

Wireless frequently asked questions:

Q: I can not see any available networks to connect too.

- If the network card is integrated into the laptop then it may be turned off.
 - Your laptop may have a physical button on the front or side of it to turn the wireless card on and off. You may need to turn it on.
 - Your laptop may have a 'Function' key to turn the network card on and off. This key would be on the keyboard, it is usually "Fn" + <another key>. These buttons vary across laptops so it's best to consult the original documentation, and search your Help menu.
- If your network card is external then:
 - It has lights on it, check to see if they are flashing. If not, you might not have the card inserted completely. Remove the card and try to insert it again.
 - It is connected to the laptop via PCMCIA - try another PCMCIA slot if you have another slot. Some laptops are picky about what slot you use.
 - You might not have the driver installed properly/installed. Refer to the network card documentation to follow the proper procedure. This varies widely across manufacturers.