



## Device Requirements 2018

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### Device Criteria:

1. Acceptable devices include a Laptop or Tablet
2. Any version of Windows 10 is preferred, or Windows 8 for older devices
3. 6+ Hours of Battery Life – (a 'power boost' may be used to add additional battery life)
4. Keyboard: required, but may be removable.
5. Minimum Memory (RAM): 4 GB RAM  
(Note: memory requirements may be impacted by student's habits and application usage. If your student is in a Computer Graphics, or Photojournalism additional memory is strongly recommended)
6. Storage: 128 GB+ Hard Drive
7. USB Port
8. Wi-Fi equipped (802.11n minimum)

### Device Examples:

These devices have not been evaluated by Mount de Sales. This is not an endorsement of any particular device, just examples to simplify the purchasing process for you. Some of these devices include multiple models, some of which may not meet our specifications. Please review specifications carefully before ordering. Many of these devices are also available at retail outlets (Amazon, Walmart, Best Buy, etc.) at better pricing than available from the manufacturer.

#### Tablet form factor (Removable keyboard, Smaller Screen)

Surface 3 - \$449

<http://www.amazon.com>

Surface 4 ~\$799

[http://www.microsoftstore.com/store/msusa/en\\_US/edu](http://www.microsoftstore.com/store/msusa/en_US/edu)

Lenovo Thinkpad 10e ~\$495+

<http://shop.lenovo.com/>

HP Pro Tablet ~\$549+

<http://store.hp.com>

Dell Inspiron \$349+

<https://www.dell.com>

Laptop form factor (Fixed Keyboard, Larger screen)

Acer Aspire~\$399

<http://us.acer.com/>

Lenovo Thinkpad 11e ~\$495

<http://shop.lenovo.com/>

HP Pavilion ~\$349

<http://store.hp.com>

## Questions:

For questions specific to your family or about a device please contact the Mount de Sales Helpdesk at [helpdesk@mountdesales.org](mailto:helpdesk@mountdesales.org)