



## Computer Recommendations

Appropriate hardware and software are key elements of the learning environment at Salus University. Students will use a computer to download course materials, to complete assignments, exams, and work on other tasks. With this in mind, they will also be expected to have access to and use the hardware and software described below.

Please note that due to the rapid rate of change in information technology, we anticipate that hardware and software competencies will be updated on a regular basis.

### Hardware Recommendations for a PC:

Students are required to have use of a computer system with the following specifications and components:

- Windows 10
- Core i7 processor or faster
- Minimum 8GB RAM (16 GB Preferred)
- Minimum 500GB Solid State Drive
- Integrated webcam and microphone

### Hardware Recommendations for a MAC:

- Mac OS 10.15 or higher
- Intel Core i5 or higher / Equivalent
- Minimum 8GB RAM (16 GB Preferred)
- Minimum 500GB Solid State Drive
- Integrated Webcam and Microphone

### Recommended Warranty Purchase:

- Windows 3 years parts and labor extended warranty
- AppleCare 3 years parts and labor

## Software/Applications

Students are required to have use of the software applications:

- Productivity Software
  - Microsoft Office 365 (Provided at no charge by Salus University) recommended
  - Instructions will be provided
  
- One of the following Internet browsers:
  - Google Chrome
  - Mozilla Firefox
  
- Anti-virus Software
- Adobe® Reader
- Adobe Flash plug-in
- Adobe Shockwave Plugin
- Windows Media Player & Plugin Version
- Wireless Connection

## Accessibility for Operating Systems

Both Microsoft and Apple provide additional accessibility guides, tutorials, and tips for use on your computer. Visit the [Microsoft](#) or [Apple](#) website for information beyond the documents provided here.

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