



Cosplay guidelines

The Milton Keynes Film and Comic Con encourage our customers to have fun and take part in cosplay and show off their talent and creativity in outfits of their favourite characters.

To ensure our event stays within the spirit and safety of a family friendly environment, we ask that all cosplayers adhere to the guidelines below. Breach of our guidelines or abuse to staff may lead to dismissal from the show without refund.

Costumes must:

- Be of a suitable size to allow the cosplayer to fit through a standard doorway unaided – we recommend costumes to be under 6ft 5” in height and under 3ft in width. Costumes outside these dimensions must be accompanied with an experienced spotter
- Cover private body parts
- Not give the illusion of nudity

Props and replica weapons must not:

- Have sharp edges or sharp points
- Involve explosives or pyrotechnics
- Catapult objects
- Be used in a dangerous, intimidating or inappropriate manner
- Be functional weapons
- Be realistic replica firearms - we advise the use of coloured tips to identify props

General behaviour:

- Show consideration to all attendees
- Do not behave aggressively, indecently or inappropriately towards attendees or staff
- Please be aware of your surroundings when posing for / taking photographs, to ensure you are doing so safely and appropriately so not to hinder the experience of other attendees or traders
- Always ask permission before taking a photograph of a cosplayer
- Do not perform simulated violence or staged fights

Cosplay outfits and props will be checked by the venue security. Storage of banned props MAY be arranged, but not be guaranteed. Milton Keynes Film and Comic Con and the venue are not responsible for anything left in storage area.

Thanks for abiding by these guidelines and remember, please dress appropriately and be mindful of other attendees including children. Be safe and have fun and we look forward to seeing your exciting costumes!