

## Windows ME Minimum System Requirements

The system requirements for Windows Millennium Final Beta are listed below. Before you install Final Beta, make sure your computer meets these minimum system requirements:

- Pentium® or equivalent, 150 MHz or higher processor.
- 32 MB of RAM. (More memory improves performance.)
- Adequate free hard-disk space. A typical installation requires 320 MB to 420 MB, but can range between 200 MB and 550 MB, depending on your system configuration and the options you choose to install.
- VGA or higher resolution monitor.
- CD-ROM or DVD-ROM drive.
- Microsoft Mouse or compatible pointing device.

Certain features have additional requirements:

- For Internet access, 14,400 modem or fax modem and a service provider, such as MSN. (The service provider may charge a fee.)
- For sound, a sound card and speakers; or headphones; or USB speakers (requires a computer with USB support).
- For DVD Video, a DVD-ROM drive and compatible DVD decoder card (or DVD decoder software).
- For broadcast reception, a Pentium® processor and compatible TV tuner card. (Reception depends on availability of broadcast sources within your area.)
- For Windows Media Player:
  - ‘Portable’ music requires a portable music player to download music to internet connection to get album track/artist information ~4MB free space for every song to store
  - (requested but not required, things we want more feedback on):  
people using USB Speakers for playback playing CDs from as many optical drives as possible (DVD-ROM, CD-R, CD-ROM; in USB, 1394, ATAPI/IDE, SCSI)
- For Movie Maker:
  - Processor: 300-megahertz (MHz) Pentium II or equivalent
  - RAM: 64 megabytes (MB)
  - Storage: 2 gigabytes (GB) of free hard disk space for video capture
  - Audio: An audio capture device, eg:
    - (analog) microphone plugged into correct jack on audio card
    - USB microphone
    - Microphone as part of a multi-function device (like USB camera)
  - Video: A video capture device, eg:
    - 1394 DV Camera
    - (analog) camcorder and VGA card with ‘analog video in’ jack
    - USB motion capture camera
  - E-mail: An Internet connection and an e-mail application