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Autodesk® Grant Resource Guide

Frequently Asked Questions (FAQ)

Purpose of the Grant

In an effort to support STEM-based education, Autodesk realizes that access to Autodesk® design software is important in providing educators with solutions to engage students in science, technology, engineering, art, and mathematics (STEAM). Autodesk recognizes that supporting education is critical to improving our communities for tomorrow. We want to do our part to support educational efforts enabled by technology and are thereby offering grants to schools with active Robotics teams. The grant provides access to Autodesk software that can be used to support extracurricular competition programs as well as in classroom use.

Grant Offering

Autodesk® Design Academy 2014 network or multi-seat standalone licenses for 125 seats via (25.6GB) electronic download.
Note: When installing the Design Academy, you can choose which products to install.

- **Autodesk Design Academy includes:**

    o AutoCAD®

    o AutoCAD® Architecture

    o AutoCAD® Civil 3D®

    o AutoCAD® Mechanical

    o Autodesk® Inventor® Professional

    o Autodesk® Revit®

    o Autodesk® Vault Basic

    o Autodesk® 3ds Max® Design

- **Multi-Seat Stand-Alone License**

    Supports a specific number of users, allowing you to install, register, and activate one or more Autodesk products on several computers using a single serial number. They do not

require network connectivity to run, however the software does need to manually be installed and activated on each computer.
Click here to learn more about multi-seat stand-alone licenses.
Note: For the multi-seat stand-alone licenses the same serial number and product key will be used for all products with the same version number, i.e. 2013, 2014.

- **Network Licenses**

  Network licenses are ideal for larger schools that require many individuals to access and use Autodesk software from multiple locations or labs.
  A network license supports the use of Autodesk products up to a maximum number of users or "seats", who are connected to a server network. The products can be installed on as many computers as desired; however, at any one time, can only run on the maximum number of computers for which licenses have been granted. Because you can install the products on more systems than the number of licenses purchased, you get true floating licenses across your entire organization.
  A software utility known as the Network License Manager (NLM) issues licenses to users, up to the number of seats purchased. If all network licenses are in use, no more computers can run the Autodesk product until a license is returned to the NLM. The NLM is supported by the three possible server models:

  - Single License Server Model

  - Distributed License Server Model

  - Redundant License Server Model

  Note: When installing software that will utilize a network license, the same serial number will be used for all products with the same version; i.e. 2013 or 2014. However a different Product Key will be used for each product. The serial number and product keys will be given when grant is approved.

Grant Eligibility Requirements

Do I qualify for the Grant?

We require that schools receiving the free software meet the following requirements:
- Must have a team that is registered with the parent organization for the current competition season
- Successful verification of team status with the parent organization
- Be planning to use the Autodesk software in connection with the competition or in the classroom.

Additional grant conditions for existing Autodesk customers

For schools who purchased licenses to Autodesk® software or subscription services in the past:
- No refund or compensation will be provided to the school if you elect to participate or not participate in this program
- Autodesk Subscription customers:

   o Subscription customers may continue using their existing subscription services without interruption
   o Continuation of subscription contracts is at the discretion of the school
   o Subscription for previous products purchased will not be extended to products acquired through this grant program

Can I add Autodesk subscription services?

The Autodesk® software provided through this grant program is not eligible for Autodesk subscription services.

About Grant Approvals

Autodesk reserves the right to make the final decision on grant approvals.

When will I be notified of Grant Approval?

Throughout the grant process you should receive the following communications:

- Grant Application Approval Status from Autodesk
  - o If **approved**, you should receive notice within 10 – 15 business days of submission of application form from Autodesk
  - o If **declined**, you should receive notice within 10 – 15 business days of submission of application form from Autodesk

My Grant request was not approved, why?

Your grant request may have been declined for failure to meet the requirements stated in the Grant Eligibility Requirements section. We thank you for your interest and we encourage you to apply for additional Autodesk programs in the future for which you may qualify.

