

Winter 2023 Computer Room Survey

Computer Lab Management continually strives to improve our computer rooms. Your feedback helps us understand, evaluate, and improve the services we offer UC Davis students. We appreciate your time and input.

1. Name (optional):

2. Email Address (optional):

3. 1. Class Standing:

Mark only one oval.

- First year
- Second year
- Third year
- Fourth year
- Fifth or more year
- Masters candidate
- PhD candidate
- Professional School

4. 2a. What types of computers do you own?

Please check all that apply.

Check all that apply.

- I own a desktop
- I own a laptop

5. 2b. Which of these other electronic devices do you own?

Please check all that apply.

Check all that apply.

- I own a tablet (iPad, Android tablet, Amazon Fire, Nook Tablet)
- I own a smartphone (iPhone, Android, Windows Phone, or other phone that can check email and surf the web)
- I own a black and white dedicated eReader (Kindle, Nook)

6. 3. Why do you use the computer rooms?

Please check all that apply.

Check all that apply.

- I don't own a computer
- When my laptop/phone runs out of power
- When I leave my laptop at home
- I use systems in the IET Virtual Lab
- Access academic related websites (Canvas, DavisMail, SISWeb, etc.)
- Access websites for non-academic reasons
- I need to print
- I need access to specialized software which I do not own
- I need access to specialized hardware which I do not own (e.g. scanners, video editors, etc.)
- The campus computers have faster Internet access
- The campus computers work better than mine
- The campus computers have bigger monitors than my laptop
- I have a class that meets in a computer classroom
- Other

7. Other reason from above

8. 4. What additional devices or services you would like in the computers rooms?

Many students need to use the computer labs to do things not possible with their personal devices. For example: printing, scanning documents, editing videos, running SPSS or other software, etc. from the list above. Are there other devices or services you need to do your classwork?

5. If you own a computer please answer the following question.
If you own more than one computer, please respond for the computer you use most often.

9. Computer type:

Mark only one oval.

- Desktop
- Laptop

10. Operating system:

Mark only one oval.

- ChromeOS (ChromeBook)
- Windows 11
- Windows 10
- Windows - older version
- Windows - not sure what version
- macOS 13 Ventura
- macOS 12 Monterey
- macOS 11 Big Sur
- macOS - older version
- macOS - not sure what version
- Linux or Unix
- Other

11. Office Suite:

If you have multiple office suites please choose the one you use most often.

Mark only one oval.

- Microsoft Office 365 (online version)
- Microsoft Office 2021 (Mac/PC)
- Microsoft Office 2019 (Mac/PC)
- Older version of Microsoft Office
- Pages, Numbers & Keynote (Apple)
- OpenOffice, LibreOffice, FreeOffice
- Google Docs
- Not sure

12. Printer:

Mark only one oval.

- None
- Ink Jet
- Laser
- Other

13. Please check all the peripherals you own:

Check all that apply.

- USB flash drive
- External hard drive
- Scanner
- 3D Printer

14. 6. How do you normally transfer your work from one computer to another:

Mark only one oval.

- USB flash drive
- Portable hard drive
- Email file to yourself
- Google Drive
- Box.com
- Microsoft OneDrive
- Dropbox
- iCloud
- Other Internet or cloud based file storage
- AirDrop (to/from IET computer)
- Other

15. Other reason from above

16. 7. Why did you print in the campus computer rooms?

Please check all that apply.

Check all that apply.

- I didn't print in the computer rooms
- I don't own a printer
- I printed class assignments (e.g. essays, homework, labs)
- I printed class materials (e.g. research, syllabi, readings)
- I printed personal documents (not class related)
- The campus printers are better than mine

17. 8. How many sheets do you need to print each quarter for academic purposes (class material, assignments, study aids)?

Mark only one oval.

- Less than 25 sheets
- 26 to 50 sheets
- 51 to 75 sheets
- 76 to 100 sheets
- 101 to 150 sheets
- 150 to 200 sheets
- Over 200 sheets

18. 9. Do you have other suggestions or comments to help improve the campus computer rooms or services?

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