This article overviews some basic computer accessories suggestions for students, faculty, and staff in remote work and learning environments. **All prices are from the time of writing and are thus subject to change.**

**Audio-visual equipment**

Upgrade your audio or video! Gone are the days of microphone static, faulty earbuds, or having to use your phone as a makeshift webcam.

**Webcams**
- Basic resolution (720p): Logitech C270 ($30-40) or C310 ($30-50)
- Basic resolution (720p): Microsoft LifeCam HD-3000 ($30)
- Full HD resolution (1080p): Logitech C920s ($60-70) or C922 ($110)

**Microphones**
- FiFine K669 ($30) or FiFine K669b ($33)
- Blue Snowball ($70)
- Blue Yeti ($90-130)

**Headsets with microphones**

*Active Noise Cancellation (ANC)* filters outside noise by generating a “silent” sound wave, which can result in a slight feeling of pressure in-ear.

- Logitech H390 ($22-40)
- Logitech H800 ($70-100)
- ANC: Logitech Zone Wireless ($230)
- ANC: Jabra Evolve 75 ($323) or Sennheiser SDW 5066

**Speakers**
- Basic audio: Logitech Z150 ($30) or Logitech S150 ($18)
- Better sound: Logitech Z207 ($60)
Keyboards, mice, and styluses

No more finagling with your old laptop trackpad or faulty keys. Type and click farther away from your computer without the hassle of cords!

Wireless mouse/keyboard combos

- Mouse combo: Logitech MK540 ($50-60)
- Built-in track-pad combo: Logitech K400 ($28-40)

Wireless mice

* Functional buttons are primarily forward/back thumb buttons.

- Comfort, multi-device, and buttons:* Logitech M720 ($40-50)
- Multi-device and buttons:* Logitech M585 ($35-40) or SILENT CLICK Logitech M590 ($35-40)
- Budget and mini: SILENT CLICK Logitech M330 ($20-30)
- Budget and full-size: Logitech M310 ($25-30)

Wireless keyboards

- Recommended portable: Logitech K380 ($40)
- Budget portable: Anker Bluetooth Ultra-Slim ($20)
- Recommended full-size: Logitech K780 ($65-80)
- Budget full-size: Logitech K360 ($25-30)

Styluses

- Budget/mobile: Adonit Mark ($10)
- Basic: Adonit Mini 4 ($20) or Adonit Pro 4 ($30)
- Tablet: Adonit Ink ($40, Windows) or Adonit Note ($40, iOS)

Tablets

Wacom

What is this and how can it be used?

- Without display: One by Wacom Small (6”x3”) ($50)
- With display: Wacom One (13” diagonally) ($400)
How can this be used for remote learning/teaching/work?

Visit Apple’s website to compare models.

- 64GB¹ 10.2″ iPad 9th gen ($329) + Apple Pencil 1 ($99)
- 64GB 10.9″ iPad Air 5th gen ($599) + Apple Pencil 2 ($129)
- 128GB 11″ iPad Pro 3rd gen ($799) + Apple Pencil 2 ($129)
- 256GB 12.9″ iPad Pro 5th gen ($1099) + Apple Pencil 2 ($129)

¹ 32GB is just enough if you store documents in the cloud. Otherwise, consider upgrading to the 128GB model.

Adapters

USB-C to...

- USB-A Socket ($8)
- Ethernet ($50)
- HDMI Plug ($30)
- VGA Socket ($40)
- 2x HDMI Socket ($75)
- USB-A, Ethernet, HDMI, and VGA ($75)

Audio-visual

- HDMI Plug to VGA Socket ($20)
- HDMI Plug to VGA Plug ($45)

Additional accessories

Monitor

- 22” Display, height-adjustable stand: Dell 22 Monitor - SE2222H ($140)
- 22” Display, multi-adjustable stand, USB passthrough, HDMI connectivity: Dell 22 Monitor: P2222H ($240)
- 24” Display, height-adjustable stand: Dell 24 Monitor: SE2422H ($165)
- 24” Display, multi-adjustable stand, USB passthrough, HDMI connectivity: Dell 24 Monitor: P2422H ($260, standard on-campus upgrade)

Scanner app

- iOS: Adobe Scan (free)
- Android: Adobe Scan (free)

Home printer ($50–$150)

- HP Envy
Document Camera

What is this and how can it be used?

- USB-only: IPEVO V4K ($100)
- USB, HDMI: IPEVO VZ-R ($240)

Questions?

If you have any additional questions or problems, don't hesitate to reach out to the Help Desk!

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