

# Computer and Software Access

## Remote Desktop

Many faculty and staff may desire to access their individual computers remotely. To access your desktop computer remotely, you'll need to know the name of your computer. The following solutions articles provide instructions for remotely accessing your office computer.

- [How do I determine my computer's name?](#)
- [How do I connect to the VPN?](#)
- [How do I connect to my office computer from off-campus?](#)

For faculty and staff with Linux or Mac systems, VNC and other products are available for Linux and macOS. Still, OIS does not recommend any specific product at this time due to the individual use of these systems. Please contact Campus Support for assistance in implementing a product if you do not already have a means of access installed.

## vDeskstops

OIS also provides access to [vDeskstops](#), a pool of virtual computer systems for online access by students, faculty, or staff. [vDeskstops Solutions Articles](#) offer detailed instructions for getting connected.

## Remote access to software packages

Arkansas Tech offers many different software packages that are available to be installed on your home computer or accessed remotely via a web browser. Here are some solutions articles on a few of the most popular applications.

- [Office 365](#) (Word, Excel, PowerPoint, etc.)
- [Adobe Creative Cloud](#) (Photoshop, Premiere, InDesign, etc.)
- [Remote Applications](#) (SAS, SPSS, Stata, Veera, Project, Visio, etc.)
- [QuestionPro](#) (Online Surveys)