

Supported Platforms

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This document outlines the platforms supported for general use of Infinite Campus software. Campus currently supports the Windows and Macintosh environments.

Minimum & Recommended Platform Requirements

PC: Campus supports Windows Vista, XP, and 2000 Professional.

Macintosh: Campus supports Mac OS X and OS 9.2.2.

Platform	Supported Minimum		Recommended Minimums		
	PC	Macintosh	PC Windows	PC Vista*	Macintosh
Operating System	Windows 2000 Pro	OS X OS 9.2.2 (until 06/08)	2000 Pro or XP	Vista	OS X
Processor	P3	G3	P4	1 GHz 32-bit	G4
RAM	256	256	512	1 GB	512
Internet Browser	IE 6.0 Firefox 2.0.x	Safari 1.3.2 Camino 1.0 Firefox 2.0.0.6	IE 6.0 Firefox 2.0.x	IE 7	Safari 2.0.x Camino 1.5.1 Firefox 2.0.0.7
Java Plug-in	Java 1.5.10	Java 1.3.1 Apple Java (MRJ 2.2.5 for OS 9.2.2)	Java 1.5.10	Java 1.5.10	Java 1.3.1

* Vista users: Please refer to Vista Disclaimer

Additional Requirements

All Windows users need the most current version of Adobe Acrobat Reader.

Additional Recommendations

At this time, Campus recommends that Macintosh users in charge of lesson planning work on the Camino browser.

Recommended Minimums

The following table displays the combination of operating systems and recommended minimum browsers supported by Campus.

System	IE5	IE6	IE7	Firefox	Safari	Camino
Windows						
2000 Professional		6.0		2.0.x		
XP		6.0	7.0	2.0.x		
Vista			7.0	2.0.x		
Mac						
OS 9.2.2 (until 06/08)	5.1.2					
X.1						
X.2.8						
X.3.9				2.0.0.6		1.5.1
X.4.10 (ppc)				2.0.0.6	2.0.x	1.5.1
X.4.10 (intel)				2.0.0.6	2.0.x	1.5.1
X.5.0 (intel)				2.0.0.6	3.0.2	1.5.1
* Infinite Campus cannot guarantee comprehensive support for browsers released after the publication of this document.						

Vista Disclaimer

Per this document's publication date, Campus supports Vista with the following warning:

Users should be aware that operating Vista at or below the Microsoft minimum requirements will likely cause performance issues with Campus reporting and application processes. Vista users should also be aware that third-party applications may significantly decrease the performance of web-based applications running in the IE 7 browser.

Campus recommends that Vista users exceed Microsoft's minimum requirements and perform extensive performance testing within the Campus application to determine the proper hardware configuration needed for desired performance levels.

Windows Browser Settings

This section reflects the optimal browser settings for using Campus in a Windows environment. Browsers should be kept current by applying service packs and updates as provided by the operating system.

Internet Explorer Settings

To protect security, the following browser options should be configured:

Temporary Internet Files

- From the General tab, locate the settings for **Temporary Internet Files**. Change the settings to check for newer versions to **Every Visit to the Page**.

Privacy

- The **Privacy** level should be set to Medium.
- The **Pop-up Blocker** should be set to ALLOW all pop-ups from the Campus site.

Content

- **AutoComplete** settings should be turned off (except for Web addresses).
 - **NOTE:** **Forms** and **Passwords** should **NOT** be allowed to auto-complete for login security purposes.
- The **AutoComplete History** should be clear and remove stored passwords and forms.

Advanced Settings

- On the **Advanced** tab, uncheck **Use Inline AutoComplete**.
- Check **Java (Sun)**.
- Check **Use SSL 2.0** and **Use SSL 3.0**. Infinite Campus utilizes Secure Socket Layer encryption to protect data as it travels through the Web.

Best Practice General Maintenance

Delete Browsing History

- Periodically delete the Browsing History files. From the **Options > General** tab, locate the browsing history files. Delete at least the **Temporary Internet Files**, **Cookies** and **(automatic) Passwords**.

Mozilla Firefox Settings

To protect security, the following browser options should be configured:

Content Settings

- Pop-up windows must be allowed for the Campus site.

Advanced Network Settings

1. Verify that the network **Connection Settings** are set to the option of **Direct Connection to Internet**.
2. Clear the network **Cache** and set the field to a low number.

Privacy

1. Clear all **Private Data**.
2. Set Private Data Settings to **Always Clear Private Data** on browser close. At least the Cache, Cookies, Saved Passwords and Authenticated Sessions should be set to clear.

Security

1. Verify that the **Passwords** are NOT set to be remembered.

Macintosh Browser Settings

This section reflects the recommended browser settings for use with a Macintosh system. Browsers should be kept current by installing updates as provided by the operating system.

Safari Environment

To protect security, the following browser options should be configured:

Edit Menu

1. Campus pop-ups must be allowed in **Block Pop-up Windows**.
2. Turn on **Private Browsing** to erase cookies and history.

Camino Environment

To protect security, the following browser options should be configured:

Web Features

1. Annoyance Blocking should **NOT** be set to Block Pop-up Windows for the Campus site.

Firefox Environment

To protect security, the following browser options should be configured:

Content Settings

1. Pop-up windows must be allowed for the Campus site.

Advanced Network Settings

1. Verify that the network **Connection Settings** are set to the option of **Direct Connection to**

Internet.

2. Clear the network **Cache** and set the field to a low number.

Privacy

1. Clear all **Private Data**.
2. Set Private Data Settings to **Always Clear Private Data** on browser close. At least the **Cache, Cookies, Saved Passwords** and **Authenticated Sessions** should be set to clear.

Security

1. Verify that the **Passwords** are NOT set to be remembered.