

HOW CAN STUDENTS GET ACCESS TO FREE INTERNET IN THE WACO ISD AREA?



A few Internet Service Providers (ISP) are providing free, or reduced cost, internet to homes who may not have access. They are also waiving late fees, opening hot-spots, and not cutting off service for lack of payment.

1 AT&T

offers open hot-spots, unlimited data to existing customers, and \$10/month plans to low income families - <https://soc.att.com/2V6r4jU>

2 COMCAST

offers sixty (60) days of free Internet Essentials service, which is normally available to all qualified low-income households for \$9.95/month; For new customers, applicants can simply visit www.internetessentials.com (website includes written and video chat customer service options) or by calling 1-855-846-8376 (English) or 1-855-765-6995 (Spanish); Xfinity hot-spots are free to the public during this time - <https://bit.ly/2V4JXU2>

3 SPECTRUM

offers sixty (60) days free broadband and Wi-Fi access for households with K-12 and/or college students who don't already have a Spectrum broadband subscription; No installation fees for new households. Enroll by calling 1-844-488-8395 - <https://bit.ly/3aKFDQK>

4 SPRINT

offers unlimited data to existing customers and will allow all handsets to enable hot-spots for 60 days at no extra charge - <https://sprint.co/347u4jU>

5 T-MOBILE

offers unlimited data to existing customers and will allow all handsets to enable hot-spots for 60 days at no extra charge - <https://t-mo.co/2R62IFy>

6 VERIZON

no special offers but waiving late fees - <https://vz.to/3aJJIKf>

7 WI-FI YOUR MAP

provides a list of locations that offer free Wi-Fi in local areas - <https://bit.ly/2R8OROU>

8 CITY OF WACO WI-FI HOTSPOTS

The City of Waco is offering free Wi-Fi at parking lots of the Waco Convention Center 24/7 and all four branches of the Waco-McLennan County Library (East, South, West and Central) from 7 am to 11 pm.

9 WACO HOUSING AUTHORITY WI-FI HOTSPOTS

Public Wi-Fi hotspots available M-F, 7 am-7 pm at:

- Waco Housing Authority main office - 4400 Cobbs
- Community Services at Kate Ross Apartments - 1115 Cleveland
- Estella Maxey Place - 1809 J.J. Flewellen
- South Terrace Youth Center - 100 Lyndon

*maps showing coverage areas available at <https://bit.ly/2UFDBf4>

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