Grant Terms

What is the duration of the grant?

The duration period for the grant is three years from the date of grant software download notification. Note: Check Junk folder regularly.

Is the grant renewable at the end of the term?

While the initial grant offering is for the period of three years, our goal is to make access to Autodesk software easier to access in the long term.   We are currently defining plans to extend renewable grants and will communicate the availability of them to schools who have obtained a grant before the conclusion of the grant term.

Grant Fulfillment

When will I receive my software and how will it be delivered?

Please allow up to 10 - 15 business days to receive electronic download instructions once the grant has been fully approved.

Technology Readiness

Stand-alone license information

[Multi-seat stand-alone license](#)

Network License Manager and Network Deployment Support Links

[Autodesk Network Administrators Guide](#)

[Network Installation and Licensing Workflow](#)

[Network System Requirements for Windows and Mac](#)

Computer system requirements for software use

[Autodesk® Design Academy Suite – General System Requirements](#)
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Specific Product Requirements

- [Autodesk® AutoCAD® 2014](#)
- [Autodesk® Revit® 2014](#)
- [Autodesk® Inventor® Professional 2014](#)
- [Autodesk® 3Ds Max® Design 2014](#)

Can I install Autodesk software on a Mac computer?

Technical Document [here](#)

Technical Support

Videos

[Install and Configure the Autodesk Network License Manager](#)

[Creating a Network Deployment](#) (AutoCAD Product Example) – Autodesk Design Academy similar

Self Help Support Links

[General software installation help](#)

[Product support help](#)

If you would like to purchase software support you can locate a Value Added Reseller in your area at   www.autodesk.com/reseller

Mobile Applications

Autodesk offers students and teachers a variety of apps for a variety of devices - web, mobile, desktop, tablet and more! Our apps for education are available to students or teachers covering everything from the arts and making to engineering and manufacturing.

[SketchBook](#): Sketch, paint, and illustrate digitally.

[TinkerBox](#): Solve puzzles and create 3D contraptions on your iPhone.

[123D products](#): Turn your ideas into real objects with free 3D tools.

[Force Effect products](#): Analyze design concepts or develop functional moving mechanical systems in the field or at the office with a simulation mobile engineering app.

Learning Resources

[AutodeskEd YouTube Channel](#)

[Autodesk University Online](#)

Essential Skills-based Videos
- [Autodesk® Inventor® Professional](#)
- [Autodesk® Revit](#)
- [Autodesk® 3Ds Max® Design](#)

eBooks for iPad:
"[Introduction to Autodesk® Inventor®](#)"

"[Introduction to Autodesk® Project Falcon (airflow)](#)"

"[Introduction to Autodesk® Showcase](#)"

"[Autodesk® Inventor® 2014 What's New](#)"

Pre-Architecture, Pre-Engineering, and Media & Entertainment:

[Autodesk® Digital STEAM Workshop](#)

[Autodesk® BIM Workshop](#)

[Autodesk® Simulation Workshop](#)

[Autodesk® Sustainability Workshop](#)

[Carnegie-Mellon University: 16 week course - Introduction to Inventor and CAE tools](#)

Free Autodesk Software for Students and Educators

Students and educator can access FREE* Autodesk software downloads here for their personal use.

*Free Autodesk software licenses and/or cloud-based services are subject to acceptance of and compliance with the terms and conditions of the license agreement or terms of service, as applicable, that accompany such software or cloud-based services. Software licenses and/or cloud-based services provided without charge to Education Community members may be used solely for learning, teaching, and training in relation to the instructional functions performed by a primary or secondary educational institution or other degree- or certificate-granting institution. Such software and cloud-based services shall not be used for commercial, professional or for-profit instructional purposes.

Training and Certification

Certification

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Training

If you would like to purchase training on Autodesk® products you can locate an Authorized Training Center in your area at: www.autodesk.com/atc

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