

# MakerStudio Patron Library Agreement (As of 05/2025)

The patron must agree to the following:

#### **User Eligibility**

- Patrons aged 13 years and older can use the MakerStudio under staff supervision.
- Patrons aged 7-12 years old may use the MakerStudio if supervised by parent or guardian at all times.
- Patrons must complete \*New User Orientation and Equipment Safety Training Certification for each tool or equipment before use. This can be done in an orientation, online, or with the first appointment.
- Patrons must complete and sign the **Liability Waiver form and MakerStudio Agreement**. Minor patrons must have an adult parent, guardian, or other person with appropriate legal authority to sign on their behalf.
- Patrons can use the Event Calendar or the MakerStudio Calendar on the Library's website to sign up for MakerStudio events or to set up appointments to use the MakerStudio.

## **Printing Fees and Supplies**

- Fees for materials will be charged and are subject to change. Payments must be made at the Circulation Desk after each session. Please consult the fee schedule on our website for current rates.
- All supply fees will be rounded to the nearest quarter to increment. Bill/Receipt will be issued by HMMPL Staff using the patron library card or visitor pass.
- Prints or projects must be picked up within ten days of completion. Otherwise, they become the property of Hussey-Mayfield Memorial Public Library.
- 3D print jobs must be completed at least 30 minutes before the library closes. Printing cannot continue outside library hours. Exceptions may apply.
- Staff must approve all patron-supplied materials before they are used on machines to reduce the risk of damage to machines or harm to patrons within the MakerStudio.
- Except in cases of mechanical failure, objects failing to fully print, errors in the print process, or other factors not in a patron's control, patrons are expected to pay for completed objects and may not demand a new print in place of the original due to dissatisfaction with color, scale, quality, design, required support material, or other options pre-selected by the patron.

## **Equipment Use**

- HMMPL is not responsible if a project is destroyed, does not print correctly, or does not work.
- Supervision of the use of any equipment by Library staff does not constitute knowledge, or acknowledgment, of any unapparent final use of the product, and the library specifically disclaims any knowledge thereof.
- The patron understands that HMMPL is not responsible for any manufacturing defects or the quality of workmanship of any of the tools, materials, or equipment supplied by the library.
- The patron is responsible to pay any costs for all loss or damage to HMMPL property or cleanup expenses.

- Patrons will not modify the MakerStudio hardware or software or install new programs onto the computers.
- Only HMMPL computers may be connected to library equipment.
- This MakerStudio is provided to promote creativity, innovation, and technology education. The library encourages patrons to learn new skill sets in this space but does not promote running cottage industries due to extensive use and wear and tear on community equipment.

#### **Equipment Safety**

- Long hair must be tied back, and any dangling items, like jewelry, are to be secured, covered, or removed before use.
- Appropriate close-toed shoes and clothing must be worn in the MakerStudio.
- Follow all posted operation instructions, safety instructions, and verbal safety requests from Library staff at all times while in the MakerStudio.
- Immediately report any accident, malfunction, or breakdown of equipment or facilities to Library staff
- In case of an injury, follow HMMPL Safety Procedures. A limited First-Aid kit is available in the MakerStudio.
- If you notice any equipment that looks broken, is functioning incorrectly, or is too hot or causing a fire, take the following steps: 1. Don't turn on the equipment 2. Unplug the equipment 3. Notify Staff 4. Evacuate

#### MakerStudio User Conduct

- HMMPL reserves the right to display photographs of printed objects on the library's website and social media. Special consideration for patent or copyright reasons will be considered by the Library Director.
- HMMPL reserves the right to deny MakerStudio access if a patron violates any part of the MakerStudio or any other HMMPL policy, or for any other misuse of the space, as determined by library staff.
- HMMPL is not responsible for any injuries caused by improper use of equipment.
- HMMPL reserves the right to stop, delete, or disallow the creation of items that violate HMMPL policy, including the creation of weapons, pornography, or illegal items.
- Tools/equipment may be used only for lawful purposes and cannot be used in a manner that
  creates or supports any activities prohibited by local, state, or federal law. This includes, but is
  not limited to, the creation of items that are:
  - unsafe, harmful, dangerous, or poses an immediate threat to the well-being of others.
  - in violation of the terms of use by the manufacturer.
  - obscene or otherwise inappropriate for the library environment.
- in violation of another's intellectual property rights. For example, printers will not be used to reproduce material that is subject to copyright, patent, or trademark protection.



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\*MakerStudio Niche Academy will contain New User Orientation (will include Fees) and Equipment Safety Training Certification for each tool/equipment.

Participant's information	n:		
Printed Name:		Date:	
Email Address:			
☐Check if 18 or older	□Check if 13 years - 17 years	□Check if 7 years - 12 years	
Signature:			
Library Card (if applicable	e) # 23946	-	
For patron under 18 year	ars old:		
Parent/Guardian Printed	Name:		
Parent/Guardian Email A	ddress:		
Parent/Guardian Signatu	re:		
Supervising Staff Name:			

\*Children under 12 years of age and younger must be accompanied by a supervising adult or guardian who has completed the Orientation.