Wayne County Community Wi-Fi Access Points

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To assist families that do not have home Internet access, the Wayne County School System is pleased to announce several options for students to meet with their teachers online and complete their distance learning work:

SCHOOL SITE EXTERIOR WI-FI

All school sites have exterior Wi-Fi points that will allow students to access Internet near the front of the school or visitor parking area. School-owned devices such as Chromebooks will connect automatically to the Guests network and no password is needed. Internet access is available 24 hours a day.

WI-FI BUSES

The school system will deploy up to 18 Wi-Fi buses throughout the community Monday through Thursday, beginning on September 7. Buses will park at the sites below from 9:00 A.M. to 11:00 A.M. so that students can access the Internet and complete online work. School-owned devices such as Chromebooks will connect automatically to the School Bus network and no password is needed. Buses will continue to be at the designated sites as long as the school system continues in the Distance Learning model. *Please note that school exterior Wi-Fi will be much faster than bus Wi-Fi if there are several people connecting at the bus sites at the same time. This is due to the bus Wi-Fi running over cellular networks.

BUS LOCATIONS

Briarwood Apartments
1201 S First St.

Spring Grove Free Will Baptist 960 Spring Grove Rd.

Trinity Baptist 2061 Spring Grove Rd.

Grace Assembly of God 2324 Rayonier Rd.

Shrine Club Shrine Club Rd.

Jack Rabbit Express 1875 Rayonier Rd.

Red Hill General Store 3100 Lanes Bridge Rd.

Red Hill First Baptist

2574 Red Hill Rd.

New Hope Free Will Baptist

1240 New Hope Rd.

Altamaha <mark>Church of God</mark> 18549 Lane<mark>s Bridge</mark> Rd.

Thornton's Grocery Store 9549 GA 20<mark>3, Screven</mark>

Tanglewoo<mark>d Mobile</mark> Home Park Tanglewood Rd.

Emory Chapel United Methodist 311 N. Hickory St.

Manning Tire & Grocery 6534 S US 341, Gardi

Bonnie's Sportswear 103 Sharpe St., Screven

Lake Grace 1167 Griffis Rd.

McKinnon US 301 South

Post Road

Mt. Pleasant, US 341 South

HOME INTERNET SERVICE FOR LOW-INCOME FAMILIES

Mr. Adnan Alam, owner of Jesup Wireless (212 S. 1st St.), will provide home Wi-Fi service to students and families that meet low-income guidelines (i.e., SNAP, food stamps, free-reduced lunch, government housing). Once one of these criteria are met, Internet service is provided at no cost. For further information, contact Mr. Alam at 427-4011.

<u>iGEORGIA FOOD STAMPS</u> - <u>https://igeorgiafoodstamps.com/low-cost-internet-providers-in-georgia/</u> This website has an extensive list of low-cost Internet providers in Georgia.

WI-FI AT LOCAL BUSINESSES

Understanding that it may be difficult for students to get to a school site or to a bus location, many local businesses and churches have stepped forward to offer their Wi-Fi service to families in this time of need. Below is a list of organizations that will allow students to access Wi-Fi at their facility. Please do not leave children unsupervised at any of these locations.

- McDonald's 1190 E. Cherry St.
- Café Euro 254 W. Cherry St.
- Dunkin' Donuts 151 S 1st St.
- Burger King 998 Sunset Blvd.
- Damon's Famous Fingers & Wings 334 W. Cherry St.
- Taco Bell 1110 N. 1st St.
- Pizza Hut 961 S. 1st St.
- Captain Joe's Seafood 2686 Savannah Hwy.
- Hog-N-Bones 823 N. 1st St.
- Wendy's 945 S. 1st St.
- Dairy Queen 312 S. 1st St.
- Surcheros 480 W. Cherry St.
- Arby's 752 S. 1st St.
 - Management will share the password when students go inside.
- Gooey's Pizza 1955 US Hwy. 84
 - Students must be inside for Wi-Fi service.
- Coastal Pines Technical School 1777 W. Cherry St.
- The Holsey Law Firm 149 East Cherry St, Jesup
- Samantha Jacobs 712 East Cherry St.
 - o Email <u>samantha@samanthajacobspc.com</u> for passcode
- Cotton Grove Estates 249 Joe Naia Rd.
- Clean Queen 186 South Macon St.
- R&R Auto Sales 2849 Savannah Hwy.
- Altamaha Agency 1900 Savannah Hwy.
- Professional Edge Flooring 129 South Macon St.
- City of Screven 103 West J.L. Tyre St., Screven

Jesup Public Library

LIBRARY HOURS	
Monday	9:00-1:00, 2:00-5:30
Tuesday	9:00-1:00, 2:00-7:00
Wednesday	9:00-1:00, 2:00-5:30
Thursday	9:00-1:00, 2:00-7:00
Friday	9:00-1:00, 2:00-5:30
Saturday	10:00-12:30
Sunday	Closed

• Xfinity Hotspots offered are throughout Wayne County. Go to this link to find a hotspot near you: https://www.xfinity.com/learn/internet-service/wifi

WI-FI AT LOCAL CHURCHES

- Turning Point Worship Center 1810 S. Palm St.
 - Wi-Fi rooms are available for students Mondays-Thursdays from 9:00 A.M. to 3:00 P.M.
 Network is *TPGuest*. Children must be accompanied by an adult at all times.
 - Wi-Fi access from the parking area is available anytime.
- O'Quinn Baptist Church— 175 O'Quinn Church Rd, Screven
 - Fellowship Hall is open on Mondays, Tuesdays, Wednesdays, and Fridays from 8:00 A.M.
 12:00 P.M. Children must be accompanied by an adult at all times.
 - Wi-Fi access from the parking area is available anytime.
- Calvary Baptist Church— 415 E. Cherry St.
 - Fellowship Hall is open for students on Mondays and Wednesdays from 9:00 A.M. –
 12:00 P.M. Network is Cbcguest. Children must be accompanied by an adult at all times.
 - Wi-Fi access from the parking area is available anytime.
- Altamaha Baptist Church 6622 Oglethorpe Rd.
 - A bus will be in the parking lot for students to access Wi-Fi.
 - Children must be accompanied by an adult at all times.
- Church of God of Prophecy 937 S. US Hwy 301
 - Please email Mika Pearson Brockington for Wi-Fi password (mika.pearson@wayne.k12.ga.us)
 - Children must be accompanied by an adult at all times.
- First Baptist Church 185 S. Brunswick St.

At First Baptist Church of Jesup, we understand that, during this most unusual time, we all need to pull together as a community to help each other. As school resumes virtually on Tuesday, Sept. 7, we're offering two options to those in our community who may need reliable WiFi access to complete their assignments:

Option 1

Monday – Thursday, 9:00 AM – 4:00 PM, students who are chaperoned by a parent or legal guardian over the age of 18 can use our space to complete their assignments. Please come to

our office entrance and one of our staff members will show you a place you can use. Again, students must provide their own Chromebook/Computer, school supplies, and snacks (if needed).

Option 2

Our Guest Wi-Fi network is available anytime from our rear parking lot. Should you need Wi-Fi access after-hours, feel free to park in this lot and use the posted information to sign on to our network.

First Baptist Church of Jesup is located at 185 S. Brunswick Street. If you need more information give us a call at (912)427-4239.

