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3D Printer Guidelines

1. The 3D printer may be used for lawful purposes only. The public will not be permitted to use the Library's 3D printer to create objects that are:
 - Prohibited by state or federal law.
 - In violation of another's intellectual property rights. For example, the printer will not be used to reproduce material that is subject to copyright, patent, or trademark protection.
 - Unsafe, harmful, dangerous, or pose an immediate threat to the well-being of others; for example, guns, knives, or other possible lethal weapons.
 - Obscene or otherwise inappropriate for the Library environment.
 - A violation of the 3D printer manufacturer's terms of use
2. All 3D submissions are subject to review by library staff. The Six Mile Regional Library reserves the right to refuse any 3D print request.
3. Only designated library staff will have hands-on access to the 3D printer. Supervision of the use of the 3D printer by Library staff does not constitute knowledge or acknowledgement of any unapparent final use of the 3D product and the Library specifically disclaims any knowledge thereof.
4. This service is currently only available to Six Mile Regional Library cardholders.
5. Items approved for printing will be scheduled at the discretion and availability of Library staff.
6. 3D Prints will cost \$0.20 per gram of material used. An estimate of total cost can be provided before printing, but may not accurately reflect the final cost. Money will be collected upon pick up of object.
7. Only Library stocked material will be used. The Library stocks printing material in a variety of colors. Customers may request a specific color, subject to availability. Staff will contact customer if preferred color is unavailable. If no color preference is indicated, staff will use their discretion to choose the color of material used.

8. Any 3D drafting software may be used to create a design so long as the file can be saved and submitted to the library in an “.stl” file format. Upon job submission, Library staff will attempt to orient and select the appropriate printer settings to optimize printing. Submissions will be rejected if they are incapable of production.
9. The Library will not be responsible for the creation of 3D files. Research staff will assist in the use of 3D drafting software where applicable.
10. Items not picked up within 30 days after being printed become the property of the Six Mile Regional Library. Items must be picked up by the individual who printed them or by a designated proxy.
11. The library is not responsible for failed prints, the functionality or quality of printed items, nor for any injuries or damages that result from use of printed objects. We will make every effort to assist in the success of 3D printed items.
12. Any individual submitting content or objects for use with the 3D printer agrees to assume all responsibility for, and shall hold the Library harmless in, all matters related to the individual’s use of the 3D printer, including but not limited to violations of patent, trademark and/or copyright law.