How to use the Lockdown Browser

Overview

Respondus LockDown Browser is a specialized web browser designed to create a secure and focused environment for online exams. It restricts access to other applications, websites, or resources during the test and limits actions like copying, pasting, or navigating away from the exam.

Getting Started

Getting the Lockdown Browser.

You will need to install the lockdown browser by getting the extension or downloading the software from Brightspace. The link to get the Lockdown Browser will be located on the same page used to start your exam or quiz. The following articles may be used to assist you in installing the lockdown browser if not being installed on a Windows computer.

- Lockdown Browser on Chromebooks
- Lockdown Browser on iPad
- Lockdown Browser will not install on Windows S-Mode

System Requirements

System requirements may be found at What are the computer requirements for installations of Respondus LockDown Browser?

Starting an Exam or Quiz

An exam or quiz may only be started from Brightspace. You may not open the Lockdown Browser software to start an exam or quiz. Once you select your exam or quiz in Brightspace, the Lockdown Browser will automatically open.

Troubleshooting

Articles for troubleshooting may be found at Respondus.

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