



MINIMUM COMPUTER SPECIFICATIONS FOR ONLINE COURSES

Minimum Hardware Specs:

OS	Windows XP
Processor	Pentium 3 500 MHz
RAM	256 MB
Hard Drive	40 GB
Audio	Sound card with speakers and microphone (or headset)
Video	1024x768 resolution at 256-bit color
Browser	Firefox 3.6 or greater (highly recommended), Internet Explorer 9.0, Safari, Google Chrome <i>(Verify your browser compatibility at http://kb.blackboard.com/pages/viewpage.action?pageId=72810639)</i>
Internet	High Speed DSL or Cable internet required as the content was designed for this.

Minimum Software Required (Free):

PowerPoint Viewer	http://www.microsoft.com/download/en/details.aspx?id=13
Java	http://java.com/en/download/index.jsp
Flash 9	http://get.adobe.com/flashplayer/
Acrobat Reader	http://get.adobe.com/reader/
Shockwave 10	http://get.adobe.com/shockwave/
Windows Media Player	http://windows.microsoft.com/en-US/windows/downloads/windows-media-player
QuickTime	http://www.apple.com/quicktime/download
VLC Player	http://www.videolan.org/vlc/
Multi-page TIFF image viewer	
E-mail client with working e-mail address	

Minimum Other Software Required:

Word Processing	Microsoft Word, Excel, PowerPoint (or OpenOffice when saved in MS Office extensions) <i>(Note: Students registered for Computer Applications must have MS Office 2010 installed)</i>
Antivirus	Required

Browser Settings:

Pop-ups	Enabled
JavaScript	Enabled
Cookies	Enabled