

Jack Russell Memorial Library
Food and Beverage Policy

The Jack Russell Memorial Library (JRML) strives to provide a welcoming and comfortable environment for our patrons. To ensure a clean, safe and welcoming environment, the following guidelines have been established. Library staff shall have final approval over food and beverages permitted in the Library and reserve the right to exclude any item for any reason.

Beverages

- Non-alcoholic drinks only.
- Beverages must be in a container having a lid or designed to minimize spillage.
- Library staff shall have final approval over beverage containers permitted in the library and reserve the right to exclude any container for any reason.
- Patrons in violation of the policy will be required to dispose of their drink or leave the building.
- Beverages are not allowed near computers, photocopiers/printers, the self-checkout, microfilm reader or other library equipment.
- Please inform staff of an accidental spill.
- Be considerate of others and clean up after yourself.

Food

- Library staff shall have final approval over food items permitted in the Library and reserve the right to exclude any food for any reason.
- Food is allowed in the Community Room, Conference Room and three Study Rooms Upstairs.
- Patrons in violation of the policy will be required to dispose of their food or leave the building.
- Food is allowed in the Library during special events and/or programs sponsored by the Library or Friends of the Library.
- Please no deliveries.
- Be considerate of others and clean up after yourself.

Patrons refusing to follow this policy may be subject to further action, including being directed to leave the Library premise and loss of Library use privileges.

The JRML appreciates your understanding and cooperation in assisting us in keeping both materials and furnishings in good working order. Patrons shall be responsible for any damages caused by spillage and reimbursing the JRML for the replacement value. .