

## Web Browser History

All web browsers (Firefox, Google Chrome, Edge, Internet Explorer, Safari, etc.), keep track of user internet activity.

Storing certain information locally in a “cache” file, your computer combines this information with updated data that is downloaded as needed. This helps web pages load much faster compared with downloading website data for each viewing.

History logs also provide a way to revisit web pages from earlier in the day, yesterday, or months ago. On your personal computer, you have the option to delete an entire history log or individual history entries.

However, BJH students do not have this option when using Google Chrome. Students cannot delete their entire history or any individual entries. History logs typically go back to September. This provides a way for parents, teachers, and administration to follow up on questions of behavior and digital citizenship.

Grade 7 students have access to Google Chrome, Firefox, and Safari, while grade 8 students use Google Chrome exclusively, since it integrates well with the Google Suite of apps that are used extensively here.

[Follow this link](#) and click “Web Browser History” to learn more about Firefox, Chrome, and Safari history.

<http://www.brunswick.k12.me.us/bjh/technology/laptop-information/>

Keep in mind that computer software changes frequently and although these steps may not change drastically, they probably will change without notice...



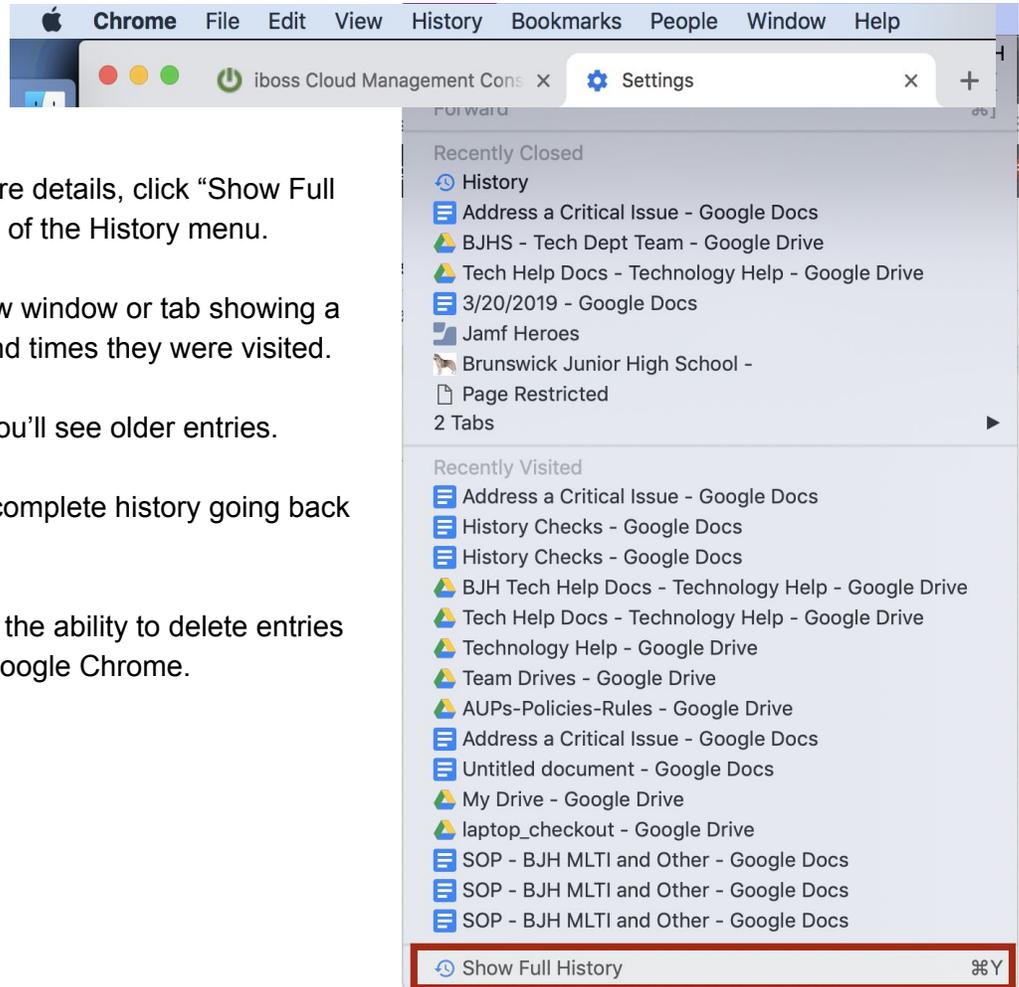
## Google Chrome History Check

Open Google Chrome.

At the top of the screen, click the word “History”.



The History menu displays a list of recently closed tabs and recently visited sites.



If you want to see more details, click “Show Full History” at the bottom of the History menu.

This item opens a new window or tab showing a full list of web sites and times they were visited.

As you scroll down, you’ll see older entries.

Students will have a complete history going back to September.

Students do not have the ability to delete entries from their history in Google Chrome.

## Firefox History Check

Open Firefox.

