

How do I connect to the LPS network via VPN?

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Virtual Private Network (VPN) access at LPS is used to allow personal devices to securely access specific resources on our network.

NOTE: Your LPS account will need to have VPN access before you will be able to download and set up the VPN software.

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Downloading the Global Protect VPN software

1. Go to <https://vpn.lawrence.k12.ma.us>.
2. Enter your LPS Office 365 user name to log in.
3. Choose the download that matches your Operating System (**Windows** or **Mac**). For **Windows** you will most likely need to download the "**Windows 64 bit GlobalProtect Agent**".

Connecting to the VPN (Windows)

1. After the download completes, Install the "**GlobalProtect**" software.
2. Once the installation completes, click on the **GlobalProtect** (gray planet) icon located in the notification area at the bottom-right of the screen. You may need click on the small "up" arrow next to the clock if you do not see the **GlobalProtect** icon in the area.
3. A small window titled "**GlobalProtect**" will appear. Type **vpn.lawrence.k12.ma.us** as the portal address then click the **Connect** button.

4. It will open your web browser and ask you to login to your LPS Office 365 if you are not already logged in

5. You will see a "**Connecting...**" message as the software attempts to log in.

6. Once logged in you should see the message "**Connected**". At this point you will be connected to the LPS network.

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