Apple TV & Chromecast

SUMMARY

Please be advised that not all services associated with Apple TVs or Chromecast work on the Millersville campus. Apple TVs & Chromecast were designed to work in home network environments, and therefore do not fully function on a campus network environment.

DETAILS

Apple TVs & Chromecast are designed for, and work well in, simple home networks. They do not work across IP address subnets. On the Millersville network, devices are likely in different subnets and will not be able to communicate. Many universities are experiencing the same issue with Apple TV & Chromecast.

APPLE TV SERVICES THAT WORK ON CAMPUS

* Watching previews of movies from iTunes
* Renting a movie from Apple
* Purchasing a movie from Apple
* Services like Netflix, YouTube, Hulu, Vimeo, NBA, NHL and MLB

APPLE TV SERVICES THAT WILL NOT WORK ON CAMPUS

Any AirPlay functions such as:

* Games
* Screen mirroring from an iPad, iPhone or Mac computer
* Streaming content from an iPad, iPhone or Mac computer
* Playing stored contact from an iTunes account on a Mac or PC computer

OTHER DEVICES AFFECTED

* iTunes Library Sharing
* Apple Wireless Printers

Before pursuing any initiative using an Apple TV or Chromecast, or if you have any questions, please contact Information Technology at 871-7777 for more information.