

## System Requirements

### Windows 2000/XP Workstations

The system requirements for Windows 2000/XP workstations (stand-alone, local area network, and home access) are described in [Table 2-1](#).

**NOTES:** To successfully run the Home Access module, the workstation must have a 56K or faster connection to the Internet.

Novell Client 4.9.1 with SP4 is required when running SuccessMaker Enterprise on a Netware Server.

These specifications are intended strictly as a guideline. They were developed in an environment free from network congestion, resource contention, and aggressive security measures.

Consider the minimum requirements applicable only if your workstation uses a minimally configured and supported operating system, a minimally configured virus scanner, and only this Pearson application.

Table 2-1. System Requirements for Windows 2000/XP Workstations

Component and Operating Systems	Minimum Requirements	Recommendations
<ul style="list-style-type: none"><li>Windows 2000 SP4</li><li>Windows XP Home SP2*</li><li>Windows XP Professional SP2</li></ul>	<ul style="list-style-type: none"><li>Processor: 800 MHz</li><li>Memory: 512 MB</li></ul>	<ul style="list-style-type: none"><li>Processor: 1.6 GHz</li><li>Memory: 1 GB</li></ul>
Monitor Resolution	1024 x 768 with thousands of colors	
Hard Disk Drive Space	<ul style="list-style-type: none"><li>220 MB of free disk space</li><li>600 MB of free disk space if you install the Math Concepts and Skills 2 course on the local hard drive of your workstation.</li></ul>	
CD/DVD Drive	<ul style="list-style-type: none"><li>One 4x CD drive or one 2x DVD drive (or faster) for installing</li><li>2x DVD drive (or faster) for optionally running the courseware from the workstations using the DVD</li><li>One 4x CD drive or one 2x DVD drive (or faster) for optionally running the MCS2 courseware from CD or DVD</li></ul>	
Audio	Any Creative Labs or 100% compatible sound card, including Sound Blaster® 16 (or 32), PCI 64, or 16-bit VIBRA® series products	
Network Protocol	TCP/IP	
Additional Required Software	<ul style="list-style-type: none"><li>QuickTime® 7.1.6 or later required on all workstations</li><li>Adobe® Reader® 8.0 or later required on all workstations</li><li>Adobe® Flash® Player 9.x required on all workstations</li></ul>	
Home Access client only	<ul style="list-style-type: none"><li>Microsoft Internet Explorer 6.0 with SP2</li><li>Microsoft Internet Explorer 7.0</li><li>Java Runtime Environment 1.5.x or 1.6.x</li></ul>	

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### Windows Vista Workstations

The system requirements for Vista workstations (stand-alone, local area network, and home access) are described in [Table 2-2](#).

**NOTES:** To successfully run the Home Access module, the workstation must have a 56K or faster connection to the Internet.

Novell client 1.0 is required when running SuccessMaker on a Netware server.

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Consider the minimum requirements applicable only if your workstation uses a minimally configured and supported operating system, a minimally configured virus scanner, and only this Pearson application.

Table 2-2. System Requirements for Vista Workstations

Component and Operating Systems	Minimum Requirements	Recommendations
<ul style="list-style-type: none"><li>Windows Vista Home Basic*</li><li>Windows Vista Home Premium*</li><li>Windows Vista Ultimate</li><li>Windows Vista Business</li></ul>	<ul style="list-style-type: none"><li>Processor: 800 MHz</li><li>Memory: 512 MB</li></ul>	<ul style="list-style-type: none"><li>Processor: 1.6 GHz</li><li>Memory: 1 GB</li></ul>
Monitor Resolution	1024 x 768 with thousands of colors	
Hard Disk Drive Space	<ul style="list-style-type: none"><li>220 MB of free disk space</li><li>600 MB of free disk space if you install the Math Concepts and Skills 2 course on the local hard drive of your workstation.</li></ul>	
CD/DVD Drive	<ul style="list-style-type: none"><li>One 4x CD drive or one 2x DVD drive (or faster) for installing</li><li>2x DVD drive (or faster) for optionally running the courseware from the workstations using the DVD</li><li>One 4x CD drive or one 2x DVD drive (or faster) for optionally running the MCS2 courseware from CD or DVD</li></ul>	
Audio	Vista compliant audio device	
Network Protocol	TCP/IP	
Additional Required Software	<ul style="list-style-type: none"><li>QuickTime® 7.2.x or later is required on all workstations</li><li>Adobe® Reader® 8.0 or later is required on all workstations</li><li>Adobe® Flash® Player 9.x is required on all workstations</li></ul>	
Home Access client only	<ul style="list-style-type: none"><li>Microsoft Internet Explorer 7.0 or later</li><li>Java Runtime Environment 1.5.x or 1.6.x</li></ul>	
Printer	Any inkjet or laser printer supported by the operating system	
*Vista Home Basic and Home Premium is not supported in a LAN environment		

