



## Student Technology Buying Guide

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### Computer Recommendations:

- Waynesburg University strongly recommends all incoming students purchase a PC or Mac using the guidelines in the table on the following page.
- The estimated price range for a computer is between \$1500 - \$2000.
- The choice between PC and Mac is a personal preference. In most cases either platform will work well for students.
- Some departments or degree programs may have specific computer/software requirements. Students may contact their departments or program(s) for more information.


### You may find it useful to have the following items available:

- External hard drive to back up your files and/or Cloud storage
- Internal or external CD/DVD drive
- USB flash drive
- Copies of your operating system restore disks to use in the event of a system crash

### Printing:

- Students may print from any computer lab.
- Wireless personal printers are not supported on campus. If you bring a personal printer to campus make sure you have the ability to connect it via USB.

### Campus Network Connectivity:

- Secure wireless internet connectivity is available in all residence halls and academic buildings.
- Devices connecting to the WU-Student secure wireless network must support WPA2-Enterprise Security.
- ! IoT unsecured wireless network is also provided in  residence halls for devices that do not support WPA2-Enterprise Security. This typically includes devices such as gaming systems and smart TVs.
- Students are not permitted to connect or use personal wireless routers in the residence halls.

### Additional Information:

- Current students are eligible for Office 365 Education for free including Word, Excel, PowerPoint and more. For installation instructions, see the App launcher in your student email account.
- The WU ITS Help Desk is available to assist students with campus technology issues. Please see contact information below.
- Students can access additional information on the ITS tab on myConnect.

### WU ITS CONTACT INFO:

Help Desk Phone:

**(724) 852-3413**

Help Desk Email:

**helpdesk@waynesburg.edu**

Walkup Location:

**1<sup>st</sup> Floor Wiley Armory**

**61 N Washington St**



