



Information Technology @ Saint Mary's College

Important licensing information about the Saint Mary's
College Microsoft Campus Agreement for Students

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Software Specifications

Windows Vista Ultimate Edition

- At least 1GHz processor
- At least 1GB RAM
- At least 40GB hard drive
- At least 15GB free space on hard drive
- At least 128MB graphics card
- Ability to read DVDs
- A previous version of Windows installed on the computer

Office 2007 for Windows

- At least 500MHz processor
- At least 1GB RAM
- At least 2GB free space on hard drive
- Ability to read CDs or DVDs
- Windows XP with SP2 or Windows Vista installed on the computer

Office 2008 for Mac OS X

- At least 500MHz G4, G5, or Intel processor
- At least 1GB RAM
- At least 1.5GB free space on hard drive
- Ability to read DVDs
- Mac OS X version 10.4.9 or later

Windows Vista Upgrade Advisor

<http://www.microsoft.com/windows/products/windowsvista/buyorupgrade/upgradeadvisor.mspx>

All Saint Mary's Students classified as full-time or part-time are eligible for the Microsoft Campus Agreement for Student Users. Students who are enrolled at another institution as their primary location for studies (University of Notre Dame, Holy Cross College, Indiana University, Bethel College) are not eligible for this program.

Saint Mary's Students are permitted **one** copy of each version of software available through the Microsoft Campus Agreement to install on their personal computer. Students may not purchase additional copies of media, even if the original media was lost or damaged. (Media that was discovered to be damaged at the time of purchase may be returned for a replacement.) If a student lost her media, she would be responsible for purchasing a new copy of the software at retail price (\$259 for Windows Vista Ultimate Edition Upgrade, \$499 for Office Professional 2007 for Windows, \$399 for Office 2008 Standard for Mac) through the Campus iStore or elsewhere.

Saint Mary's Students may purchase upgrades to the software they have already purchased. For example, if a student purchased a copy of Microsoft Office and a new version of Microsoft Office was released and made available through the Microsoft Campus Agreement, the student would be eligible to purchase the new version.

Saint Mary's Students are responsible for checking their computer to make sure it is compatible with the software they purchase through the Microsoft Campus Agreement. The software requirements are listed to the left. Microsoft offers a Windows Vista Upgrade Advisor (also listed in the left column) students can download and run on their computers to make sure they are capable of running Windows Vista Ultimate Edition, the Windows operating system that is offered through the Microsoft Campus Agreement. (ResNet recommends purchasing a computer that has Windows Vista Ultimate Edition or Business Edition already installed on it to ensure compatibility.)

Students wishing to receive assistance with installing software they purchase through the Microsoft Campus Agreement can contact the ResNet Office. The ResNet Office can assist with Microsoft Office installations. Students are responsible for backing up their own data and upgrading their own operating systems. The ResNet Office can guide students through the process of upgrading their computer, and can guide students through backing up data, but cannot complete the upgrade or backup process for students.