

Hello & Welcome to Axiom Fiber Optic High-speed Broadband Internet!

Here's a bit of Router Purchase Advice for those considering getting their own.

Assuming you know your way around routers - can install them, configure them, and update them as needed (our installers and technicians are not allowed to touch other people's routers) - and you know how to look inside your router to see if there's something wrong (so we don't have to roll a truck and connect a laptop to your NID only to discover the issue is your equipment - which can get pretty pricey), here's the best advice I can offer with regard to purchasing your own router:

- It needs to support IPv6.
- Lots of people like Netgear and Linksys, but we can't recommend a specific brand or model.
- Check with your local consumer electronics retailer
<https://www.statista.com/forecasts/870360/top-online-stores-consumer-electronics-united-states-ecommerce>
- Check out these articles:
 - CNET Top 5 IPv6-ready wireless routers
<https://www.cnet.com/tech/computing/top-5-ipv6-ready-wireless-routers/>
 - CNET Best Wi-Fi Routers for 2024
<https://www.cnet.com/home/internet/best-wi-fi-router/>
 - NYT Wirecutter The 3 Best Wi-Fi Routers of 2024
<https://www.nytimes.com/wirecutter/reviews/best-wi-fi-router/>

If you do decide to go with our router, it's \$7.50/mo. Our installers will bring it when they come to do your inside installation, install it, configure it, and make sure it's working with your devices.

Axiom takes care of all updates, and, if anything goes wrong with it, our tech support will be able to look at it remotely, and we would swap it out at our cost (we have no visibility into customer owned equipment).

Besides these conveniences, it may be useful to know, this is a business class router of a quality you cannot buy off the shelf.

Hope that helps.

Warmth,

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