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**Will the Software Work?**

Compare the computers and their system specs with the software titles and their listed system requirements.

Tell which software titles will play on a specific computer by stating **“yes” for it will work** or **“no” it will not work**.

Make sure the computer meets or exceeds **ALL** of the minimum requirements.

If the computer does not meet or exceed even one requirement of the software, you must answer no.

Put an X through the software requirements that are not met by the PC.

One X is enough to mark the software as “No” it will not work.



**Computer A:** 2001 Dell Optiplex 520 (Student Computers found around building)

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| **Name** | **RAM** | **CD/DVD** | **Processor** | **Processor Speed** | **Operating System** |
| Dell Optiplex 520 | 512 MB Ram | CD Drive | Pentium 4 | 1.6 GHz(1600 MHz) | Windows 2000 |

Will this software work on Computer A? Write Yes or No in the correct box.

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| **Name** | **Operating System** | **Processor** | **Processor Speed** | **RAM** | **CD/DVD** | **Does it Work?** |
| Quicken 2012 | Windows XP, Vista, 7 | Pentium 3 or newer | 1 GHz(1000 MHz) | 1 GB (1000 MB) | CD |  |
| Elder Scrolls V: Skyrim | Windows 7, Vista, XP | Quad Core or better | 2.0 GHz(2000 MHz) | 4 GB | DVD or Internet |  |
| Battlefield 3 | Windows XP, Vista, 7 | Core 2 Duo or better | 2.0 GHz(2000 MHz) | 2 GB | DVD |  |
| Final Cut 4 | Mac OS X | PowerPC, G4, G5, Core Duo or newer | 1.25 GHz(1250 MHz) | 1 GB Ram (1000 MB) | DVD |  |
| JumpStart Artist | Windows 2000, XP | Pentium 2 or newer | 266 MHz | 64 MB RAM | CD |  |
| Office 2010 | Windows XP, Server 2003, Server 2008 Vista, 7 | Pentium 1 or newer | 500 MHz | 512 MB RAM | CD |  |
| Adobe Creative Suite 5 | Windows XP, Vista, 7 | Quad Core or newer | 2 GHz(2000 MHz) | 4 GB(4000 MB) | DVD |  |
| World of Warcraft – Cataclysm | Windows XP, Vista, 7, Mac OS X | Intel Pentium 4 or better | 1.3 GHz 1300 MHz) | 1 GB(1000 MB) | DVD |  |
| iLife | Mac OS X | Core Duo or better | 1 GHz(1000 MHz) | 1 GB(1000 MB0 | DVD |  |

**Computer B:** Dell Optiplex 745 (the computer in front of you)

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| **Name** | **RAM** | **CD/DVD** | **Processor** | **Processor Speed** | **Operating System** |
| Dell Optiplex 745 | 2 GB RAM(2000 MB) | DVD Drive | Core Duo | 1.8 GHz(1800 MHz) | Windows XP |

Will this software work on Computer B? Write Yes or No in the correct box.

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| **Name** | **Operating System** | **Processor** | **Processor Speed** | **RAM** | **CD/DVD** | **Does it Work?** |
| Quicken 2012 | Windows XP, Vista, 7 | Pentium 3 or newer | 1 GHz(1000 MHz) | 1 GB (1000 MB) | CD |  |
| Elder Scrolls V: Skyrim | Windows 7, Vista, XP | Quad Core or better | 2.0 GHz(2000 MHz) | 4 GB | DVD or Internet |  |
| Battlefield 3 | Windows XP, Vista, 7 | Core 2 Duo or better | 2.0 GHz(2000 MHz) | 2 GB | DVD |  |
| Final Cut 4 | Mac OS X | PowerPC, G4, G5, Core Duo or newer | 1.25 GHz(1250 MHz) | 1 GB Ram (1000 MB) | DVD |  |
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| Office 2010 | Windows XP, Server 2003, Server 2008 Vista, 7 | Pentium 1 or newer | 500 MHz | 512 MB RAM | CD |  |
| Adobe Creative Suite 5 | Windows XP, Vista, 7 | Quad Core or newer | 2 GHz(2000 MHz) | 4 GB(4000 MB) | DVD |  |
| World of Warcraft – Cataclysm | Windows XP, Vista, 7, Mac OS X | Intel Pentium 4 or better | 1.3 GHz 1300 MHz) | 1 GB(1000 MB) | DVD |  |
| iLife | Mac OS X | Core Duo or better | 1 GHz(1000 MHz) | 1 GB(1000 MB0 | DVD |  |

**Computer C:** Mr. Myers’s Acer Aspire 5742 Laptop

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| **Name** | **RAM** | **CD/DVD** | **Processor** | **Processor Speed** | **Operating System** |
| Acer Aspire 5742 | 4 GB RAM(4000 MB RAM) | DVD Drive | i3 Dual Core64-bit OS | 2.40 GHz(3200 MHz) | Windows 7Home Premium |

Will this software work on Computer C? Write Yes or No in the correct box.

