

Ruby Installation Instructions

Installation on macOS and Windows Computers

The next batch of videos walks you through installing Ruby on a macOS computer.

The videos after those focus on installing Ruby on a Windows computer.

I've prefixed the lesson names with the operating system (i.e. "macOS" or "Windows") that they are for.

You **do not** have to watch the videos for a specific operating system if you will not be working with it.

If a lesson name does not have an operating system prefix, then it is intended for both operating systems. Don't skip it.

Installation on Linux Computers

I do not have personal experience working with Linux. However, I assume that its users are technically savvy given its prevalence in programming/development. To install Ruby on a Linux distribution, I recommend following the installation instructions on the Ruby website:

<https://www.ruby-lang.org/en/documentation/installation/>

Important Course Notes

- Ruby 3.3 is the latest version of the language as of January 2024.
- For most software, a greater version number indicates a more modern release. For example, Ruby 3 is newer than Ruby 2 and Ruby 3.3 is newer than Ruby 3.2.
- If you see a more modern version of Ruby available (i.e. a greater version number) than what it is shown in the installation videos, feel free to install it.

Good luck!