

Brown County Library Pop Con™ Cosplay Guidelines

These rules apply to everyone in costume. All costumes should be family friendly. If you're not sure if it's appropriate, it probably isn't.

All costumes, including props and weapons, are subject to the approval of library staff at any time. Any costumes that are overly gory, revealing, or deemed inappropriate or offensive by staff will be asked to leave or change.

1. Keep yourself covered. Plunging necklines or bare chests are not allowed. Please ensure that all costumes are properly secured at all times.
2. Appropriate footwear is required at all times. Socks are not proper footwear and skates/rollerblades are not allowed in the building.
3. Do not wear any uniforms that may be too realistic. You should not be confused with official law enforcement, military personnel, or security staff.
4. Anything with wheels, except for wheelchairs, are not allowed inside the building. This includes skateboards, scooters, bicycles, etc.
5. Oversize costumes are discouraged as they can be a safety hazard.
6. Masks must be removable and done so at staff request.
7. For safety reasons, the following are NOT allowed:
 - Live animals
 - Substances which might damage or soil the facilities
 - Projectiles of any kind
 - Pyrotechnics of any kind

Rules Regarding Costume Weapons

1. Weapons must be obviously fake and should be made of lightweight materials such as foam, cardboard, or plastic. Metal weapons are prohibited.
2. Real firearms (including BB guns, airsoft, paintball guns, etc.) are prohibited. Toy guns will be allowed only as long as they are clearly marked with orange on the barrel and are not capable of firing (unloaded or made inoperable). No ammo of any kind (including Nerf darts, etc.) may be brought into the building.
3. Weapons of any kind are not to be drawn or pointed at anyone ever. Mock fighting, horseplay, or aggressive behavior will not be tolerated.