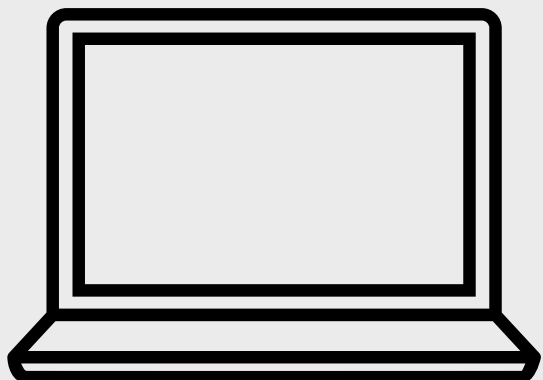


LAPTOP REQUIREMENTS



- A working web camera is REQUIRED for in-person and remote assessments
- Laptop computer (PC or Mac) with at least a 13-inch screen
- Minimum of 8GB RAM
- TPM chip – This is for PC users only. You can find out if your computer has a TPM Chip by searching your computer using your RUN feature for “tpm.msc”.
- PC users must run Windows 11 (Education, Pro, or Enterprise). Mac users must have Mac OS Sonoma (14) or higher
- Microsoft Office (Can be downloaded from Office.com using your UTH email address)
- An up-to-date virus scanner
- 3M monitor privacy filter



NOT AUTHORIZED

Microsoft Surface tablets or **Chromebooks** are not sufficient to meet the laptop requirements. **Virtual machines** are not sufficient and are restricted by ExamSoft, the school’s exam service.



ENCRYPTION

- The hard drive in your laptop must be encrypted before you attend at the School.
- Mac users must turn on FileVault 2.
- PC users must encrypt their laptop with BitLocker. Students who are attending UTSD will be sent instructions for encrypting their computer with BitLocker.
- All students will be required to sign a statement declaring they will keep their computer hard drives encrypted for as long as they are students of the UT School of Dentistry.
- Your laptop will be reviewed during Orientation to ensure that it complies with these specifications.