



Robert Gordon University Distance Learning

Recommended Computer Specification

To enable students to gain the most of these materials outside RGU the following is recommended.

Operating System: Windows 7/10, Mac OS X (or above)

Office Applications: Microsoft Office 2010 (PC) or 2011 (Mac)/iWork '09/Open Office 3/Google Docs (or above)

Plug-ins/Players: Adobe Flash Player, Java, VLC Player, Adobe Reader, Citrix Receiver

Web Browser: The latest Internet Explorer /FireFox /Safari/Chrome.

Virus Checker: AVG provide a free virus checker for PCs and Linux while ClamXav is available for Mac OS.

Hardware: Speakers/headphones, web cam and microphone for use with our virtual classroom/Skype.

Internet Speed: A reasonable broadband internet connection is recommended for some of the larger downloads, such as audio and video. Wherever possible, alternative versions are provided without sound/video for students with slow internet access.

General: It is important to keep all your software up-to-date by periodically checking for Updates to ensure your software remains fully functional and secure.