

Minimum Hardware and Software Requirements

This document outlines the minimum hardware and software requirements needed to complete our online computer science and digital literacy courses.

Course Material

Course material (lessons, videos, quizzes) can be received on any recent HTML5-compliant web browser. The recommended minimum versions and other device requirements are:

- Internet Explorer 11+, Edge 38+, Firefox 44.0+, Safari 9+, Google Chrome 48+
- A high-speed Internet connection
- Windows OS, Mac OS, iOS or Android tablets and smart-phones

Hands-on Programming Projects

Some courses rely on locally installed or online development environments or application services in order to complete hands-on assignments, as described below.

Course	Local Software Installation	Supported Devices*
Digital Savvy	None required (optional use of Microsoft	Windows, Mac,
	Office or OpenOffice supported)	Chromebook, tablets
Python Programming	None required (optional use of a local or	Windows, Mac,
	online IDE is supported)	Chromebook, tablets
Java Programming	None required (optional use of a local or	Windows, Mac,
(2021 Edition and later)	online IDE is supported)	Chromebook, tablets
Java Programming	JDK and Eclipse (current versions)	Windows, Mac OS
(2020 Edition and prior)		
Windows Programming	Microsoft Visual Studio Community 2019	Windows
with C#		
Web Design	Komodo Edit (current version)	Windows, Mac OS
Unity Game	Unity IDE 2019.1.9f (or current version)	Windows, Mac OS
Programming		

^{*} OS Versions: Windows 10, Mac OS version 10.13+ (on Intel CPUs)