

Minimum Macintosh Recommendations

If you prefer an Apple Macintosh computer, you may want to exceed minimum recommended requirements but you will need to purchase Windows 10 and you may want to purchase a program that will allow you to switch between the Apple OS and Windows. You can purchase Macintosh computers directly from Apple and make sure you ask for the educational discount.

CPU: Intel Core i5 2.3GHz (or better)

Memory: 8 gigabytes (GB) (or more)

Hard drive capacity: 1 terabyte (TB) (or more).

Monitor/Video Card: 21.5" LED display, 1920 x 1080 resolution

Mouse: two/three button roller mouse

Input/Output ports:

at least 2 USB ports (with at least one USB 3.0)

HDMI in

HDMI or DisplayPort video output

Headphone/microphone in

Ethernet (network) in

Thunderbolt

Optical drive: DVD or Blu-Ray drive. NOTE: sold separately

Included: Built-in web camera, built-in microphone, speakers, SD card reader

If considering a laptop: Wireless 802.11ac and Bluetooth