Information Technology Services (ITS) is happy to announce that Framingham State University will be launching eduroam this August. Eduroam is short for (educational roaming) and it is a secure wireless network service that allows faculty, staff, and students to use their home institution's wireless credentials to access wireless networks when visiting other eduroam participating institutions. This will make access to Wi-Fi in many locations much easier and eliminates the need for the use of “guest” accounts. Visitors from any participating eduroam institution will also be able to securely connect to the eduroam wireless network while here at Framingham State University using their own credentials.

**Eduroam Locations**
There are more than 500 participating locations in the US and 5,000 worldwide. A full list of the participating U.S. institutions is available on the [eduroam website](https://www.eduroam.org). Additionally, eduroam provides a map of international locations.

**Which institutions are participating in our area?**
The following is a list Commonwealth of Massachusetts State Universities and Community Colleges currently using eduroam or with planned participation by September of 2017:
Bridgewater State University, Framingham State University, Salem State University, Westfield State University, Worcester State University, Berkshire Community College, MassBay Community College, Mount Wachusett Community College and Springfield Technical Community College.

**How do I get connected?**
It is easy to connect to eduroam – you simply need to enter your_username@framingham.edu and password. (This is the same as your FSU issued email address and password.) Once you have entered this the first time and saved your login credentials on your device, you will be able to automatically connect to the eduroam network whenever it is available.

**How do visitors to FSU use Eduroam?**
Visiting faculty, staff and students from participating eduroam organizations are able to securely access the eduroam wireless network in all FSU buildings. They can simply connect to the ‘eduroam’ Wi-Fi network using their home organization’s credentials.

**How do I get help with Eduroam?**
Questions or concerns? Please contact the Technology Resource Center at it@framingham.edu or 508-215-5906.