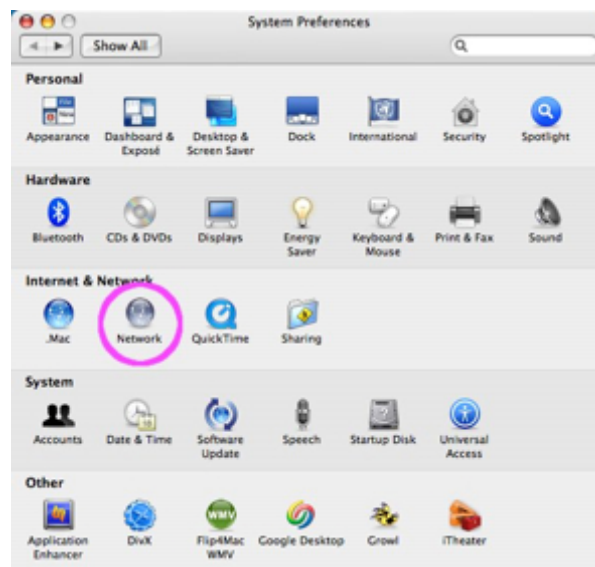


Much like everything else about OS X, connecting to a **wireless network** is painfully easy. But if you're not familiar w/ OS X, and need to walk someone else through it, the following steps might prove helpful.

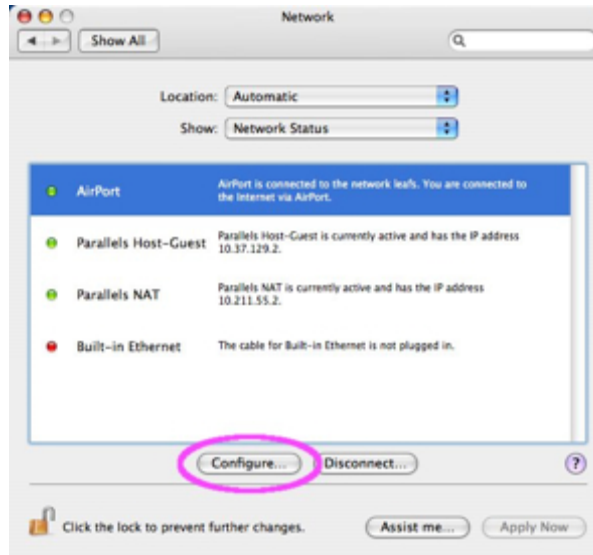
1. When connecting your **Mac** to a wireless network, one of the first things you'll want to do is make sure that the AirPort icon is enabled in your **Menu bar**. If it's already there, please skip down to Step 5.



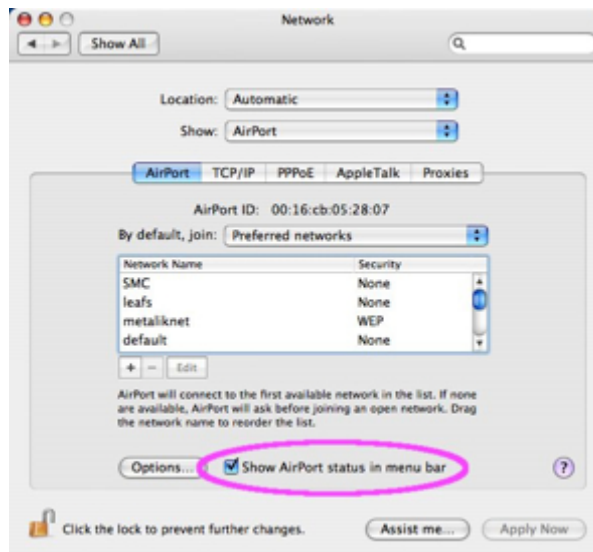
2. Select the **Apple Button** (very upper left corner of your screen) and choose **System Preferences...** from the drop-down list. From there, select **Network**.



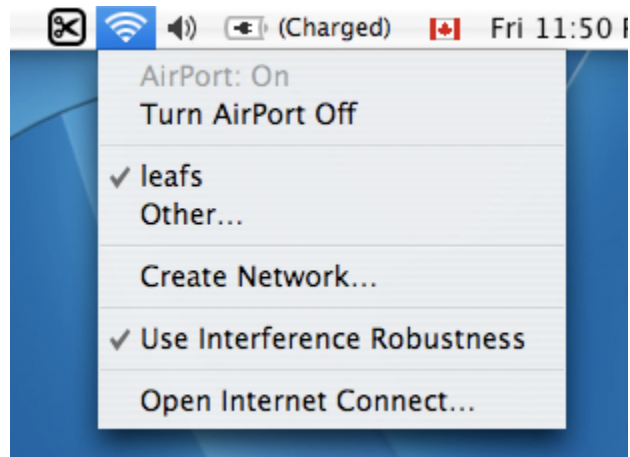
3. Select you AirPort entry, and click the **Configure...** button.



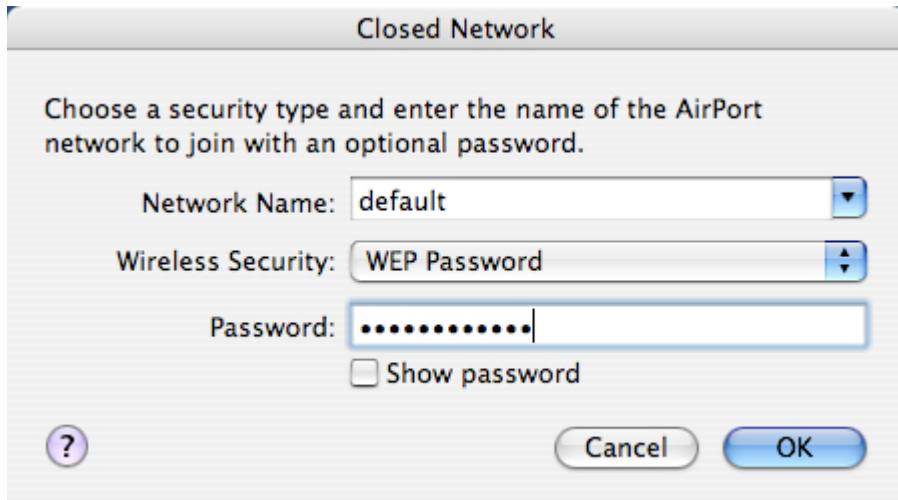
4. Make sure the **Airport** tab is selected from the top menu, and then place a check in the box labeled **Show Airport status in menu bar**



5. Click the AirPort icon in your menu bar, and you should be presented with a list of visible wireless networks. Select the network you want to join.



6. If the network requires a password, you'll be prompted to enter it now. If it doesn't, you should automatically connect.



7. When you're connected, the AirPort icon will change from a 'light grey' color to a solid black. The number of solid black lines indicates the **signal strength** (more black bars = stronger signal). That's it!