

CONNECTING TO THE INTERNET WITH A PROPERLY EQUIPPED LAPTOP

You must have a wireless network card or a wireless chip in your laptop in order to connect to the Internet.

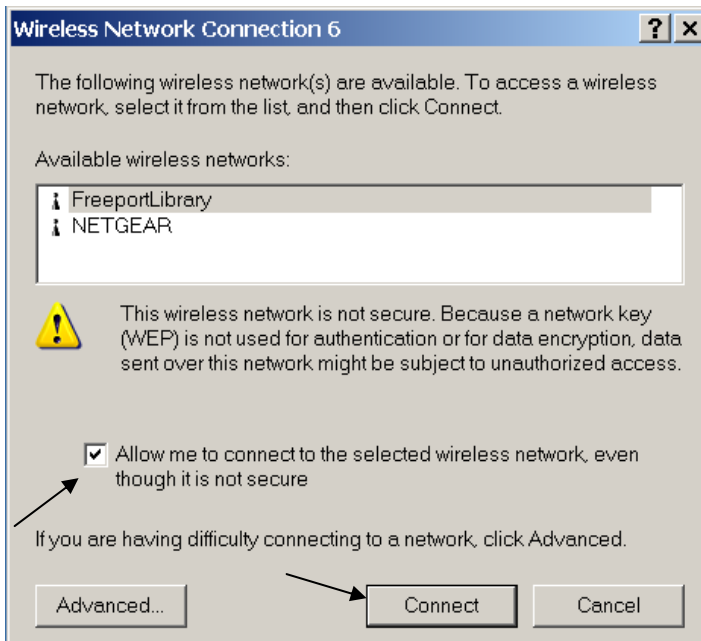
Windows XP

Windows XP should automatically detect the Library's WiFi network. However, if it does not automatically connect, you may have to:

1. click on the network icon in your system tray



2. You will see the following window:



If you have more than one network in the list (as I do in the above picture) make sure that the FreeportLibrary network is selected. You may have to check the box next to "Allow me to connect...." then click on the **Connect** button.

Windows 98

Windows 98 will not automatically detect your wireless network. You will have to use the configuration program for your wireless card to change the SSID to **FreeportLibrary**

Please note that the Library Staff is unable to assist you in changing the settings on your equipment.