TECHNOLOGY GUIDELINES FOR INCOMING STUDENTS

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☑ **Apple iPad, distributed during orientation***
- 10th generation, 10.9" Display
- WiFi only
- 256 GB storage
- Silver
- AppleCare insurance (3 years)

[iPad 10th Generation Specifications]

*Applies to new KCU students and returning first-year students whose KCU iPad is more than one academic year old.

☑ **Unlimited Box cloud file storage[1]**

☑ **MS Office 365 A1 for Students[1]**
- KCU Outlook email account
- Microsoft 365 (Office), up to five computers
- 100GB OneDrive cloud file storage[1]

☑ **MS 365 Apps for Students[1]**
- Word, Excel, PowerPoint
- Outlook
- Teams

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(required)

☐ Headphones or earbuds with a microphone

☐ Laptop computer meeting or exceeding the specifications below

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(recommended)

☐ iPad case with keyboard

☐ Stylus or Apple Pencil

	MICROSOFT WINDOWS	APPLE MAC	NOT SUPPORTED	iPAD APPS
Operating System:	Windows 11 Home or Pro	macOS 15 Sequoia or newer	Chrome OS *Chromebook*	[iPadOS 18 or newer]
Networking:	Wireless NIC, 802.11n or newer			[Adobe Acrobat Reader]
Home Internet:	Broadband or fiber, 6 Mbps min. bandwidth, higher preferred		Windows 10S, 11S, 11SE *Surface, Surface Go, Surface Studio, etc.*	[Box]
Applications:	Microsoft 365 (Office)[1]	Microsoft 365 (Office)[1]		[Instructure Canvas Student]
	[Newest Chrome browser]	Newest Safari browser		[ExamSoft Examplify]
	[Newest Firefox browser]	[Newest Chrome browser]		[Microsoft 365 (Office)][1]:
	[Zoom Workplace desktop app]	[Newest Firefox browser]	*Copilot+ PCs*	· Excel
	Microsoft Teams desktop app[1]	[Zoom Workplace desktop app]		· PowerPoint
	[Windows Media Player]	Microsoft Teams desktop app[1]		· Word
	[Adobe Acrobat Reader]	[Adobe Acrobat Reader]	Virtual Operating Systems	· Copilot
	[JavaScript (enabled)]	[JavaScript (enabled)]	*Microsoft Virtual Machine, Parallels, VMware, VMware Fusion, etc.*	[Microsoft Outlook]
	Antivirus and Antimalware[2]	Antivirus and Antimalware[2]		[Microsoft Teams]
				[Wepa Print]
				[Zoom Workplace]
Processor:	Intel Core i7, Mac M1, or newer			
Memory:	16 GB RAM, or higher		Linux Operating System	Audience Response & Attendance:
Video Out:	HDMI, DisplayPort, or USB-C adapter for video connection			· [iClicker Student]
Camera:	720p HD camera, higher preferred		ARM-based processors for Windows computers	
Microphone:	Built-in required, external optional			Mobile Note Taking (Optional):
Screen Resolution:	1280 x 768, higher preferred			· [Branchfire iAnnotate]
USB Port(s):	At least one, more preferred			· [Ginger Labs Notability]
Screen Reader: (Optional)	[JAWS] for Firefox or [NVDA] for Firefox	[VoiceOver] for Safari	Virtual Cameras and Microsoft LifeCam Series Cameras	· [Microsoft OneNote][1]

[1] Free with KCU account activation. Instructions will be provided in your "Getting Started with IT" orientation course in Canvas.

[2] Examples: [Microsoft Defender Antivirus] (pre-installed with Windows 11), [F-Secure Total], [Norton Antivirus Plus]

Guidelines Subject to Change