

Wireless Access Policy

Free wireless Internet access [Wi-Fi] is available at all buildings of the Pittsylvania County Public Library System. Access points are unsecured and filtered to comply with Children's Internet Protection Act regulations.

Requirements:

You will need a notebook/laptop computer or other wireless device with 802.11b, 802.11g, or 802.11n wireless networking.

If you are not sure if your notebook/laptop computer or other device has this functionality, please check with the manufacturer or supplier of your equipment.

Limitations and Disclaimers:

We have tried to make wireless access as available as possible in our libraries, but you may encounter some "dead" spots in a library where wireless reception may be limited. If you have trouble accessing the Internet or staying online, please move to a different location within the library.

Not all pages and/or sites may be available through the library's wireless Internet. By choosing to use this free service, you agree to abide by the Library's Acceptable Use Policy. This policy states the limitations of Internet access, your responsibilities for using that access, and provides examples of acceptable and unacceptable uses.

The Library's wireless network is not secure. Information sent to and from your notebook/laptop computer or other wireless device may be captured by anyone else with a wireless device and the appropriate software.

Library staff is ~~not~~ able to provide limited technical assistance and no guarantee can be made that you will be able to make a wireless connection.

The Library's wireless access includes gateway anti-virus and anti-spyware tools, but the Library assumes no responsibility for the safety of equipment or for notebook/laptop computer or other wireless device configurations, security, or data files resulting from connection to the Library's wireless access. All wireless access users should have up-to-date virus protection on their laptop computers or wireless devices. The library will not be responsible for any information (i.e. credit card) that is compromised, or for any damage caused to your hardware or software due to electric surges, security issues or consequences caused by viruses or hacking.

Use of Pittsylvania County Public Library's wireless connection is entirely at the risk of the user. The library disclaims all liability for loss of confidential information or damages resulting from that loss.

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