Computer Setup

What you’ll need:

1. Power Cables
2. Ethernet Cable or Wifi capable computer (Ethernet cables are the cables that connect you to the internet, often times blue, black, or grey)
3. Video cable (HDMI, Display)
4. Wired or wireless mouse/keyboard
5. Monitor

**Step 1: Computer Power**

Connect power cable to the back of your computer and to a wall outlet or connected power strip.

**Step 2: Mouse/Keyboard**

Mice and keyboards are connected via USB. If you are using a wireless keyboard and mouse, plug the USB adapter into a USB slot on your pc. They’ll be either blue or black colored ports.

Wired: For a wired connection you’ll need to plug both the keyboard and mouse into a different USB port on your computer.
Step 3: Monitor

Power: Plug the monitor power cable into the back of the monitor and an outlet/power strip.

Display cable: Depending on your monitor and the cable you have you’ll need to know which port to plug it into. The main 2 types are Display cables and HDMI. A display cable has a clip design with a “D” logo and an HDMI cable doesn’t have a clip and has “HDMI” printed on it. Plug one end into the monitor and one to the back of the computer.

Step 4: Internet Connection

If you have an ethernet cable that can reach your personal router; connect the ethernet cable to your computer and home router. You’ll hear it click into place when it’s correctly plugged in.

If you are going to use Wi-Fi instead of a wired connection, you’ll first need to turn on the computer. Then left click the wifi/internet icon on the bottom right hand side of your desktop. Click your wireless internet and enter your home Wi-Fi password.