

Top audio and video tools for your course

These are our recommendations based on price and performance. Check marks show our top picks. Please note that pricing may change since the time of writing.

Talking head recording tools

	Popular Pick	Budget Option	Advanced Option
Microphone (lapel)	Rode Wireless GO Compact Wireless Omni Lavalier Microphone System Kit \$278	✓ Rode smartLav+ Lavalier for Smartphones \$79	Sennheiser G4 Lav \$599
Microphone Filter	Auphonix Pop Filter for Blue Yeti \$26	Neewer Pop Filter \$12	Rode SM6 Shock Mount \$59
Camera	Canon EOS Rebel \$449	✓ iPhone Smartphone camera (HD 720p) Free	Canon XA40 Professional UHD 4K Camcorder \$1,499
Lighting	✓ DIY Wistia Light Kit \$100	DIY w/ home lights Free	GVM 560AS Bi-Color LED Studio Video 3-Panel Light Kit \$269
Editing Software	✓ Camtasia Free Trial, then \$250	iMovie (Mac) Blender Free Free	Adobe Premiere Pro Or Davinci Resolve

Screencast recording tools

	Popular Pick	Budget Option	Advanced Option
Microphone (USB)	✓ Blue Yeti \$100	Blue Snowball \$70	Shure SM7B Broadcaster Package with CloudLifter CL-1 Kit \$630
Webcam (optional)	Logitech C920 \$80	✓ Soapbox Chrome Extension Free	
Screencasting Software	✓ Camtasia Free Trial, then \$250	Quicktime (Mac) Screencast-o-matic (Windows) Free Free	Adobe Creative Suite
Editing Software	✓ Camtasia Free Trial, then \$250	iMovie (Mac) Blender Free Free	Adobe Premiere Pro Or Davinci Resolve

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