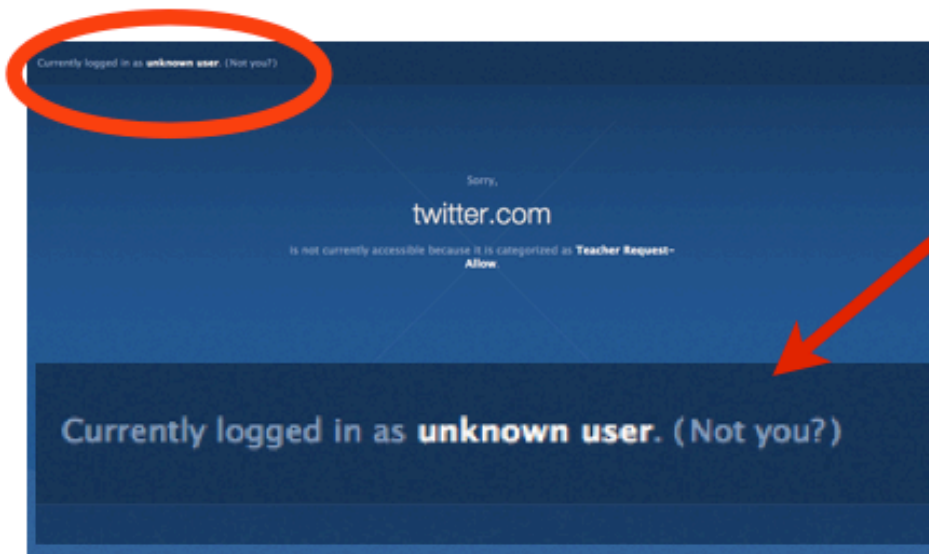


# NATICK'S LIGHTSPEED FILTER

Natick Public Schools use a web filter called "lightspeed." One of the common misconceptions is that when you hit the blue lightspeed page you can not access that sight - this is untrue! Most of the time you just need to "log in" to the filter before accessing that website. See below for how to do this. NPS requires you to log into the filter so they are able to track traffic to certain sites like Twitter.

Q: Who decides what sites are blocked and unblocked?

A: Only faculty members may request for a site to be blocked or unblocked - and that request must go to the building principal. The principal will then approve or deny the request and inform the technology department.



If you hit a site that gives you this blue "Light Speed" page - you can most likely still access it, but you must first click the "Not you?" in the top left hand corner of the screen.

A login screen with a dark blue background. At the top, it says "Please Login ...". Below this are two white input fields: the first is empty, and the second is labeled "Password". At the bottom, there is a white button with the text "Browse the web!".

Once you click the "Not you?" button you are then given a Login screen. Log in with the same name and password you use to access the wireless network. You will have to do this each time you hit the blue "Light Speed" page.