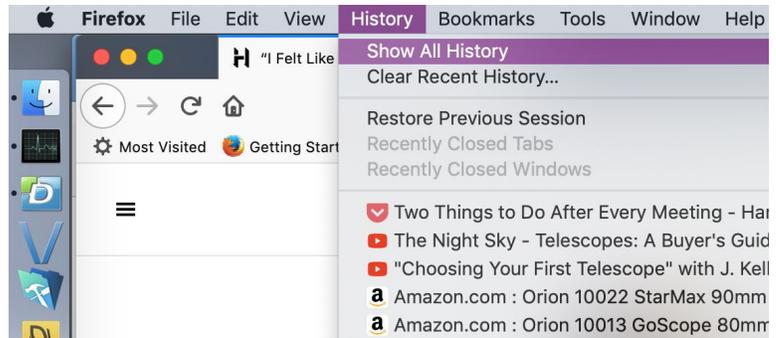
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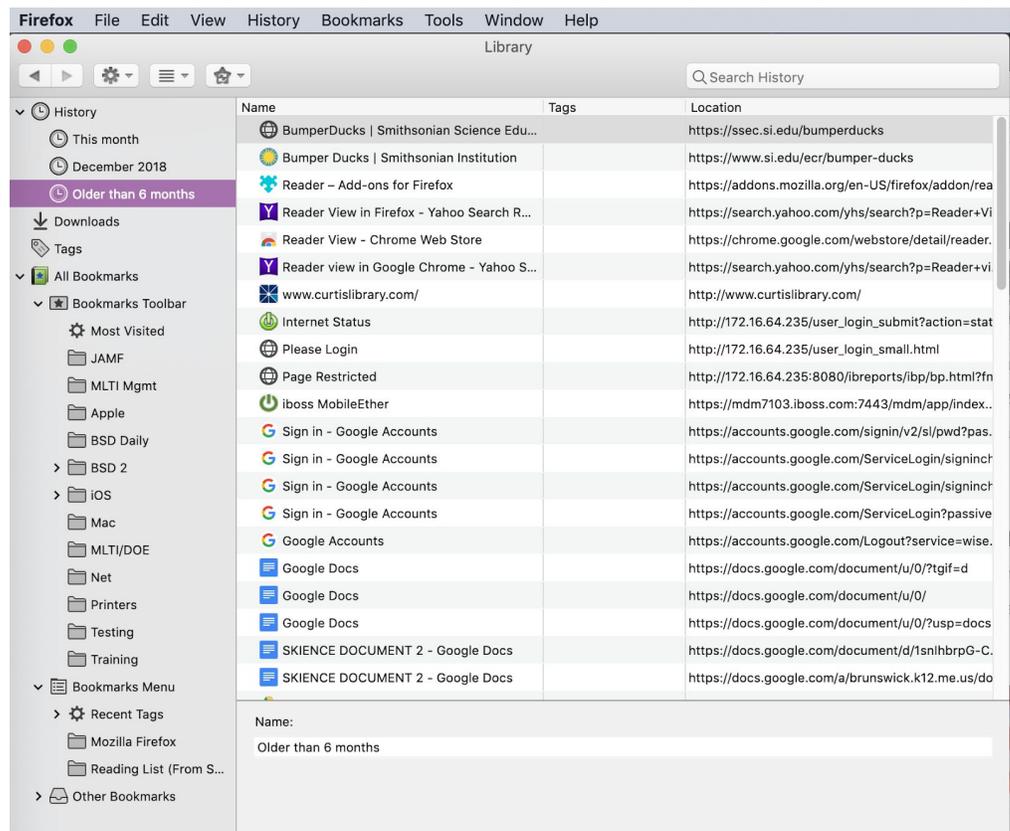
If you want to see more details, click "Show All History" at the top of the History menu.

This item opens a new window named "Library" showing a list of web sites sorted by date.

Scroll down to see older entries.



You can also organize your bookmarks and favorite websites in this window.



## Safari History Check

Open Safari.

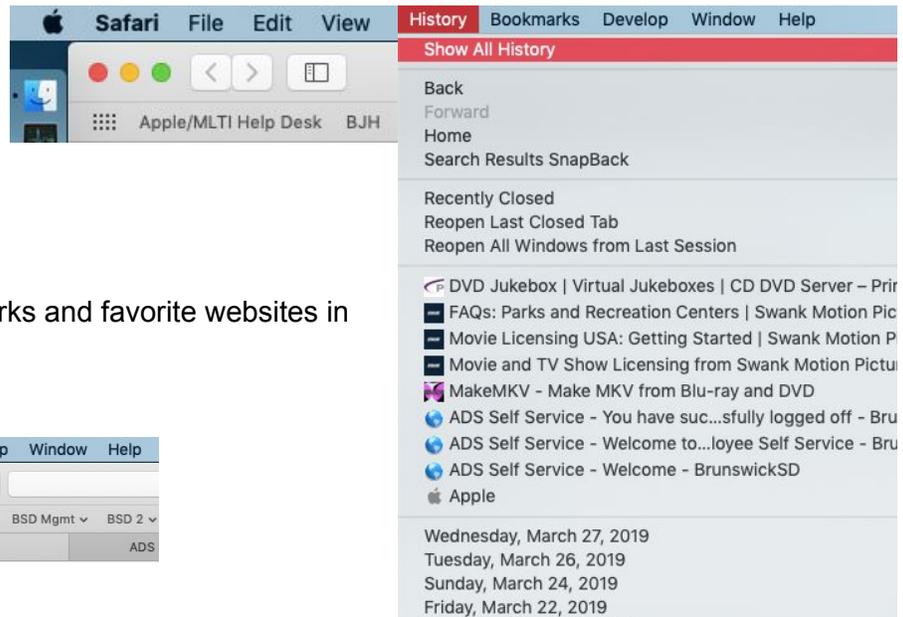
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