


Connecting to an Internet Connection (WiFi) when not at Home

Sites which offer free WiFi often have a sign posted. The tiny WiFi signal with a closed lock next to it  means this particular network is password protected. Even if you use a locked WiFi do not enter private information on public WiFi. It is also recommended that you use *only* a password protected WiFi signal. You may have to ask someone for the WiFi name and password at this location/restaurant/store.

- Make sure your tablet is turned on.



- Next, tap on the “Settings” app, which looks like a gear:
- Tap on Word **WiFi**. It is usually located on the left hand side of the screen.
 - Select the name of the location’s wireless network.
If a password is needed, enter it. Remember it is important to type the password exactly as written, if capital letter, you must type capital.
 - Once you have the passcode typed in exactly as shared, tap on “Connect”
 - Under the name of the network it will show “Obtaining IP address” (simply wait).
 - Next you should see either “Connected” if all went well and you are connected, or “Authentication problem” if it did not connect.
 - If it did not connect, tap on the name of your network
 - Then tap “forget” on bottom left hand side and try again.
- Your tablet remembers every WiFi network it has ever connected to (unless you actually tell it to “forget” a network) and will automatically reconnect when you return to the same location.



Reminder - Do not use public, even password protected WiFi, to do any personal transactions (banking, shopping etc.) Your personal information might be accessed