

Acuity™ Technical Specifications

The following technical specifications detail recommended hardware and software requirements to support the Acuity program. Acuity provides equal functionality for both Windows and Macintosh operating systems with the following client computer configuration:

Macintosh	PC
<p>Hardware:</p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> • PowerPC G3 or higher • 500MHz Power PC or higher • Mac OS 9.1 or higher • 128MB of Virtual Memory • 128 MB memory • LAN connected (TCP/IP 10 MBps or faster) • Mouse/pointer 	<p>Hardware:</p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> • 500 MHz Pentium processor or higher • Windows 98SE or higher • 128 of Virtual memory • 128 MB memory (256 MB memory preferred) • LAN connected (TCP/IP 10 MBps or faster) • Mouse/pointer
<p>Software:</p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> • Internet Explorer 5.1 and above or Safari 1.2 • QuickTime 6.0 or higher or RealPlayer 8.0 or higher for sound files. <i>(Issues were identified in QuickTime 7.0x versions with iTunes bundle using Mac OS 10.4.x)</i> • Note: QuickTime or RealPlayer must be the system default for MIME-type MP3 in order for the application audio files to function properly. QuickTime is normally used for Macintoshes. • Adobe Reader 5 or higher • Macromedia Flash Player 7 • Cookies enabled • AutoComplete set to “off” • Ability to by-pass proxy in cases where proxy server does not perform adequately. We prefer to work with a technical contact in a school to test performance where proxies are used before a school goes live with the application. • Ability to allow pop-ups 	<p>Software:</p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> • Internet Explorer 6.0 and above for Windows 98 and above. • QuickTime 6.0 or higher, RealPlayer 6.0 or higher, or Windows Media Player • Note: QuickTime, RealPlayer, or Windows Media must be the system default for MIME-type MP3 in order for audio files to function properly. • Adobe Reader 5 or higher • Macromedia Flash Player 7 • Cookies enabled • ActiveX enabled • AutoComplete set to off • Ability to allow pop-ups • Ability to by-pass proxy in cases where proxy server does not perform adequately. We prefer to work with a technical contact in a school to test performance where proxies are used before a school goes live with the application.