Wireless Network Access

How to connect a laptop, data phone, or tablet to the campus wireless network.

Locations

If you have a COCC computer account:
- Wireless access is available in all campus buildings, the track and field area, and the Quad.

If you don't have a COCC computer account, free wireless (called "Open Community") is available in:
- Campus Center
- Library
- Boyle Education Center
- Redmond Technology Center
- Prineville Campus

How to Use

1. Note that by using the Campus Network, you are agreeing to COCC's Acceptable Use Policy.
2. Turn on the wireless feature of your device. It will search for nearby hotspots. Ours is named "campus_wireless" or "open community".
3. Open your browser and it should automatically go to a COCC login page. This page has a bunch of instructions on how to use the system.
4. In the upper left corner is the login box. Enter your COCC username which is your first initial and your last name (if your name is Bob Cat, your COCC username would be Bcat), password, and remember to check the "I agree…" box, thereby agreeing to COCC's Acceptable Use Policy.
5. Now you can surf the internet.

Technical Details

- The wireless protocols supported by this network are 802.11a, 802.11b, 802.11g and 802.11n.
- Warning: Wireless communications are NOT encrypted with WEP or any other security protocol and therefore as is always the case with the internet, personal data should not be sent unless using a secure website.