

Get Connected!

Free Wi-Fi in Warwickshire Libraries

Access free broadband wireless Internet on your mobile device in all County Council managed libraries.

You will need a mobile phone and a wireless enabled mobile device that uses WPA encryption. You can connect using any standard Internet Browser; no additional software is required. You are responsible for the configuration; virus protection and use of your own equipment.

Internet access is filtered and access to websites that are deemed to be inappropriate is blocked. There is also a bandwidth restriction in place.

Printing is not possible on the wireless network.

Health & Safety

If you are plugging into mains power in the library please use the designated sockets and take care that your cables do not cause a trip hazard. If you cannot find a suitable location please ask library staff to help. Personal adapters or extension cables cannot be used.

Items connected to library mains power are used entirely at your own risk; this includes risk of electrocution when using our power, damage to software / hardware and theft of equipment.

Warwickshire County Council accepts no liability for any damage sustained.

To Connect to the WCC Public Wi-Fi Network

For Apple iPad / iPhone devices:

- Tap on **Settings**, then tap on **Wi-Fi** and select '**WCC Public Wi-Fi**' from the list.
- The device will connect to the WiFi. Press the Home button to exit.



For Android / Google and Hudl devices:

- Tap on **Settings**, then tap on **Wi-Fi** and select '**WCC Public Wi-Fi**' from the list
- You may see a message – 'An action is required to connect – click here to visit the network homepage.' Click and follow the instructions to register.

For Kindle Fire devices

- Drag down from the top of the screen to display the **Settings** bar.
- Touch the **Wireless** option.

For Windows 7 & 8 devices: -

- Click the wireless icon -  - in the bottom right of the taskbar; **Windows 8** users need to access the **Charms** menu and tap on **Settings**, then the **Network** icon - .
- Choose **WCC Public Wi-Fi** in the list of networks.

To Connect to the Internet

- Open your web browser and you will be directed to the **WCC Public Wi-Fi** log on page. If you do not see this page, load a new website and this will force the web browser to the log in page.

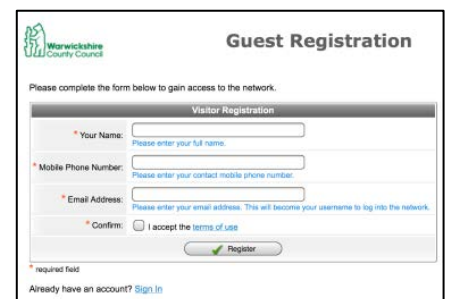


- Read the **Warwickshire County Council Acceptable Use Policy** by clicking on **terms of use**. If you already have a current password you can enter it here and click on **Log In**. If this is the first time or your password is out of date, then click on **Click Here to Register**.

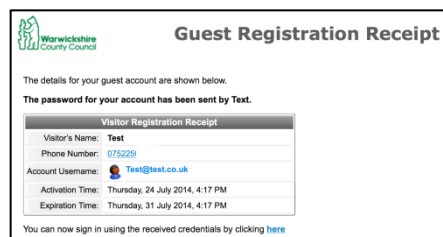
- To register, you need to enter your:

- name
- valid mobile phone number (no spaces)
- valid email address (this will be your username)

- Click in the **Confirm** box, then click on **Register**



- You will see a receipt screen confirming your details.



- You will receive a text message to the phone number you registered.

Visitor Access

Username:
Test@test.co.uk

Password: 12929300

Expires: 2014-07-31
16:17:26

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- Now return to your internet browser. If the registration page is not there then attempt to load a web page to force the registration page to appear.

Welcome to WCC Public WiFi

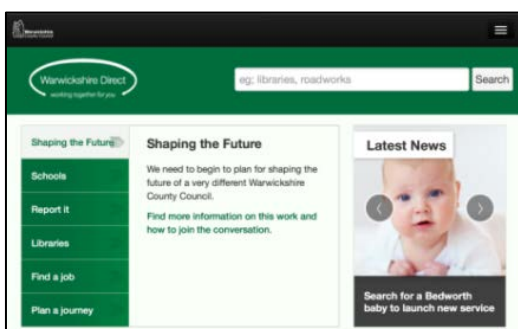
* Username:

* Password:

* Terms: I accept the [terms of use](#)

Log In

- Fill in the details from the text message you received and click on **Log in**. The Username and Passwords are both case sensitive. When you see the Warwickshire Internet page you are successfully logged into the Wi-Fi



- The registration lasts for 7 days so you will need to re-register if access is still required after this time has passed.