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### Mac Workstations

The system requirements for Mac workstations (local area network and home access) are described in [Table 2-3](#).

**NOTES:** To successfully run the Home Access module, the workstation must have a 56K or faster connection to the Internet.

The stand-alone configuration is not supported for Mac workstations.

These specifications are intended strictly as a guideline. They were developed in an environment free from network congestion, resource contention, and aggressive security measures.

Consider the minimum requirements applicable only if your server uses a minimally configured and supported operating system, a minimally configured virus scanner, and only this Pearson application.

Table 2-3. System Requirements for Mac Workstations

Component and Operating Systems	Minimum Requirements	Recommendations
<ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>◦ Mac OS X 10.4.x</li> <li>◦ Mac OS X 10.5.x</li> </ul>	<p><b>PPC</b></p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>◦ Processor: 800 MHz</li> <li>◦ Memory: 512 MB</li> </ul> <p><b>Intel</b></p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>◦ Processor: 1.5 GHz</li> <li>◦ Memory: 512 MB</li> </ul>	<p><b>PPC</b></p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>◦ Processor: 1.6 GHz</li> <li>◦ Memory: 1GB</li> </ul> <p><b>Intel</b></p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>◦ Processor: 1.6 GHz</li> <li>◦ Memory: 1GB</li> </ul>
Monitor Resolution	1024 x 768 with thousands of colors	
Hard Disk Drive Space	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>◦ Minimum 220 MB of free disk space</li> <li>◦ 600 MB of free disk space if you install the Math Concepts and Skills 2 course to the local hard drive of your workstation.</li> </ul>	
CD/DVD Drive	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>◦ 2x DVD drive (or faster) for optionally running the courseware from the workstations using the DVD.</li> <li>◦ One 4x CD drive or one 2x DVD drive (or faster) for optionally running the MCS2 courseware from CD or DVD.</li> </ul>	
Additional Required Software	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>◦ QuickTime 7.1.6 or later required on all workstations</li> <li>◦ Adobe® Reader® 8.0 or later is required on all workstations</li> <li>◦ Adobe® Flash® Player 9.x is required on all workstations</li> </ul>	
Audio	Built in	
Network Protocol	TCP/IP	
Home Access client only	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>◦ Mac OS X 10.4.x: Apple Safari 2.x</li> <li>◦ Mac OS X 10.5.x: Apple Safari 3.x</li> <li>◦ Java Runtime Environment 1.5.x or 1.6.x</li> </ul>	

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### Courseware Requirements

Before you run the courses on Mac workstations, you must know:

- Intel-based Mac workstations do not support OS 9 Classic.
- Mac OS X 10.5.x does not support OS 9 Classic.
- The following courses require OS 9 classic support and will run only on PowerPC-based workstations: Math Concepts and Skills Spanish, Math Investigations, Math Processor, Reading Adventures Primary, Story Painter, Vamos a leer, and Writer's Studio.

The following courses require Mac OS X operating system and will run on both PowerPC and Intel-based Mac workstations: Algebra Topics, Discover English, First Adventures Bookshelf, Math Corner, Math Concepts and Skills, Math Concepts and Skills 2, Reading Adventures, Readers Workshop, Initial Reading, Reading Readiness, Reading Investigations, Science Discovery, and Spelling Skills.