



MSIT Policies for Macintosh Computing

Policies

- a. All desktop Macs running 10.5 (Leopard) and higher must be added to the UTHOUSTON Domain (Active Directory). (Note that laptops that are not a user's primary computer are exempt from this requirement.)
- b. Anti-virus software (preferably MacAfee 9.0) shall be installed on all Macintosh computers, including laptops.
- c. FileVault must be installed on all Mac laptops, no exceptions for any laptop that is UT property will be allowed. Contact LAN manager for help with installation.
- d. Local accounts are not allowed, except for local MSIT Admin accounts.
- e. Specialized Macs, such as those used in research, may be exempt from these policies. Contact your LAN manager for more information about these exemptions. Note, however, that once exempted the user must ensure they are kept up to date on virus protection and security patches, and that the data they contain is protected.