



{ HARDWARE/SOFTWARE AGREEMENT }

To ensure software compatibility and consistency of communications, the University of Advancing Technology has adopted a Microsoft Windows environment as the standard platform for UAT-Online, and Microsoft Office as the standard suite of applications. Please mail this form with the rest of your enrollment materials to:

University of Advancing Technology Attn: (Your Coordinator's name here)
2625 W. Baseline Rd.
Tempe, AZ 85283-1056

HARDWARE AND SOFTWARE STANDARDS

The table below lists the minimum configuration for PCs and the standard application software for UAT-Online. In addition to the specifications listed below, some courses may require software with additional memory and performance requirements for the PC. Students may be required to install tutorial software that is provided with textbooks that are required for each class.

System Element	Minimum	Recommended
Central Processor	Intel Core 2 Duo Family or higher; AMD Athlon x2 or higher	Intel Quad Core or Core i7 family; AMD Phenom x4 or Phenom II x4 family
RAM	4GB minimum (dual channel)	6GB recommended (triple channel)
Disk Drive	DVD-ROM	DVD-ROM or Blu-Ray
Hard Drive Free Space	80GB	300GB
Internet Access Speed	High-speed 1.5mbps minimum (DSL, cable or similar)	High-speed 4mbps minimum (DSL, cable or similar)
Printer	Color	Color
Internet Service Provider	Must have appropriate software, and email account with send/receive capabilities	Must have appropriate software, and email account with send/receive capabilities
Video Card	256 MB DirectX-compatible minimum; 512 or higher recommended	512MB DirectX-compatible minimum; 768MB recommended
Sound Card	Sound-capable system	Sound Blaster Audigy X-Fi or equivalent
Scanner	300 dpi; 600 or above recommended (traditional Art or Math classes)	300 dpi; 600 or above recommended (traditional Art or Math classes)
Operating System	Windows XP, Vista, Linux, Mac OSX Leopard (32bit) or Windows 7	Windows XP
Office Suite	Microsoft Office 2007 or latest version of OpenOffice	Microsoft Office 2007 or latest version of OpenOffice
Browser	Internet Explorer 7 or higher; Firefox 3.0 or higher	Internet Explorer 7 or higher; Firefox 3.0 or higher

Other software may be needed depending on specific class needs (e. g., VB.Net, PhotoShop, Flash or Illustrator). For these needs, students should wait until they are registered for classes, since the software versions may change by the time the student is enrolled.



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STUDENT RESPONSIBILITIES

I have read the hardware and software specifications for UAT-Online and understand that if I choose to use equipment and/or software other than that specified, the University of Advancing Technology is not obligated to provide technical or related support. The University of Advancing Technology reserves the right to change hardware and software requirements as technical standards dictate.

Printed Name: _____ Signature: _____ Date: / /

HARDWARE-SOFTWARE OBLIGATIONS

This agreement applies to all students enrolled in online courses. By signing this document you attest that you understand your responsibilities as a student registered for online learning.

As a student participating in online courses you are required to:

- Have Internet connectivity with a reliable Internet Service Provider (ISP) and have the appropriate browser.
- Perform a Browser Check to insure you have eCollege-compatible browser and components installed by accessing www.uatonline.com and clicking on the "Technical Requirements" button on the left side of the page. Note that WebTV is not supported, and that AOL, Prodigy and Compuserve Internet Service Providers may cause some technical difficulties. Minimum system requirements as outlined in this document are in addition to the system requirements confirmed by the Browser Check.
- Meet the minimum requirements associated with any course-required software (which in most cases is greater than the minimum system requirements suggested by eCollege).
- Have Microsoft Office or OpenOffice installed on your computer.
- Purchase or have access to all software included in the individual course syllabus and possess a system capable of operating these software packages. Associate or Bachelor of Art degrees require a current version of Adobe Photoshop and Adobe Illustrator.
- Use UAT email service for receipt of all correspondence from faculty and staff.
- Check in with your instructor on the first day of the each class. This will notify your instructor that you are attending class. This attendance check must be accomplished through email. If you are having trouble accessing the course site or your web-based email, contact studentadvisement@uat.edu immediately. Failure to check in to class may cause you to be dropped from that class section.
- Check email and course announcements daily for important class information.
- Attend class regularly. Your instructor will have posted activities, assignments and quizzes that have predetermined due dates. This is not an open entry/open exit or correspondence course. You should always check "Course Home" for any announcements each time you enter your class.

Printed Name: _____ Signature: _____ Date: / /