

# 10 Texas A&M Tech Tips



At Texas A&M, you have a team behind you, ready to help make your college adventure a success!

*Make IT yours!*

## *1. New Aggie Techlist*

### *Customized list for your tech needs*

We've made the packing list for you. The new Aggie TechList tells you what technology to bring to A&M.

[ ] *Visit: [IT.tamu.edu/getstarted](https://IT.tamu.edu/getstarted)*

## *2. IT.tamu.edu*

### *One stop IT shop*

IT.tamu.edu is your one-stop-shop for all things IT. Whether you're looking for tech help, details on campus services or want to see the latest IT news, you will find it here.

[ ] *Bookmark: [IT.tamu.edu](https://IT.tamu.edu)*

### 3. *TamuLink Campus Wi-Fi*

*Gets you connected*

Log in to tamulink-wpa using your NetID and password. Available in libraries, dining halls, residence halls, classrooms, etc.

[ ] *Connect your device: [tamulink-wpa](#)*



### 4. *Gmail*

*Stay in the loop*

Stay in the know by checking your Texas A&M Gmail often at [google.tamu.edu](https://google.tamu.edu). You will receive information about classes, registration, financial aid, billing and more. Your email address is: [YourNetID@email.tamu.edu](mailto:YourNetID@email.tamu.edu).

[ ] *Set up mobile gmail: [u.tamu.edu/gmail](https://u.tamu.edu/gmail)*



## 5. Help Desk Central

*Tech help 24/7*

Whether you need assistance with hardware, software, wireless, web, or your accounts, HDC provides support 24/7.

979.845.8300	helpdesk@tamu.edu
Computing Services Center Room CS00 (8 a.m. - midnight)	

[ ] Bookmark: [hdc.tamu.edu](http://hdc.tamu.edu)

## 6. Lynda Online Tutorials

*Gives you access to the pros*

Lynda.com gives you all the skills you need with hundreds of engaging, top-quality courses taught by recognized industry experts in business, software, technology and creative skills. Your subscription is already paid for!

[ ] *Start training here: [u.tamu.edu/lynda](http://u.tamu.edu/lynda)*



## 7. Open Access Labs

*Campus computer access*

Computer labs are conveniently located across campus. Enjoy extended hours when classes are in session; color, tabloid, and wide-format printing available, \$30 print budget for fall and spring, \$15 for summer; access to special software; and printing on-the-go via kiosks across campus at [u.tamu.edu/aggieprint](http://u.tamu.edu/aggieprint).

[ ] *Find lab locations: [oal.tamu.edu](http://oal.tamu.edu)*

## 8. Computer Repair

*Let the pros fix it*

One of Help Desk Central's most popular services is computer repair. If your equipment needs fixing, haul it to HDC, located by the Commons!

Diagnostic testing
Troubleshooting and minor repairs
Removing computer viruses
Operating System (OS) installations
Authorized Dell and Apple Warranty repair

[ ] *Call: 979.845.8300*



## 9. Discounted Software

### Software on a student budget

The day after you register for classes, you can purchase no charge or deeply discounted software. Scout out your must-have software online and we will get it to you for free!

<b>\$5</b> Windows 10	<b>\$5</b> Microsoft Office 2016	<b>\$5</b> EndNote 18
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## 10. Free Security Tools

### Maintains your secure access

Studying off campus? Use the Virtual Private Network (VPN) to keep hackers from seeing your personal information.

[ ] Set up VPN: [u.tamu.edu/vpnetwork](http://u.tamu.edu/vpnetwork)



## Before you leave your NSC:

### [ ] Set up DUO NetID

Two-Factor Authentication at [services.tamu.edu/duo-enroll/](https://services.tamu.edu/duo-enroll/) to ensure you don't lose access to important TAMU resources.

### [ ] Set up Self-Service Password Reset

at [u.tamu.edu/SSPR](https://u.tamu.edu/SSPR) so you can reset your password on your own.

### [ ] Set up Code Maroon

at [codemaroon.tamu.edu](https://codemaroon.tamu.edu) to receive emergency notification text messages.

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