



Dear ASDN Student,

Congratulations on acceptance to the ASDN program. I'd like to take a few minutes of your time to provide you with some technology requirements and suggestions which will aide you in your studies.

Technology Requirements

- DVD-ROM Drive and 4GB+ RAM recommended.
- Windows PC (Windows 8, 7, Vista, XP)
- Apple Mac with Intel processor
- Your personal computer doesn't need to be a laptop, but you will need to bring one to orientation.
- A short Ethernet cable is also useful for a high speed connection to our network.
- Minimum of 20GB of free hard drive space (can be an external drive if needed).

Technology Suggestions

- Mozilla Firefox is recommended as your Internet browser. Other browsers can be used but may not be fully compatible with our ANGEL online learning system.
- Microsoft Office (Word, Excel, Powerpoint) recommended. This can be obtained from the UC bookstore via www.journeyed.com at educational discount prices. Free alternatives include: OpenOffice, LibreOffice, and Google Docs, but some valuable features of Microsoft Office (i.e. Tables of Contents and Reference Manager) are not available in those programs.
- Webcam and microphone may be useful for online chat and team collaboration

If you have questions relating to the specific requirements of your classes, please contact your instructor(s). Our Computer Help Desk is also available to help answer your questions (contact information below). Welcome to the program.

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