This article reviews the College’s gaming wi-fi network pilot and how to connect your devices.

**Before You Start**, you may need access to the following:

- a College account and password 
  (e.g., username@brynmaur.edu or username@haverford.edu)
- a device that supports wireless internet connections

This wi-fi network is a **pilot with no guarantee of service**.

It is only available in **Bryn Mawr College dormitories**.

Please send all feedback to the [Help Desk](#).

### How it works

- Each gaming device will need to be registered **annually**
- At the end of the academic year, **all registrations will be deleted**
- Each connection has a **limited download/upload speed** to ensure stability

### Step 1: find your MAC address

This wireless network will **not function** with smart home devices or media streaming devices. For more information, see the [What NOT to bring](#) section of [Students: What tech to bring to College](#).

Determine your device's **MAC/Hardware address**:

- [Nintendo Switch](#)
- [Playstation 5](#)
- [Xbox Series X and S](#)
Step 2: register

Email help@brynmawr.edu with the following information:

- **Subject:** Gaming Wi-Fi Registration Request
- **Full Name**
- **College Username**
- **Device Manufacturer** (e.g., Microsoft, Sony)
- **Device Model** (e.g., Xbox Series X, Playstation 5)
- **Device MAC address** (see above)

Step 3: connect

All network activity must abide by the [College’s Acceptable Use Policy](#).

Once your device is registered, you will receive a confirmation email and the current pre-shared key.

1. Access your device's network settings
2. Select the Gaming Wi-Fi
3. Enter the pre-shared key as the password
4. Connect!

Questions?

If you have any additional questions or problems, don't hesitate to reach out to the Help Desk!

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