WCC Public Wi-Fi Acceptable Use Policy

- 1 Warwickshire County Council provides free wi-fi public access to the Internet as part of its role in providing access to information, education and leisure opportunities for the whole community and as part of its commitment to supporting lifelong learning.
- 2 Responsibility for any activities carried out by the user on the Internet, including financial transactions, rests solely with the individual user and never with the County Council. This also applies to any downloaded material for use elsewhere.
- 3 Wireless access at Warwickshire County Council may only be used for any legal activity.
- 4 Children are actively encouraged to use the Internet but require the consent of their parents/carers if under the age of 16 years. It is the responsibility of parents/carers of children to determine and monitor their own children's use of the Internet. Warwickshire County Council reserve the right to refuse access to its systems to any person at its sole discretion.
- 5 Warwickshire County Council has no control over the information provided on the Internet and cannot be held responsible for the quality, authenticity or accuracy of information obtained. Neither has it any control of the performance of the Internet or connections to it.
- 6 The Internet contains a wide variety of information and opinions. Warwickshire County Council does not endorse such opinions and accepts no liability for the users use of the internet.
- 7 Warwickshire County Council strives to balance the rights of users to access these resources with the rights of people to use a public environment free from disruptive sounds and offensive visual images. Warwickshire County Council reserves the right to request any user to cease access to any such resource that is deemed inappropriate. Failure to comply with such a request will result in the session being terminated.
- 8 Filtering software is used to restrict access to sites that the County Council deems inappropriate and/or offensive. The effectiveness of any filtering software cannot be guaranteed and any user can recommend that access to a particular site can be permitted or denied using online or paper Customer Comments forms.
- 9 The user undertakes not to attempt to gain unauthorised access to any other network other than the Internet.
- 10 The user undertakes not to create; access; transmit or send via email any obscene, offensive, indecent or defamatory material, or any data capable of being resolved into obscene, offensive, indecent or defamatory material
- 11 The user undertakes not to create; transmit or send via email material which is designed or likely to cause annoyance, inconvenience or needless anxiety to any person
- 12 The user undertakes not to transmit or send via email any material that infringes the intellectual property rights of a third party
- 13 The user undertakes not to transmit or send via email unsolicited commercial or advertising material either to other Organisations, or to Organisations connected to other networks, save where that material is embedded within, or is otherwise part of, a service to which the member of the Organisation has chosen to subscribe
- 14 Any other use of the material, including reproducing, re-transmitting, republishing, redistribution or permanently storing of the content in any form is strictly prohibited without prior written consent of Warwickshire County Council
- 15 The user undertakes not to knowingly introduce viruses to the network

- 16 The user undertakes not to transmit or send via email any material which constitutes an unauthorised disclosure of another's personal data under the Data Protection Act 1998.
- 17 The user will indemnify the County Council and keep the County Council fully and effectively indemnified against all actions, proceedings, claims, demands, damages and costs occasioned to the County Council as a result of any breach of this undertaking.
- 18 Warwickshire County Council will monitor usage of the Internet and other computer resources via software and visual checks. Any attempt by users to access prohibited sites or other unauthorised material may result in further action being taken, including the withdrawal of Internet access.
- 19 Warwickshire County Council accepts no liability for any errors encountered with the users resources when using the Warwickshire County Council wireless network or any other wireless network
- 20 Warwickshire County Council are not responsible for any charges incurred for services requested by or used by the user
- 21 Where any Warwickshire County Council system/gateway is being used to access the Internet or another network, any abuse of the Acceptable Use Policy of that network will be regarded as a breach of Warwickshire County Council acceptable use policy. Any breach of industry good practice (as represented by the standards of the London Internet Exchange) or of the Acceptable Use Policy of other networks, that is likely to damage the reputation of Warwickshire County Council may be regarded as a breach of this Acceptable Use Policy
- 22 It is an offence under the Obscene Publications Act (1959 & 1964) and the Electronic Communications Act (2000), to publish an obscene article and to transmit a message or any other matter that is grossly offensive, indecent or threatening over the telephone lines; including Internet access in England and Wales.
- 23 Where violation of these conditions is illegal or unlawful, or results in loss or damage to Warwickshire County Council resources or the resources of a third party accessible via Warwickshire County Council wireless service, the matter may be referred for legal action.