

Blackstone Public Library
Policy on Wi-Fi Mobile HotSpots

In accordance with the Library's goal to provide to our community current technology and services, the Blackstone Public Library offers Wi-Fi Mobile HotSpots for loan.

Borrowers must be Blackstone residents 18 years or older with a Blackstone Public Library card in good standing and a valid photo ID.

The check-out limit is one device per household at any time.

Each HotSpot may be borrowed for one week with no renewal.

After returning a HotSpot, a patron must wait 7 days before checking out another one.

Patrons who fail to return a HotSpot on time will be charged a fine of \$10 per day, and repeated offenses may result in revocation of HotSpot borrowing privileges.

The HotSpot will be DEACTIVATED if not returned on the date due.

HotSpots may not be returned in the book drop; they MUST be returned to a staff member at the Circulation Desk.

Patrons are responsible for the device and agree to pay all costs associated with damage to, loss of, or theft of, the device and its accessories while it is checked out to them.

Each Wi-Fi HotSpot kit contains: 1 case, 1 HotSpot device, 1 micro USB cable, and 1 adapter

The Wi-Fi HotSpots use the T-Mobile coverage area.

The HotSpot can only be used inside the continental U.S. There is no international data or roaming. Data usage is unlimited and Internet content filtering is NOT provided through the HotSpot. The Library does not track any Internet usage. By using the HotSpot you are agreeing that you will not take part in any illegal activities.

The Library is not responsible for any files, data, or personal information accessed or transmitted using the Wi-Fi HotSpot device.

The Library cannot guarantee the consistency or quality of the Wi-Fi HotSpot service. Service is subject to carrier coverage and outages. The unit may not function in all areas or at all times.

- Library patrons will need to provide their own Wi-Fi enabled equipment. The library staff cannot troubleshoot problems related to the patron's hardware, software or configurations. Please note that the Library cannot guarantee a particular device will work with the Library's mobile HotSpot.
- Patrons use this service at their own risk. As with most public wireless networks, any information being sent or received over the wireless network could potentially be intercepted by another wireless user. Cautious and informed wireless users should not transmit their credit card information, passwords and any other sensitive personal information while using any wireless network.

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Agreement for the Wi-Fi Mobile Hot Spots

I have read and agree to comply with the T-Mobile HotSpot policy, and accept responsibility for the T-Mobile HotSpot throughout the entire period of the loan. This form must be signed each time a HotSpot is taken out.

Patron Name (please print)

Patron Signature

Patron Card #

HotSpot due date

HotSpot Number

Please initial. I acknowledge that I received a copy
of the HotSpot Policy.

STAFF CHECK OUT:

Staff Initials _____

Date_____

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STAFF CHECK IN:

Returned in good condition ☐ yes ☐ no

If no, please describe

Staff Initials _____

Date_____