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| **Name** | **Operating System** | **Processor** | **Processor Speed** | **RAM** | **CD/DVD** | **Does it Work?** |
| Quicken 2012 | Windows XP, Vista, 7 | Pentium 3 or newer | 1 GHz(1000 MHz) | 1 GB (1000 MB) | CD |  |
| Elder Scrolls V: Skyrim | Windows 7, Vista, XP | Quad Core or better | 2.0 GHz(2000 MHz) | 4 GB | DVD or Internet |  |
| Battlefield 3 | Windows XP, Vista, 7 | Core 2 Duo or better | 2.0 GHz(2000 MHz) | 2 GB | DVD |  |
| Final Cut 4 | Mac OS X | PowerPC, G4, G5, Core Duo or newer | 1.25 GHz(1250 MHz) | 1 GB Ram (1000 MB) | DVD |  |
| JumpStart Artist | Windows 2000, XP | Pentium 2 or newer | 266 MHz | 64 MB RAM | CD |  |
| Office 2010 | Windows XP, Server 2003, Server 2008 Vista, 7 | Pentium 1 or newer | 500 MHz | 512 MB RAM | CD |  |
| Adobe Creative Suite 5 | Windows XP, Vista, 7 | Quad Core or newer | 2 GHz(2000 MHz) | 4 GB(4000 MB) | DVD |  |
| World of Warcraft – Cataclysm | Windows XP, Vista, 7, Mac OS X | Intel Pentium 4 or better | 1.3 GHz 1300 MHz) | 1 GB(1000 MB) | DVD |  |
| iLife | Mac OS X | Core Duo or better | 1 GHz(1000 MHz) | 1 GB(1000 MB0 | DVD |  |

**Computer D:**  15” MacBook Pro (a random apple computer)

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| **Name** | **RAM** | **CD/DVD** | **Processor** | **Processor Speed** | **Operating System** |
| 15” MacBook Pro | 4 GB RAM(4000 MB) | DVD Drive | Core i7 | 2.2 GHz(2200 MHz) | Mac OS X |

Will this software work on Computer A? Write Yes or No in the correct box.

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| **Name** | **Operating System** | **Processor** | **Processor Speed** | **RAM** | **CD/DVD** | **Does it Work?** |
| Quicken 2012 | Windows XP, Vista, 7 | Pentium 3 or newer | 1 GHz(1000 MHz) | 1 GB (1000 MB) | CD |  |
| Elder Scrolls V: Skyrim | Windows 7, Vista, XP | Quad Core or better | 2.0 GHz(2000 MHz) | 4 GB | DVD or Internet |  |
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| Adobe Creative Suite 5 | Windows XP, Vista, 7 | Quad Core or newer | 2 GHz(2000 MHz) | 4 GB(4000 MB) | DVD |  |
| World of Warcraft – Cataclysm | Windows XP, Vista, 7, Mac OS X | Intel Pentium 4 or better | 1.3 GHz 1300 MHz) | 1 GB(1000 MB) | DVD |  |
| iLife | Mac OS X | Core Duo or better | 1 GHz(1000 MHz) | 1 GB(1000 MB0 | DVD |  |

The Breakdown of Oldest (top) to Newest (bottom)

Use this chart to see what newer means when this is mentioned for software’s minimum requirements.

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| **Windows OS** | **Macintosh OS** | **Intel Processors** | **Mac Processors** |
| DOS | Mac OS 1 |  | Motorola 68040 |
| Windows 1 | Mac OS 2 | 80486SL | PowerPC 601 |
| Windows 2 | Mac OS 3 | Pentium 1 | PowerPC 603 |
| Windows 3 | Mac OS 4 | Pentium 2 | PowerPC 604 |
| Windows 95 | Mac OS 5 | Pentium 3 | PowerPC G3 |
| Windows 98 | Mac OS 6 | Pentium 4 | PowerPC G4 |
| Windows 2000 | Mac OS 7 | Core Duo | PowerPC G5 |
| Windows XP | Mac OS 8 | Core 2 Duo |
| Windows Vista | Mac OS 9 | Quad Core |
| Windows 7 | Mac OS X (10) | i7, i5, i3 |