

HI-TECH CLASSROOM REFERENCE MANUAL:

Computer

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Overview

The Hi-Tech Classrooms currently offer a PC for use by faculty. There are 3 types of machines, all running one standard image with a standard set of software installed.

Accessing the PC

Push Button Classroom

Press the button labeled “Tower/PC” or “Computer” from the row of white Source Buttons.

Fixed Touch Screen Classroom

Touch the button labeled “Computer” from the upper set of source buttons.

Tech-Ready Classroom

Touch the button labeled “Computer” from the main menu window.

Additional Information

PC Image

The PCs that are provided in the Hi-Tech Classrooms all have identically installed images and software packages. The image installed on each machine provides 10 GB of storage for teaching materials however, this is not a safe storage area as any user can clean it out.

It is highly recommended that faculty visit the Hi-Tech Classroom portion of the AVT-ITL web site (ITL.uconn.edu/avtechnology), as documentation pertaining to the available software can be found there. The images provided on the PCs are updated yearly (generally during the month of August), which means that software versions will stay consistent throughout the Fall and Spring semester for a given school year.

Note: The individual user is responsible for knowing how to utilize the software provided.

USB PORT

In some cases, the USB ports on the PC tower may be difficult to access, so an extension cord for the USB port has been conveniently bundled with the Laptop Computer cables that rest on the top of the teaching station. The Tech-Ready style of classroom affords the user direct access to the face of the PC, so USB extensions are not necessary. The PC can be found poking out of one side of the Tech-Ready Box.

Warning: The provided machines are considered UNSECURE and certain precautions should be taken. It is highly suggested that websites requiring personal/private information NOT be access from these locations. We recommend that documents and materials be brought to the classroom via USB key.