

# Excelsior School

## Learning Management System

### Technical Requirements

Below is a list of browser, plug-in, system and software requirements. Be sure that you have updated your computer with the appropriate software before you begin your program.

#### BROWSER

- Download [Firefox](#) or [Chrome](#)
- Enable JavaScript [Directions](#)
- Accept 3rd-Party Cookies [Directions](#)
- Disable Pop-Up Blockers [Directions](#) (*toolbar blockers too*)

#### PLUG-INS

- Adobe Acrobat Reader ([Update](#))
- Flash Player ([Update](#))
- Java 2 Runtime Environment ([Update](#))

#### SYSTEM

- Resolution: 1024 x 768 (minimum) 1280 x 1024 (optimum)
- Internet Connection: High Speed (Broadband) (1.5 MB or higher)
- Operating Systems:
  - Windows 7 or later
  - MAC OSX Version 10.5.4 or later
- Audio: Speakers and Microphone

#### SOFTWARE

- Word Processing, Spreadsheet, and Presentation Software
  - Microsoft Office (2007 or higher optimum, older versions can download the compatibility pack) ([Download](#))
  - Free Options (may be used in place of Microsoft Office)
    - Open Office ([Download](#))
    - Google Docs ([Download](#))
- Audacity (create recorded audio files) ([Download](#)) or similar recording software

Course specific technical requirements, equipment, or materials are shared in the course syllabus.

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