

Camden Council Library Services

Conditions of use form – Lending Telescope collection

The lending telescope collection is available to all adult members of Camden Council Library Services. Telescope kits are loaned for a period of one month, with renewal of the loan available, subject to demand from other borrower's.

Loan of the telescope kits from the collection is subject to the following conditions of use:

1. NEVER LOOK AT THE SUN THROUGH THE TELESCOPE. Permanent eye damage will result if the telescope is used to look at the sun.
2. Telescopes are fragile equipment, and must be handled carefully. All items within the kits must be treated with care. They should remain under the control and supervision of the adult responsible for it's loan.
3. Lenses and mirrors are not to be cleaned. The coatings on these items are easily damaged. Please report any marks to library staff when the equipment is returned. Eyepieces maybe cleaned using lens cleaner included in kit.
4. All damage must be reported to the library. You may be required to pay for repairs to the equipment, where damage has been caused by neglect or misuse.
5. Each telescope kit contains a number of items. All these items must be returned at one time. A list of the items is included in the kit.
6. Telescopes should never be left in the sun. While setting up telescopes in daylight, Leave the tube cover in place, removing only the lense caps when assembling. All caps must be in place when returned.
7. All instructions provided in the kits must be followed at all times.

I agree to the above conditions of use in relation to the loan of the following lending telescope kit:

Kit number _____ Kit type _____

Date loaned _____ Return due _____

Name _____

Address _____

Contact phone numbers _____

Signature _____

Office use – ID sited _____

