

WALKER HALL INTERNET ACCESS

Computer Specifications:

Windows XP

OS: Windows XP with SP3
CPU: Intel Core 2 (or equivalent) running at 1.4 GHz or greater
AMD X2 (or equivalent) running at 1.8 GHz or greater
RAM: 1GB or more
Wired Network: Network card with RJ45 port and network cable
Wireless Network: Wireless card capable of either B, G, or N transmissions
Updated and current virus protection

Windows Vista/Windows 7

OS: Windows Vista with SP2
OS: Windows 7 with SP1
CPU: Intel Core 2 (or equivalent) running at 1.6 GHz or greater
AMD X2 (or equivalent) running at 2.2GHz or greater
RAM: 1GB or more
Wired Network: Network card with RJ45 port and network cable
Wireless Network: Wireless card capable of B, G, or N transmissions
Updated and current virus protection

Apple Minimum Specifications

Mac computer with an Intel processor
1GB of memory
5GB of free disk space
Wired Network: Network card with RJ45 port and patch cord
Wireless Network: Wireless card capable of B, G, or N transmissions
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Unix/Linux

OS: Unix/Linux
CPU: Intel Core 2 (or equivalent) running at 1.4 GHz or greater
AMD X2 (or equivalent) running at 1.8 GHz or greater
RAM: 1GB or more
Wired Network: Network card with RJ45 port and network cable
Wireless Network: Wireless card capable of either B, G, or N transmissions
Updated and current virus protection

Walker Hall is equipped with both wired and wireless internet access. In order to access the internet you will need a computer that meets or exceeds the minimum specifications (located in the left-hand column).

Internet Options:

Wireless Connection (B, G, & N transmission speeds available)

The SSID is called "Ranken-WalkerHall". Once connected to the wireless network, open a web browser. A default webpage will appear with a login prompt where you must input your Ranken username and password (ex. John_Smith).

Wired Connection

Plug your computer into a network jack in the room. Once connected to the wireless network, open a web browser. A default webpage will appear with a login prompt where you must input your Ranken username and password (ex. John_Smith).

Additional Information:

Devices connected to Ranken's networks are required to abide by the network usage policy. Some of the items include:

- A valid anti-virus program installed
- Up-to-date anti-virus definitions
- Up-to-date Microsoft Updates (If Applicable)
- No peer-to-peer applications installed

If your computer is found to be out of compliance, it can take up to an hour after you have resolved the issue before your computer is able to connect.

For additional information,
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