

Instructions for downloading Mathematica

Before getting started: You will need 4 GB of space on your hard-drive, and a fast reliable internet connection.

Step 1. Make sure you have a seattlecentral email address. Every student automatically gets one through Gmail.

Your address is: loginID@seattlecentral.edu

Your password is your full school ID number (all 9 digits)

For example, if you login to the school's computer with jdoe05, then your email address is jdoe05@seattlecentral.edu

Go to Gmail.com and try it!

Step 2. Go to the "Wolfram User Portal" at <https://user.wolfram.com/portal/login.html>

Click on the button at the bottom of the page to create an account. Enter your school email address when asked. You will soon receive an email from Wolfram asking you to validate your email address. Follow the instructions in the email.

Step 3. Go to the link:

<https://user.wolfram.com/portal/requestAK/469f08cab2b1e7a85f50e45a83e0681f04004f31>

Log into the Wolfram User Portal again. Once in the portal, you will fill out an Activation Key Request Form. This will provide you with an Activation Key needed to install Mathematica on your computer. You will see a message, "Your Activation Key Has Been Created". Click "Product summary page" to download the software. (You will be sent an email with a link for downloading the software as well.)

Step 4. At the bottom of the page, select Windows, Macintosh, or Linux, then click "download" to save it to your computer

Step 5. Wait...The compressed file is nearly 2 GB and may take 20 minutes or more to download. Once the file is downloaded, install it to your computer.