

## **Getting Families Connected**

The following resources are available to help Delaware families connect to the internet during the 2020-21 school year. Please share as appropriate. Services are continually updated so families should contact providers directly for more information, including potential changes.

## **Services by County**

### **New Castle County**

Comcast	Comcast Internet Essentials	\$9.95/month	Via a mobile device:
Service Areas	available for qualifying		https://apply.internetessentials.com/
	families		Via phone: 1-800-XFINITY
Delaware	Connect with the best WiFi	Free	https://www.wifimap.io/3327-delaware-free-
WiFi Map	hotspots in Delaware.		<u>wifi</u>
Public	Access wireless in Delaware	Free	Delawarelibraries.org
Libraries	public library parking lots		

#### **Kent County**

BlooSurf	DDOE offer provides free broadband for qualifying Delaware families with no landline-based options. Service available 8am-8pm. Teacher discounts available.	Free installation and 3 months of service for qualifying families with no landline-based options. Subsequent charges are \$30/mo. \$30 router charge may apply.  ** Bloosurf offers teachers a 20% discount on monthly services.	<ol> <li>Families should:         <ol> <li>First contact BlooSurf (1-866-319-7172) to determine if their address is serviceable.</li> <li>Fill out an eligibility form at their home school. Families must show proof of participation in one of the following: Free and Reduced Lunch, Medicaid, Public Housing Assistance, SNAP, TANF, SSI, NSLP/Head Start, LIHEAP or WIC.</li> </ol> </li> <li>Home schools will forward all applications to the appropriate parties and further information will be provided to families by phone.</li> </ol>
Comcast Service Areas Delaware	Comcast Internet Essentials available for qualifying families.  Connect with the best WiFi	\$9.95/month  Free	Via a mobile device: <a href="https://apply.internetessentials.com/">https://apply.internetessentials.com/</a> Via phone: 1-800-XFINITY <a href="https://www.wifimap.io/3327-delaware-free-">https://www.wifimap.io/3327-delaware-free-</a>
WiFi Map Public Libraries	hotspots in Delaware. Access wireless in Delaware public library parking lots.	Free	wifi Delawarelibraries.org

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### **Sussex County**

Mediacom Service Areas	Mediacom Connect2Compete	\$9.95/month	Via a mobile device:  https://mediacomc2c.com/  Via phone: 1-855-904-2225
BlooSurf	DDOE offer provides free broadband for qualifying Delaware families with no landline-based options. Service available 8am-8pm. Teacher discounts available.	Free installation and 3 months of service for qualifying families with no landline-based options. Subsequent charges are \$30/mo. \$30 router charge may apply.  ** Bloosurf offers a 20% discount on monthly services for teachers.	<ol> <li>Families should:         <ol> <li>First contact BlooSurf (1-866-319-7172) to determine if their address is serviceable.</li> <li>Fill out an eligibility form at their home school. Families must show proof of participation in one of the following: Free and Reduced Lunch, Medicaid, Public Housing Assistance, SNAP, TANF, SSI, NSLP/Head Start, LIHEAP or WIC.</li> </ol> </li> <li>Home schools will forward all applications to the appropriate parties and further information will be provided to families by phone.</li> </ol>
Comcast Service Areas	Comcast Internet Essentials available for qualifying families.	\$9.95/mo	Via a mobile device: <a href="https://apply.internetessentials.com/">https://apply.internetessentials.com/</a> Via phone: 1-800-XFINITY
Delaware WiFi Map	Connect with the best WiFi hotspots in Delaware.	Free	https://www.wifimap.io/3327-delaware- free-wifi
Public Libraries	Access wireless in Delaware public library parking lots.  Note: Bridgeville, Seaford, Frankford, and Millsboro public libraries are open. Patrons can enter for limited time by appointment.	Free	<u>Delawarelibraries.org</u>

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# **Provider-Specific Information**

The providers listed below offer internet access to Delaware residents. Each link accesses a provider's COVID site wherever possible.

### **Statewide Providers**



verizonwireless



verizon.com 1-800-837-4966 verizonwireless.com 1-800-922-0204 xfinity.com 1-800-266-2278



AT&T T··Mobile·



att.com 1-800-331-0500 t-mobile.com 1-800-937-8997 <u>sprint.com</u> 1-888-211-4727

## Selective Service Area Providers









Middletown, Delaware City, New Castle, Odessa, Port Penn, St. Georges, Townsend and Clayton Some areas in Kent and Sussex Counties Some areas in Sussex County

Wilmington

<u>atlanticbb.com</u> 1-888-536-9600 bloosurf.com 1-866-319-7172 mediacomcable.com 1-855-633-4226 whyfly.com 1-302-722-7774

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