

SFCA Secondary Computer Recommendations

For the 2023-2024 school year, the SFCA Technology Department has created the following general guidelines of computer specifications and recommendations to assist families in selecting a personal laptop computer for use with integrating technology in grades 6-12. The computers listed below are not mandated, but are a list of current, highly rated computers for student use. Each secondary student is required to bring a personal laptop computer fully charged to school each day. The Microsoft Office Suite is made available for a no-cost download to every student enrolled at SFCA.

Recommended Specifications:

- Operating System (OS): Windows 10 or 11 or Mac OS Monterey
- Processor: Intel Core i7, or i9, or Apple M1 or M2
- Memory: 8GB Minimum, Recommend 16GB RAM or higher
- Hard Drive: 512 GB SSD or larger
- Additional warranty and/or insurance for the device is recommended

Specific Computers with high ratings:

- Microsoft Surface Pro 8 or Go 2
- Dell XPS 13 or 15 or Inspiron 15
- Lenovo ThinkPad
- Apple MacBook (Air or Pro)
- Acer Chromebook Spin

Additional information:



All computers must have Google Chrome Internet browser downloaded on them before being brought to school.

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