Gifts for Grads

GRAPHIC DESIGN | PHOTOGRAPHY | VISUAL ARTS | AUDIO | VIDEO

Visual arts require the best of the best when it comes to technology. The best computers for graphic design work will come with powerful processors and graphics cards to run the many intensive applications you will need. A computer that comes with an impressive 4k/5k screen for helping provide detailed work is also recommended.

FOR MAXIMUM PERFORMANCE, CONSIDER:

CPU: Quad-core Intel Core i5 – i7 | RAM: 8GB – 16GB | Storage: 500GB – 2TB SSD | Display: Retina/4k/5k

MacBook Pro Retina
MacBook Pro w/ Touch Bar
27" iMac 4k/5k Retina
iPad Pro/Air

ENGINEERING | ARCHITECTURE

Power and upgradability are needed for these professions as work utilizes CAD and CAD related systems which require high processing power and lots of RAM. Screen resolution for fine details is also a must!

FOR MAXIMUM PERFORMANCE, CONSIDER:

8GB – 16GB of RAM | CPU: Quad Core i5/i7 or better | Solid state hard drive (or SSD for short) | Retina 4k/5k display | Dedicated graphics card | 1TB or larger SSD

**Mac
MacBook Pro
Mac Mini**

HEALTH PROFESSIONS

Health professionals need devices that are light weight, easy to use, portable and App friendly. This profession doesn't require the best or newest iPad, it just needs to have ease of use and the ability to update information on-the-go.
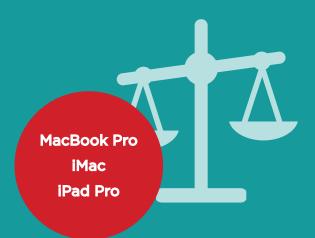
MINIMAL SPECS WILL WORK GREAT.

**MacBook Air
Apple Watch*
iPad Air**

PSYCHOLOGY

Professionals in this field require devices that are portable, user-friendly and exceptional for note taking. The ability to connect between devices for on-the-go updates and changes is also a plus. Does not have to be newest device on the market.
MINIMAL SPECS WILL WORK GREAT.

**MacBook Air
iPad Air
iPad Mini**

LAW | LEGAL STUDIES

According to the ABA Legal Technology Center, 68-73% of lawyers use an Apple device of some kind. Ease of use and ability to integrate all Apple devices is extremely time saving and efficient for lawyers — time is money.
MINIMAL TO MID-RANGE SPECS WILL WORK GREAT / LARGE HARD DRIVE IS RECOMMENDED FOR HIGH VOLUME STORAGE.

**MacBook Pro
iMac
iPad Pro**

AGRICULTURAL SCIENCES

This growing industry (no pun intended) is using technology to become more efficient and create better practices through science. Being able to track, analyze, and crunch data is a must. Portable devices are most common and using different applications between devices helps streamline data collection.

LOOK FOR MID TO HIGH RANGE SPECS, ESPECIALLY FOR WORK ON LARGE PROJECTS.

**MacBook Pro
MacBook Air
iPad Pro**

* Apple watches are not required for any field but can be a nice add on for quick communication, Apps, calendar, reminders and health tracking.

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