Guidelines for Use
MIT Libraries’ 24 Hour Study Space

Access to and use of the MIT Libraries’ 24-hour study space is a privilege extended to MIT community members only. A valid MIT ID is required for entry.

(Access to MIT Libraries by others is limited to meeting a specific need for the scholarly, research, or educational materials and services available in the MIT Libraries during business hours [http://libguides.mit.edu/hours]).

The following principles guide access to 24-hour spaces for all users of the MIT Libraries:

Expectations
Library users will:

• Use their ID for personal access only
• Treat each other with respect and consideration
• Respect private and Institute property
• Ensure a safe environment for others
• Comply with library policies

Behavior
Library users in the 24-hour study spaces are expected to refrain from:

• Behaviors that threaten personal safety or the security of personal or Institute property
• Behaviors that disrupt the activities of other library users or staff, including but not limited to excessive noise, cell phones, music, hostility, rudeness, and consumption of food and drink that does not comply with the Libraries’ Food and Beverage Guidelines [http://libraries.mit.edu/about/food.html].
• Excessive or inappropriate use of library resources; including seating space, study rooms, networks, computers, databases etc.
• Inappropriate use of computing resources including equipment tampering, extended recreational use, viewing websites or images that violate Institute guidelines. See the Libraries’ Computer Use Policy [http://libraries.mit.edu/about/computerpolicy.html] for complete details.
• Use of the MIT Libraries network for personal gain or to conduct commerce. Compliance with MITnet Rules of Use [http://ist.mit.edu/network/rules] is required.

The MIT Libraries may limit or refuse access to individuals or groups who fail to comply with these guidelines.

Comments, questions or concerns?
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