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Android Devices
Connecting your Android device to the Wi-Fi Network

Before using these instruction please “forget” any previous WiFi connections to Oldham College and uninstall any Smart Connect software. Your device MUST have a PIN authentication set prior to using this guide.

Go to Settings > Wi-Fi, the list of available SSIDs will appear. Select College_WiFi

Open your Default browser and type gateway.oldham.ac.uk you will be directed to the Acceptable use policy. Please read and accept.
Enter your username and password, and press Login

Once logged in, you will be asked to connect to the secure network

Now press 1. Install the smart connect android App, via the link on screen

Connect to the secure network

To connect to the network please install the Smart Connect App and then use the ‘connect to the secure network’ link.

1. Install the Smart Connect Android App
2. Connect to the secure network
Press install. This will install the App onto your device

When the software is installed, **Do not press Open** press the back button highlighted in red circled below.
You will be returned to the connect page, now press 2. **Connect to a secure network**

You will be connected to OC_Connect and directed to the Oldham College web page.
You will now be connected to OC_Connect

Now that you have installed your device onto the Wi-Fi network, it will be remembered when you are within range of the OC_Connect SSID. You will not be asked to log in with this device again. Your device will auto connect to the network.

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Apple/IOS Devices
Connecting your Apple/IOS devices to the Wi-Fi Network

Goto Settings > Wi-Fi, the list of available SSID’s will appear. Select College_WiFi

Open your browser and type gateway.oldham.ac.uk you will be directed to the below page.

Enter your username and password, and press Login
Once logged in, you will be directed to install the IOS Network Profile.

You will receive a prompt for the setting to show your configuration profile, press Allow.

Press install. This will install the Wi-Fi profile onto your device.
Depending on your phone’s security settings, you may be prompted to enter your phone’s password.

You will be asked to install a certificate, press install

Confirm the installation of the certificate
Once the certificate is installed, press Done

Now go to Settings > General > About > Certificate Trust Settings

You will see the certificate trust settings, Enable both certificates
Press continue to install the root certificate.

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Windows/Laptop Devices
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Press the Wi-Fi settings icon in the taskbar, select College_WiFi and press connect

You will be presented with the college acceptable usage policy, press accept
Enter your username and password, and press Login.

On the Connect to the secure network page, Press Click here to download smart connect.
You will be asked to Run, Save, Cancel the software. Press Run

The Fortinet page will appear with your username and password, press Start
Once the Smart connect is download and installed, press connect for network access

Once connected, you will see Wireless connection successful page. Press Close
The Oldham College Website page will appear once connected.

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