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# Law Library Food and Drink Policy

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## Food and Drink Policy

Recognizing that a comfortable study environment requires a food and drink policy that is not overly restrictive, the COL Library will be enforcing the following food and drink policy. We depend on our students, faculty, alumni, and other visitors to the Library to be responsible and follow these guidelines, in the hopes that everyone can enjoy their experience while visiting. The Library staff reserves the right to require that a patron consume food outside of the Library if that patron's food consumption is disturbing the study environment for other Library patrons.

### Covered Drinks

All containers must have secure lids to prevent spilling.

### Food

Eat judiciously—use good judgment and respect other patrons when consuming food in the Library. You may eat finger foods or snack foods, so long as they are not likely to damage the collection or the facilities—avoid foods that are sticky, greasy, drippy, smelly, etc.—or disruptive for other patrons—avoid foods that are distracting, noisy, smelly, etc. See the Examples chart below. Unattended food will be removed and discarded. Outside delivery of food to the Library is not permitted.

### Clean Up

To help this policy work, we ask that you be considerate of your fellow patrons and clean up after yourself. In the event of a spill, please clean up your mess. If you need assistance cleaning up the mess, please contact the circulation desk. Please dispose of food garbage in the waste cans outside the Library; we hope this will help us avoid attracting insects to the Library.

EXAMPLES	
Allowed	Not Allowed
Pretzels	Pizza
Nuts	Burgers
Granola bars	Ice cream
Bagels	French fries
Grapes or raisins	Soups & Salads
Cookies	Food requiring utensils

**Note:** Food and drink are not allowed in the computer lab.

**Enforcement begins November 8, 2010**