



## Operating Systems

- PC: Windows Vista, 7, 8, or higher
- Mac OS X 10.6 or higher
- Other Operating Systems may work but are not currently supported

**NOTE: Chromebook (Chrome operating system) is not a supported operating system for Blackboard. If you use a Chromebook, be sure to have access to a PC or Mac computer to fully participate in your class activities.**



## Internet/ Web browser

- A high-speed internet connection (cable, DSL or similar)
- Up-to-date version of Firefox, Chrome for Windows or Mac (Free downloads below)

**NOTE: Safari, Internet Explorer or Microsoft Edge browsers may not optimize the Blackboard features and are not recommended for COCC online classes.**



## Other software and hardware

- Microsoft Office Suite (COCC students have an access to a full version of Microsoft Office Suite through their Office 365 account for free. Click below to view the Installation Instructions.)
- Up-to-date Java, Adobe Reader and Adobe Flash Player (Free downloads below)
- Speakers, webcam, and/or microphone may be required for some courses
- Some classes may have specific requirements for additional software. These requirements should be listed in the course syllabus.



## Mobile Devices

Mobile devices such as iPhones, iPads, Android, and tablets can be used to access Blackboard and participate in some areas of your course. However mobile access is intended to only be supplemental to using a desktop or laptop computer. You may not be able to fully participate or complete your course using just a mobile device. More information is available by downloading the Bb student app. Find support online on Blackboard's student website.