

Standard computers and accessories

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This article reviews LITS's **standard computer models** and **monitors** for device replacements and purchases.

This information is updated annually in the spring.

See also:

- [LITS Computer Replacements](#) for **funding** and replacement **policy** information
- [Students: Laptop Purchasing Guide](#)

Overview

LITS's standard computers are listed below, chosen to **perform well** for the average College community member and for their **streamlined procurement** process.

Please [contact the Help Desk](#) if you require either of the following.

- **pricing** or a **formal quote**
- a **custom computer**

Windows laptop

Dell Pro 14



Note: For [annual primary computer replacements](#), this device is **fully funded** by LITS.

Hardware specifications:

- **Display:** 14" FHD+ (1920x1200) Non-Touch, IPS, 300 nits
- **CPU:** Intel Core™ Ultra 5 235U (12 cores, 14 threads, up to 4.90 GHz, 12 MB cache)
- **RAM:** 16GB
- **Storage:** 256GB SSD

Additional info:

- **Included accessories:** [Dell P2422HE hub monitor](#)
- **Operating system:** Windows 11
- **Charging port:** USB-C
- **Port connectivity:** 2 USB-A, 2 USB-C, 1 Ethernet, 1 HDMI, 1 Audio jack
- **Warranty:** 4 year with accidental damage protection
- **Weight:** Approximately 3lbs

Apple laptop

13" MacBook Air (Silver)



Note: For [annual primary computer replacements](#) in **FY26**, this device is **fully funded** by LITS.

Hardware specifications:

- **Display:** 13.6" Liquid Retina (2560x1664) display with True Tone
- **CPU:** Apple M5 chip (10-core CPU, 8-core GPU, 16-core Neural Engine)

- **RAM:** 16GB
- **Storage:** 512 GB SSD

Additional info:

- **Operating system:** macOS 26 (Tahoe)
- **Charging port:** MagSafe 3 and USB-C
- **Port connectivity:** 2 Thunderbolt 4 (USB-C), 3.5mm audio jack
- **Warranty:** 4 year AppleCare+ Protection Plan
- **Weight:** Approximately 3lbs

Displays

LITS's standard hub displays are listed below, with **key differences bolded**. If none of the following displays work for you, please [contact the Help Desk](#) to request a consultation!

Warning: Using external displays with a MacBook

(Left: Dell P2425HE; Right: Dell P2725QE)



	Dell P2425HE	Dell P2725QE	Dell U2725QE
Price (subject to change)	\$219	\$359	\$505
Size	24"	27"	27"
Resolution	1920 x 1080 (93ppi)	3840 x 2160 (163ppi)	3840 x 2160 (163ppi)
USB-C power output	90W	90W	140W
Brightness	250 nits	350 nits	450 nits
Contrast ratio	1500:1	1500:1	3000:1
Color gamut	99% sRGB	99% sRGB	100% BT.709, 100% sRGB, 99% DCI-P3

Dell P2425HE
included with the [standard
Windows laptop](#)

Dell P2725QE

Dell U2725QE
uses [Thunderbolt 4](#) ☐

Custom devices

Whether it's a **desktop** or **upgraded laptop**, please [contact the Help Desk](#) to request a consultation. Please be aware that additional funding may be required, and some models may not be available.

- All **non-standard** computer configurations will have a **longer turnaround** time for delivery.
- **Extended warranties are required** on all College computer purchases.
- Not all computing devices can be **supported** or are [compatible with the College's infrastructure](#) ☐.

Customizations can include:

- Additional **storage** space
- Additional system **RAM**
- A discrete **GPU**
- ...and more!

Questions?

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

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