



Computer Requirements (Updated May 2020)

At the Touro College of Osteopathic Medicine, technology is a big part of what we do. Whether it is managing your flipped classroom videos, taking exams online, using CANVAS our online learning management system, or the TouroOne Portal for all you student service's needs, you will need the right computer to serve you well. While many students like to use an iPad or other tablet for taking notes, **a PC or MAC laptop is required for taking examinations.**

Computer Requirements

PC	MAC
Operating System (OS): 32 and 64-bit Versions of Windows 10 only	Operating System (OS): Mac OS Catalina (10.15)
Alternate versions of Windows 10, such as Windows RT & Windows 10S are NOT supported at this time	Server version of MAC OS X is not supported
Only genuine versions of Windows (OS) are supported	Only genuine versions of MAC OS are supported
The English (United States) Language Pack must be installed	
CPU Processor: 2.0 ghz Intel i5 processor or equivalent	CPU: Intel processor
RAM: 8GB or higher	RAM: 8GB or higher
Hard Drive: highest recommended for the OS or 20GB of space available	Hard Drive: 20GB or more of space available
USB – at least one working port (newer devices may require an adapter)	USB – at least one working port (newer devices may require an adapter)
Screen Resolution: 1024x768 or higher	
Webcam	Webcam
Microphone (no headphones allowed!)	Microphone (no headphones allowed!)
Wi-Fi and internet connection	Wi-Fi and internet connection
Required Software: Exemplify version 2.3.2 or greater	Required Software: Exemplify version 2.3.2 or greater

Exemplify and ExamSoft

- You will be taking your exams using Exemplify and ExamSoft software.
- **ExamSoft does not support Tablet devices other than Surface Pro as detailed**
 - Surface laptops that come with **non-detachable** keyboards are permitted.
 - Non-Pro Surface devices are **not supported**.
 - iPad's are **not supported**.
 - Android tablets are **not supported**.
 - Chromebooks are **not supported**.
- For technical troubleshooting, account passwords, including BitLocker keys, may be required.
- Exemplify cannot be run within virtualized environments or environments that require persistent network (local or otherwise) connections during secure exams. This includes, but is not limited to, VMWare, Parallels, Citrix workspace, Virtual Disks, Streamed images, etc.
- Administrator level account permissions are needed (Instructions)
- For instructions on how to check your computer's specifications, [click here!](#)

IMPORTANT CONSIDERATIONS

- Purchasing a 500GB – 1TB external hard drive is a great way of keeping your curriculum files and videos off your main hard drive.
- YOU WILL NEED A PRIVACY SCREEN FOR TEST DAYS! (Middletown only)– Please make sure it fits your screen size before purchasing any privacy screen for your laptop. Click [HERE](#) for an example.