsible for misprints not related to printer failure. (What would this constitute? Patron doesn't know if it is a bad printer file or if someone came up and bumped the machine during printing.)

Patrons are responsible for paying for their prints regardless of whether or not they accept them.

The colors available may change without notice and we cannot guarantee that your selected color will be available. Please choose an alternate color for your print on the print request form.

We will do our best to complete your model within 7-10 business days, but make no guarantees regarding its completion.

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How to submit a file:
Files may be submitted either by attachment via our online form or turned in with a paper form via uploaded to a jump drive.

Cost:
15 cents per gram for regular colors ; special PLA material such as glow in the dark, sparkles, wood look, etc. may incur additional charges. Please inquire regarding these charges prior to submitting the print job. Only if filament is available. Fees must be paid in cash when you pick up your print. NO EXCEPTIONS!

3D printing sites:
thingiverse.com
blender.org
tinkercad.com