

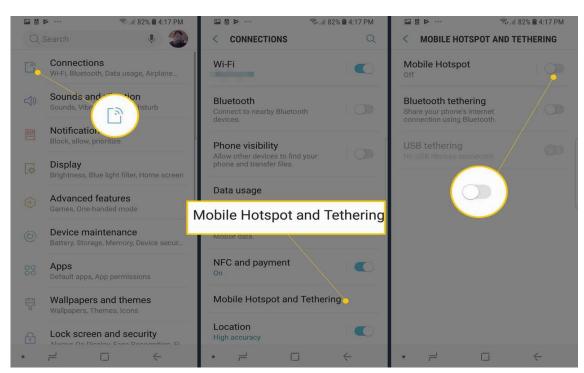
## **Student Internet Access at Home**

Internet required to access most learning platforms used by Aldridge SHS uses only a small amount of data. Students need only to log on daily to check email instructions and access lessons and resources on either Daymap or Class Notebook. Once they have read instructions and downloaded resources, they can disconnect from the internet and work offline. They only need to connect again, to email, upload to Daymap, or sync their Class Notebook so teachers can view their work and provide feedback. Again this takes only a few minutes and uses a very small amount of data.

Some subjects may require students to work online for longer periods, for example, students working on Stile for Science.

## Android Phones – activating hotspot

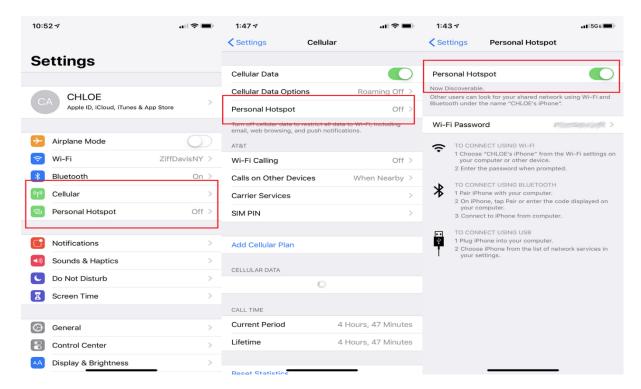
- 1. Go to Settings on your Samsung phone. From the **Home** screen, press the **Menu** button, then tap **Settings** or click
- 2. In the **Settings** screen, tap **Wireless & networks**. On a Samsung phone, tap **Connections**, then tap **Mobile Hotspot and Tethering**.
- 3. Turn on the **Mobile Hotspot** toggle switch. The phone becomes a wireless access point and displays a message in the notification bar when it's activated.



4. To find the password and instructions for the hotspot, tap **Mobile Hotspot**. Use this password to connect your other devices to the hotspot.

## iOS Phones - activating hotspot

To set up a personal hotspot on your iPhone or iPad (Wi-Fi + Cellular), go to Settings >
Personal Hotspot and toggle it on (if you don't see Personal Hotspot in Settings, tap
Cellular > Personal Hotspot). Make note of the Wi-Fi password.



## <u>Laptop – connecting to hotspot</u>

- Go to your laptop and click on the Wifi fan in the taskbar (near the clock) to show available networks.
   Select your phone and enter the hotspot password to connect your laptop.
- 2. To ensure you don't use excessive data always turn off the hotspot when you don't require internet access.

