

NOTICE TO ALL STUDENTS

As the Summer 2022 semester will be conducted online, it is recommended that *students purchase a laptop* with a Windows operating system*. Students who are using a different model of computer (i.e., Mac, Chrome, etc.) will have access to Windows-based applications through a Virtual Desktop.

*Students should check with their instructors first, if they feel that there will be any different program-specific requirements for the technical courses, before making any final decision about which device/system to purchase.

Minimum Laptop Requirements

In order to access the internet and virtually delivered software and courseware, student laptops should include the following at a **minimum**. By meeting the following specifications, students will be equipped to access software and courseware on their laptop through the internet:

- Intel i3 Processor or equivalent
- 4 GB of RAM or more
- 100 GB HDD or more
- HD Graphics
- Webcam with Microphone
- Wireless 802.11n/ac 5ghz capable
- Windows Operating System (Windows 10 or newer)

Internet Speed Requirements

For best performance for students learning remotely, an internet connection with a minimum of 40 Mbps download and 10 Mbps upload speed is recommended in order to effectively use video conferencing and remote lecture delivery software as well as, other online resources remotely. Due to the large area over which students may be dispersed, we are unable to recommend a specific provider, so you will need to inquire around your area to find one that best suits your needs.

Additionally, please reset the region, language, and currency settings by using the steps mentioned below:

- To find the **Region and Language settings**, go to the **Start** icon, select **Control Panel**, then select **Clock**, **Language**, **and Region**, and then select **Region and Language**.
- Select the **Formats** tab, and then, in the **Format** list, select the locale to use for the display of the date, time, currency, and measurements.

Students must understand & sign this document. This will be placed in your student file.

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