

This guide covers recommended options for securing your computer from viruses and malware, both on and off-campus.

## ANTIVIRUS FOR SALISBURY UNIVERSITY COMPUTERS

**System Center 2012 Endpoint Protection** is the chosen antivirus program for Salisbury University's and is installed on all IT-maintained machines automatically.

Campus Macintosh computers are loaded with System Center 2012 Endpoint Protection for Mac.

## ANTIVIRUS FOR PERSONAL COMPUTERS

**Microsoft Security Essentials** is the antivirus program of choice for ResNet as well as for home use for PC users. Security Essentials is available for download for free from Microsoft's website for personal use.

Microsoft Security Essentials is offered to all consumers, free of charge. The software includes antivirus and antispyware protection and automatic updates via Windows Update.

For Macintosh, recommend that home users and ResNet users use **Sophos Anti-Virus for Mac Home Edition**.

## RECOMMENDED ANTIVIRUS DOWNLOADS – FOR PERSONAL COMPUTERS ONLY

### WINDOWS

- **Microsoft Security Essentials** - <http://windows.microsoft.com/en-US/windows/security-essentials-download>

### MAC OS

- **Sophos Anti-Virus for Mac Home Edition** - Free Anti-Virus software for Macintosh.  
<http://www.sophos.com/en-us/products/free-tools/sophos-antivirus-for-mac-home-edition.aspx>

## OTHER ANTIVIRUS AND SECURITY SOFTWARE

### WINDOWS

For your personal computer only:

- **Ninite** - Web-based software updater for Windows and Linux: <http://ninite.com/>
- **Secunia Personal Software Inspector** - a software-based software updater for Windows: [http://secunia.com/vulnerability\\_scanning/personal/](http://secunia.com/vulnerability_scanning/personal/)
- **Avira** - Free Anti-Virus software for Windows: <http://www.avira.com/en/avira-free-antivirus>
- **Avast** - Free Anti-Virus software for Windows. <http://www.avast.com/free-antivirus-download>
- **Immunet** - Free cloud-based Anti-Virus software for Windows. <http://www.immunet.com/free/index.html>
- **AVG Free** - Free Anti-Virus software for Windows. <http://free.avg.com/us-en/homepage>
- **Web of Trust** - a safe-browsing add-on for Windows, Macintosh, or Linux. <http://www.mywot.com/en/download>
- **PeerBlock** - another safe-browsing program for Windows. <http://www.peerblock.com/>

- **Malwarebytes** - a malware scanning and removal program for Windows. [http://www.malwarebytes.org/products/malwarebytes\\_free/](http://www.malwarebytes.org/products/malwarebytes_free/)

## MAC OS

For your personal computer only:

- **ClamXav for OS X** - <http://www.clamxav.com/>
- **Web of Trust** - a safe-browsing add-on for Windows, Macintosh, or Linux. <http://www.mywot.com/en/download>

## OTHER DEVICES

- **AVG Mobilization for Android Smartphones and Tablets** - Free Anti-Virus app for Android. <http://www.avg.com/us-en/antivirus-for-android>
- **Trend Micro Smart Surfing** - Free Anti-Virus app for iOS. <http://free.antivirus.com/us/smart-surfing-for-iphone/index.html>