



MAKERSCLUB

Welcome to the MakersClub! We are happy to tell you more about how we work.

MakersPlace - A real workshop

The MakersClub is held in the MakersPlace of Eindhoven Library. In this place there is a wide range of equipment, materials and real tools to make many kinds of things. Where children learn techniques for making things in practice!

Our method - learning by discovery

We encourage the children to work with their own curiosity and learn by putting their ideas in practice. For this, it is helpful if the child is reasonably self-reliant. The supervisors focus on safely discovering and applying making processes, rather than on the end result.

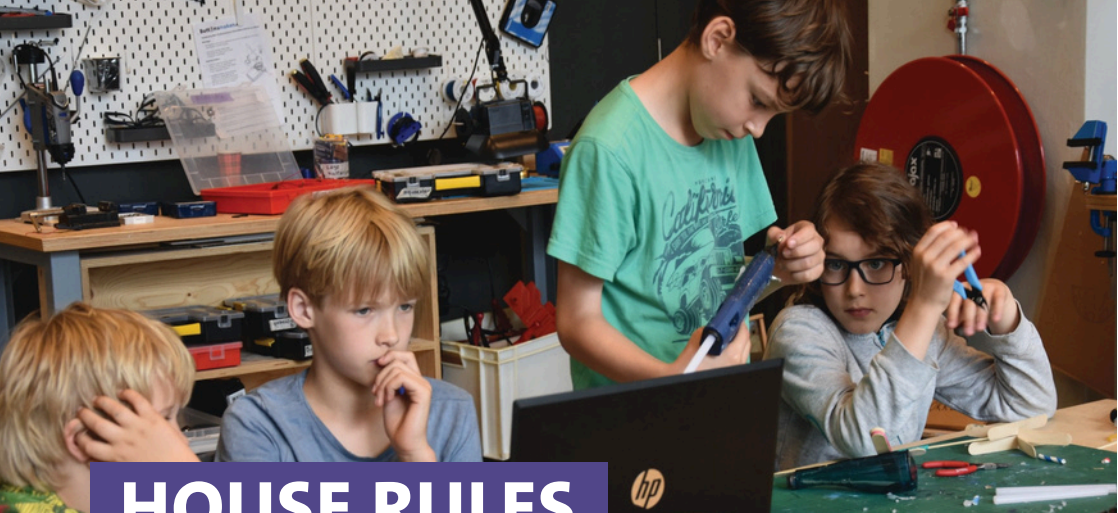
The Supervisors - Makers and Volunteers

Each MakersClub is led by a minimum of three supervisors for every ten children. There is always a Maker employed by the library present to lead the MakersClub. He or she is the point of contact for parents. In addition, we have keen volunteers. Although our supervisors give as much attention to the children as possible, children have to share this attention and have also to be able to work self-reliant.

Safety

At the MakersClub, the children work with real tools, so safety is very important. We have given a great deal of thought to minimising risks. Nevertheless, an accident can happen and safety is a shared responsibility. If you want to know more about safety, speak to one of the supervisors, or email us at makers@bibliotheekeindhoven.nl. Please don't forget to read the House Rules overleaf.

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HOUSE RULES

1. The MakersClub is held twice a week, on Fridays from 3.30pm to 5pm and on Saturdays from 10.30am to 12pm. The maximum group size is 10 children. We'd like to offer as many kids as possible the pleasure of attending the Makersclub although space is limited. Therefore we kindly ask you not to register more than once a week.
2. If you can't make it, please let us know by sending an email to klantenservice@bibliotheekeindhoven.nl. So that another child can participate in the workshop.
3. The MakersClub is for children aged 7 to 13. Parents may not supervise their children. If an exception to this is desirable, this must be discussed with the Maker in advance.
4. Children's projects that are not yet finished can be kept in the black cupboard, marked with the child's name and the date it was placed in the cupboard. If the cupboard is full, we have a clean-out and projects older than 6 months are removed. Finished projects may be taken home.
5. When you first join the MakersClub, you will be given a short tour. We explain the equipment, tools and materials and how safety and material coding works. You will also make a name button, to wear next time in the Makers Club.
6. After the MakersClub, the children clean up their own workplaces.
7. Safety is a shared responsibility: make sure you have closed shoes, no loose jewellery and have a rubber band on hand to tie up long hair.