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NEWS RELEASE

Office of Digital Equity and Compudopt to Host FREE Laptop Distribution Event

(Clayton County, GA)–The Clayton County Office of Digital Equity, in partnership with Compudopt Atlanta, plans to distribute 200 FREE laptops at its 3rd Annual Community Block Party on Sat., Oct. 11, 2025, 10 a.m. to 2 p.m. This Clayton connected event will be hosted at the Clayton County Technology Services and Training Center, 9181 Poston Rd., Jonesboro, GA 30238. It is all part of the continuous efforts of the Clayton County Board of Commissioners, the Office of Digital Equity and its partners to help bridge the digital divide.

Chief Operating Officer Detrick Stanford says, “The Clayton County Board of Commissioners is committed to providing digital resources for our residents empowering them to be creative, productive, and learn, thus, unlocking their potential.”

"Closing the digital divide is not a one-time effort," said Digital Equity Administrator Takiyah Thomas. “It is an ongoing commitment. The access to free laptops puts us one step closer to ensuring that every household in Clayton County has the digital tools they need to succeed in education, work, and everyday life.”

Eligibility Requirements:

- MUST be a Clayton County resident
- MUST have a school-aged child in the home (K–12 or college student)
- MUST attend the event in person to receive a laptop
- MUST register by Wednesday, October 8, 2025, by 11:59 p.m.
- MUST NOT currently own a working computer in the home
- MUST NOT have received a free device from a previous Compudopt event

Pre-Registration is required for the laptop distribution event. Clayton County residents must register by accessing: <https://tinyurl.com/Oct11LAPTOP>.

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When asked, ‘*which organization are you with?*’, applicants should select Clayton County Office of Digital Equity to be eligible for this distribution. Eligible residents will be contacted *via text or email to confirm the pickup of a free laptop while supplies last.*

Compudopt is a national 501(c)(3) non-profit organization dedicated to providing families with equal access to education and opportunities. For more information about Compudopt Atlanta, access <https://www.compudopt.org/atlanta-wifi>. For questions or assistance with registration, call Compudopt: 855.532.5060.

For more information about the Clayton County Office of Digital Equity, call 770.347.0249, or email digital.equity@claytoncountyga.gov.

Media representatives should contact the Office of Communications, Communications Administrator Valerie L. Fuller at: 770.473.3834, or submit a media inquiry by accessing: <https://claytoncountyforms.claytoncountyga.gov/news-media-request> .

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